

Armstrong/Cooper Girl's Hockey Booster Club Meeting

April 15th 2013 Meeting Minutes
New Hope Ice Arena, 7:35pm to 9:10pm

Meeting Attendants:

Jim Halverson-President, Julie Olson-Vice President. Dan Sontowski-Secretary, Rod Reeve - Treasure, Coach Kevin Gray, Kris S., Rob R., Anne B., Mike A. and Kendra V.

I. Call to Order: Jim Halverson at 7:35 pm

II. Secretary's Report- N/A

III. Treasurer's Report-

- We received second payment (\$750.00) from the Nike Bauer Tournament.
- The total fundraising profit for the Nike Bauer Tournament was \$1,209.00.
- We have all of the Holiday Tournament receipts from Kendra.
- Pete, the goalie coach total was \$2,000.00 for the year.
- \$750.00 was paid towards the summer Grand Rapids trip.
- We have received two (2) \$100.00 sponsorships.
- We donated \$200.00 to AHS weight room improvements.
- Aprox. \$16,00.00 balance in school account.
- Kendra advised that Rod contact Amy Moser (AHS Bookkeeper) to verify school account balance.
- Patti Weldon has aprox \$2,000.00 for new jerseys. These funds come from school dist bus operation savings.

IV. President's Report-

- Jim extended the offer to any and all to become a booster club officer. The term starts in August.
- We discussed the Terres family benefit event.
- We touch on the current status of Tom Ritten,s health.
- Jim asked Kendra to provide us with information on her plan to prepare a home game program.
 - Kendra suggested that we have a demographic profile for all parents.
 - She also suggested that we have a multi-tiered add campaign for the Golf and Holiday Tournament and for Home games.
 - Kendra stated that the Youth Photos are hard to get in a timely fashion for the program.
 - The first goal of the program plan is to break even on costs.
 - Kendra will need all of the past stats of players from both schools, current players bio's, special bio's on seniors, captions and coaches, a letter from the coaching staff, alumni info, photos from events, 1 letter from the athletic director, lots of adds from sponsors and maybe some filler like NW suburban creed and/or both schools fight song.
 - Julie O. has the AHS stats and Kendra will email Jon Okeefe for the CHS stats.

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V. Coaches' Report -

- Kevin has worked out a deal with Pat O'Leary at Acceleration NW Training.
- Five month "Speed Pass" for 30 skaters \$5,000.00.
- June, July and August skaters make their own appointments.
- September and October will be group/team appointments.

VII Open Floor/Additional items-

- Anne B wants to have group meetings for mentors for volunteer duties.
- Rob R advised that someone needs to head up the add sponsorship program plan.
- Kevin G added each family should solicit at least one (1) business for sponsorship donations.
- Mike A thought it would be best that the volunteer job description list be in writing for new parents to preview prior to signing up for volunteer positions.
- Anne B asked if we can use an on-line Dibs sign up for all of the volunteer positions.
- Rob R recommended that the girls do a "Car Wash" fundraising for the Grand Rapids summer trip.
- As a group we decided to ask parents for food and/or beverage and/or cooler donations for the Grand Rapids summer trip.
- We discussed the option of raising booster club fees.