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CFF Meeting Minutes – March 20, 2007

In Attendance:

CFF:	Mike Baldwin, David Green, Christy Fields, Tom Goodwin, Barry Moody
Apex:	J. Haydel, Scott Gehring
Bull City:	Rosie Page
Capital City:	Bobby Poisella, Julie Sanford, Joanne Minori
Cary:	Bo McCormick
Cleveland:	Cynthia Dance
Durham:	Don Jones
Garner:	Michele Ball, Jeralynn Castles
North Raleigh:	John Houston, Pamela Bowman
Orange County:	Bryan Stough
Sanford:	Frank Del Palazzo
South Johnston:	Michelle Benson
Tri-County:	Joyce Owens, Walter Parker, Miguel McKoy
Wake Forest:	Karen Neal
Wilders Grove:	Ken Hall

Items Covered:

1. Open Meeting and welcome. Read and reviewed meeting minutes from Feb. 20, 2007.
2. Spirit Update:
 - a. Discussed CFF Cheer camp. Last years camp was unacceptable and the search has begun for a new gym or host to produce the camp.
 - b. Local organizations cannot host a private camp
 - c. Pop Warner approval is needed to participate in out of season events such as parades where an organization will represent Pop Warner.
 - d. Regional Coaches clinic will be hosted by CFF in Raleigh.
 - i. Tentative dates: June 23 or July 14.
3. Spirit Cups: Funds distributed to participating organizations by David Green. Michelle Ball reported that remaining cups were returned to Braxx and that Braxx is interested in working with CFF on another event.
4. Scholastic Update:

- a. Regional Banquet to be held in Winston-Salem April 1, 2007. Chuck Norman Scholarship recipients announced. Nicole Westley of Wilder's Grove and Christian Alexander of Garner will both receive \$500 college scholarships.
 - b. A scholastic coordinator is still needed. This position must not be affiliated with a league organization.
5. Challenger Division: Bobby Poisella and Tom Goodwin presented the structure and rules regarding this division of play. Barry also presented the cheer structure for challenger division. .
6. Jamboree and CNI Bowl: Mike Baldwin raised the question based on input from recent survey. 1) CNI Bowl has had problems completing a full schedule of games at the end of the season. 2) The league growth has generated many teams which has presented a problem for the league Preseason Jamborees in scheduling all teams at a venue which has limited playing time for the teams. Tom took on the role of investigating possible alternatives.
7. Finance: National Pop Warner office has added a Financial Compliance Officer to their staff. FCO to review leagues financial records. Mike noted that organizations should make a point to review their own records and have them on hand from the past 3 years.
8. National / Regional Agenda Items: League voted to give Mike Baldwin and Christy Fields right to vote on the leagues behalf. Mike and Christy then reviewed the items and stated how they expected to vote at the upcoming Regional meeting.
9. Mike Baldwin announced that Northern Virginia has been removed from Mid-South Region.
10. Tom Goodwin requested updates to CFF Roster for all new personnel.
11. Tom Goodwin announced use of a shared web space on Triangle.com where he has added a CFF section in the youth sports directory.
12. Michelle Ball announced that the Garner Civitan Club will be turn down and rebuilt beginning June 1st. April and May meetings will still be held at Garner Civitan Club for the next two sessions.
13. Don Jones announced that the NFL will award the Durham Eagles Athletic Association with a check for funds to light their fields at Lowes Grove Middle School on May 5th.
14. The next meeting will be Tuesday, April 17, 2007.