

10/14/24

WYSA Meeting Minutes

Meeting began at 8:00 pm

Attendees:

Eric Hubert, Steve Mitrano, Matt Rogers, Mike Mormino, Bill Welch, Spencer Dalby, Chrissy Cogavin, Amy Blain, Justin Santerre, Brian Casey

Public Participation:

Marlon Martinez

Minutes:

A motion was made to approve the minutes from September. Motion approved.

Financials:

Bills that have been coming in are around \$90k+. Brian to reach out to age directors about outstanding tuition still due.

Picture Night:

Steve to send another email notification/reminder. Pictures to be held October 18 and 30 at WSSC. Chrissy to attend both nights to organize. Eric will add the appropriate time slots to Sports Engine for each team. Eric will also ask age directors to have coaches email their parents to let them know of the date and time.

Middle School:

We have 36 registered so far. We will send a notice out that our deadline to register is November 1. Steve to send a communication. Spencer to get a count of jerseys we have and what we may need to order.

Girls Teams:

We have 18 registered for 8U. It looks like we won't have enough to do a 10U team. Justin to send another communication to girl parents.

LTS/LTP:

This will start the Sunday after Thanksgiving. We will have nothing on December 29th but we may use the ice for something else such as a family skate.

Raffle Tickets:

Drawing will be held in November. Amy to reach out to Michele Kelly to determine how we did this online in the past.

Fundraising:

Main Street Grill will have a fundraising night for us on November 10. We will get 20% of any food orders that come in between 12 and 8. We will promote this via email and online. We will also do a Grand in your Hand drawing. On 10/19 we can go into the restaurant to sell tickets for the Grand in your Hand from 4-8 pm. Sean, Jessie, Chrissy and Amy to staff this.

Trivia Night will be held Friday, November 15 at WSSC. We have the hall reserved for free and the Trivia guy booked. Only cost to us will be the trivia guy, grand prize and snacks. Chrissy to let Brian know how much the check should be for the Trivia Guy. Fundraising committee members to purchase charcuterie items at Costco and do a small charcuterie at each table. The Grand Prize will be \$500 (\$50 per person at the winning table). We recently received a "bonus" tuition of \$500 for a new Squirt 4 player.

Sip and Shop will be held Friday, December 6 at Lakeside Inn. We have 7 vendors participating and they are paying us \$40 a piece. WYSA will also sell items at the event including Puck bottle openers and Beer Can glasses.

Hockey Prom will be held February 1 at WSSC and will be 80s themed. We have the hall reserved. Cost will be \$35 a person in advance, \$40 at the door. We will also sell super bowl squares. Justin to coordinate. Only cost to us will be catering and DJ.

Banquet to be held the second Tuesday of April. The Sons of Italy hall can fit 250 people. The hall is free and we will only need to pay for set up and bartenders (and catering). Chrissy is also calling to check with the Moose Hall.

Boston Hockey Skills:

Off ice program. Determined we will do a test program with Squirts only and then possibly incorporate this next year. This is a five week program. Justin to work with Denis to get this going.

MA Hockey Enrollment Award:

WYSA was awarded a \$500 prize for our increase in enrollment numbers. We have a limited number of items to choose from as our prize. A motion was made to have Bill, Spencer and Sean coordinate on what we should choose as our prize. Motion passed.

Purchasing:

Spencer will coordinate with Mark about opening the online store ASAP.
Imite shirts are in, we just need to add the Play it Again Sports logo to them.

D10:

The Squirt 4 team will not participate in States/play downs.