



USAFA Minnesota Parents Club



Minutes October 7, 2017

9:00AM Meeting called to order with - Pledge of Allegiance by all

Introductions – Great turn out! We tried something different and had all classes sit together at the tables; it was well received so we will continue

Sharing was done by all

The roster was passed around for confirmation & the Treasurer's Report was given. The report did not include the sales dollars from Parent's weekend for the mugs. Some parents asked to receive the roster on-line. It will be available once updated

Parents weekend sharing - tailgate, fundraiser, President's meeting and reception –

- Tailgate - It was decided the tailgate will not take place going forward so parents can spend time with their cadets at the squad tailgates. Instead the MN Cadet night is what we will focus on for MN cadets to meet each other; note there are approximately 80 MN cadets at the Academy.
- Fundraiser - David Blair who led the mug fundraiser was not in attendance so that will be reviewed in November, a summary sheet was provided by Steve Gustafson. It was mentioned the club has a limited number of days for fundraising to remain non-profit. There are 88 mugs that did not sell (\$990.50) of club money.

Committees – a great way to get involved! See 2017/18 calendar; volunteers noted below; please email Kathy or Shellie if you would like to volunteer and your name isn't below

- Cookie packing – Linda Olsen is looking for volunteers;
- Mom's night out – Moving to January so it will not conflict with MN Night at USAFA; Plymouth Playhouse is not available after 2017; it was mentioned to go to a SPA or

perhaps Chanhassen dinner theatre and Country Inn & Suites; or Mall of America and Country Inn & Suites or Radisson Blu

- Spring Banquet & silent auction
- Orientation
- Summer picnic
- MN Night at USAFA – MN State Fair theme – Wendy who was not in attendance has a tentative date of February 28, 2018, to be confirmed

Class representatives – NEW volunteers 2020 Warners (Cadet Sara), 2020 Jill and Joe Bruns (Cadet Rose); 2021 Deanne and Rob Robinson

11:00AM Meeting adjourned

ADDENDUM:

USAFA ATHLETIC EVENTS NEAR OR IN MINNESOTA:

Oct 20, 2017- Hockey to Bemidji 7:05 pm game

Nov 12, 2017- Wrestling to UM 1pm

Feb 4, 2018- Wrestling to NDSU (Fargo) 2pm

March 21-24, 2018 - NCAA Men's Swimming Championships, UM

The purpose of the USAFA Parents' Club of MN is to promote the well being of the Minnesota cadets at the Air Force Academy and Prep School, and to support their families.