St. Patrick Athletic Association October 7, 2008 Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Bill Dunker, Monte Hennen, Jeff Bjerke, Amanda Strop, Mike Sticha

Meeting called to order at 7:01 pm.

Treasurer/Secretary Report

- Jeff motioned to accept Minutes from last meeting.
- Checkbook balances of \$2,500 and Savings balance of \$2,900.

Old Business

- Fall Beer Bash, November 29, 2008.
 - Everything should be ready to go. Mike will place an ad in the NP Times 2-3 weeks before the event. Bill will bring T-shirts to sell. Mike will also make signs for that night to post. Betty is buying the first keg, and the Team will be responsible for the others. Mike will bring wristbands.
- Fall Field Projects
 - o Amount spent: ~ \$2,500
 - Rebuilt mound, renovated home plate, added sod, realigned bases, bought mound and plate tarps.
 - o Mike Roche says he will be aerating outfield soon.
- In need of a replacement for Ben Scheffler on the Board
 - o Monte talked to Warren Simon not interested
 - o Mike talked to Mike Puncochar just got a new job in Iowa.
 - Monte will talk to Cyril Simon

New Business

- Set a date for Fall Clean Up
 - o Will be Sunday, October 25
 - Green mesh, batting cage net, clean out shack, rake any leaves that have fallen. Mike will get zip-ties.
- JJ to Blow Out irrigation system Thursday, October 9. Need to have it unlocked for them.
- Set a date for Dinner Fundraiser
 - o January 30, 2009?
 - Mike called KC Hall, it is available that night. Mike to order 250 tickets. Prices will remain the same, \$60 per couple, and the same drink ticket amount, 2 per ticket sold. Mike's girlfriend will DJ Free of charge.
 - o Mike has compiled a Master Address list for ticket distribution
- Mike wrote a letter which was sent to the Mystic Lake charity group.
 - o Asked for \$4,000 for youth baseball money

Amanda Strop came to the Board telling that there is need for more people to work the Shack during the DRS games. Currently it is the girlfriends or wives of the players, and they want the DRS guys to look for others to work. Mike mentioned that each team should be responsible for setting up their own workers. The DRS team will address this problem on their own. Possibly mention this at the Fundraiser, that volunteers are needed to help run the shack.

Next meeting, Monday November 10 at the St. Patrick Tavern. 7 pm start.

Jeff motioned to adjourn, Mike second. Adjourned at 7:50 pm.