

Extra-Curricular Committee Meeting

October 13, 2020

4:00 pm

Present: John Thompson, Steve Updyke, Todd Johnson, Bill Robison, Kurt Juerjens, Kevin Kreiter, Brandon Porter, Tony Shinall, Brent Graham, and Patrick Meyer.

Meeting called to order by Chairperson Updyke at 4:03 pm

Meeting was requested by Brandon Porter to discuss the co-op with Elmwood for baseball. Porter began by talking about the numbers. He feels the Brimfield numbers are strong enough to sustain dissolving the coop. He stated Elmwood numbers have decreased. Porter talked about the school having 1A facilities. Junior Varsity gets the field when there is time. Sharing time with Varsity and Junior Varsity is an issue.

Porter mentioned differences in school calendars and eligibility. Thompson asked about being able to work through lean years if numbers become a problem.

Juerjens spoke about attempts to grow the program. His trepidation is lean years and not being able to field teams.


Shinall presented financial information from past years to look at costs for the co-op. Trends were looked at for number of student/athletes participating in the co-op sports.

Discussions were had about the pros and cons of the co-op.

Committee requested Brimfield administration meet with Elmwood administration about the future of the co-op.

Meeting adjourned at 5:25 pm

  
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