

ATP Board Meeting

5/24/2018

Time: 7:00 pm

Meeting called to order at 7:00 pm

Members in attendance: John Ramos, Christelle Ramos, Tyrone Elliott, Thea Elliott, Eddie Santiago, Carrie R., Jeff Nolan,

**Topics of Discussion:**

Carrie stepping down from the program as board member but will still be helping out with ATP program.

**Old Business:**

Cornell camp program approved for the summer ten people total going 2 coaches, 8 athletes, paid for by donor,

Scholarship program still has 3 scholarships still available as far as application process. Two bridge academy students have filled out app still waiting for 3 more apps. Going to go after Harding football and track and field athletes. Looking at different aspects to look at such as personal essay along with other steps to application process

**New Business:**

Program and Gameday flyers were paid for last year at this time.

Summer Programs flyers were done last year around this time in which we do not have that done this time around this year( side note to try and get scheduling done as soon as possible). Start making progress on getting pages filled out for season programming, and summer program flyers done double sided 5x7 in size as soon as possible.

Put time and thinking into getting Donor banners for during the season. Try to figure out a way to sell that and make it happen. Get one for harding football to get a look at them first before fully committing to it.

Football Fundraising has been making ways to make our goal, only about 20% of our goal has been made so far but still pushing.

Need to make a move on fundraising John and Tyrone have agreed to start making ways out to businesses to get the program donations and booklet going. Make ways to banks out in the community and see who would be willing to work with us. 1000 is full page in football season program, 1500 is full page and banner in football season program. August 1st would be deadline for and possible donors to commit to in season program. Coaches take team pictures to be placed in program during 1st week of spring football. Contact architects and the companies that have built new school facilities to see if they are willing to donate.

Former Donors: get something for the wrestling donor Heather she hasn't been feeling well possibilities Edible Arrangements, plaque with team picture, pictures of things she has helped make possible.

Need personal Grant writer have to find a way to get some help with that because we want to be on top of everything to keep our overhead cost down for running our non profit floating in good standards.

Need to find a way to get money from a grant program that gives money that people need to get rid of for tax write offs, grant program helps a ton of non profits in the state of connecticut. Have to try and find a way to get those letters written up to send in for a chance to get a look from those programs.

Kerry going to get a list of banks to try and get to donate, john and tyrone will try to get a list of other businesses to help out in the community.

Meeting ended: 7:41 pm