



Brookfield Football and Cheer February 2026
February 18, 2026

Attendance: Jodi Brennan, Kim Saleh, Chris Scudder, Britt Jones, Stephanie Schulze
Community Members: Salvatore Ricco, Jada Lynne Confalone, Richie Botta, Luke Badaracco, Albana Munrett, Daniel Goncalves, Toni Scalzo, Mike Scalzo, Ken Utter, Steven Totilo, Andy Fries, Terri Hawant, Mike Gerri, Jimmy Sparaco, Alyssa Eaton, Nora Mansfield, Billy Thompson, Danielle Grant, Joanne Grant

Meeting start: 7:06pm

President: Absent

Vice President: Absent

Treasurer: Absent

Cheer Registrar: Absent

Scholastics:

- There are 15 scholars that will be invited to the banquet

Cheer Commissioner:

- WC voted to switch from NSID to a more user friendly program. Working with isports to learn and begin registration. Families that signed up last year will need to log in to NSID to cancel
- Cheer teams had an end of year party.
- Clinics are on going - stunt clinics April 5-8, tumbling in March, BHS cheer clinic is April 1st, it will be in the evening & is a free clinic for anyone interested. The clinic will lead into camp May 26, 27, 28 with BHS cheer.
- Trying to coordinate a league wide clinic which will be inside on turf. Working with movement for cheerleaders, stunt coach that works with Sacred Heart to help tentatively in June.
- Keep building skills. Working to increase resources for parents and kids. Registration amount may change to put more into the program. Cheer would be for paid stunt and tumbling coaches, to stay competitive.

Football Commissioner:

- Jared is authorizing a sizable amount to improve the programs for football and cheer. Football has no shortage of competent coaches.
- Blaze pods - for reaction time, for agility 5-10-5 drills to track speed in real time, etc. many different drills for blaze pods, the app will give real time analytics.
- Looking into laser timing brackets to get sprint times. Another to test vertical height.
- Building bobcats is very successful, kids are having fun. Attracting more kids to the program, boys and girls, building better athletes.
- Looking into tackle dummies for more non contact drills. Using a resistance sled to build strength.
- Comparing cameras for recording games - Xspot go came out with a new AI camera called the Falcon that can operate independently, battery doesn't last very long though. Albana asked about VEO, says it worked really well at other sporting events. Chris will research.
- In spring will need to check all pads and hitting and blocking pads & make an inventory of equipment in the shed.
- Spring flag - no more Greenwave program. Brookfield, Bethel, New Fairfield, Newtown, Monroe and Redding created a league.
 - 11u and 13u 7 second play clock. No more high school kids reffing, getting Colonial refs to be at games. It will cost a little more but brings consistency
 - There will be 7, 9, 11, 13 and middle school girls team - trying to work around other spring sports. Will play double headers
 - Practice will start in April, registration to start 2/20. Games Sunday, 2 practices per week
 - Flag practice at BHS
- Fall football schedule:
 - 9am 6u
 - 10am 7u game will be shorter
 - 11am 9u
 - 1pm 11u
 - 3pm 13u
- March 5th to visit school? Kim will reach out to the schools and see if we can go - we will look for adult availability to help

Secretary: nothing to report

Football Registrar: nothing additional, registration will begin soon.

From the community: Can we fix the booth to be safe? Will check with park and rec

Meeting end: 8:00pm

