

HOLLIS BROOKLINE ATHLETIC BOOSTER CLUB MINUTES

November 4, 2019

Present: Deanne Martin, Sheryl Paquin, Holly Babcock, Lori Bonnette, Susan Holroyd, Kara White, Mike Marshall, Jennifer Razzaboni, Mike Coutu, Stephen Davidson, Dawn Haskell, Bill Kotelly, Madelon Anderson, Becky Farwell, Mary McGamy, Meg Ackerly, Tom Whalen.

Meeting was called to order at 6:30pm.

The idea of selling basketball family passes for the season again this year was discussed. Overall sentiment was to not move forward with this due to lack of interest. The team may consider a ball pass or something similar at halftime to raise money.

Sheryl plans to send an email out to all winter coaches to remind them to get parent reps selected for ABC.

Treasurer's Report:

\$27,000 in the general fund

\$25,000 in fund for turf field (CD to mature on 12/2)

\$4500 in ski swap account

\$99,762 total for all accounts

HB Helps:

Received \$800 from Town of Brookline today for the help the athletes provided during the Brookline 250th Anniversary Celebration. ABC will distribute money to the teams who volunteered. Volunteer hours:

InterAct 27 hours

Girls Volleyball 144 hours

Boys Soccer 53.5 hours

At a rate of approximately \$8/hour the ABC will supplement the \$800 from the town with \$1120 from the club to distribute to the above teams.

A discussion ensued regarding differentiating between HP Helps volunteer hours for community service vs. volunteering at an ABC designated fundraiser such as the Ski Swap or the Golf Tournament. All present agree the formula should be different as far as distributing money. Details continue to be worked out on this.

Tom made a motion to distribute \$1120 from ABC fund to contribute to the teams for their work. Sheryl seconded the motion. All present agreed.

Teams that volunteered at OHD through HB Helps will also be receiving money from the ABC as follows:

\$325 Girls Field Hockey

\$50 Girls Soccer

Mike Coutu made a motion to pay out this donation from the ABC of \$375. Tom Whalen seconded the motion. All present agreed.

HBABC continues to look for a fundraising chair.

Boys' basketball will be holding their camp on 11/16

Girls Lacrosse will be holding their clinic on 11/23

Sports Awards Night is on 11/18/19. Sue Connolly will be doing the program for this event but is looking for someone to take over as she transitions out.

Spirit wear Committee:

Meeting took place with Dave Guay at Local Pro Sports and committee selected items that they would like to sell. They would like to run the first sale 11/15-12/2. They would then like to run sessions that coincide with the winter and spring sport seasons. Discussed opening the "online store" on the day the season starts and keeping it open for two weeks.

Tom Whalen made a motion to approve purchasing stock items and 500 flyers up to the cost of \$2500. Deanne Martin seconded the motion. All present agreed.

Ski Swap planning:

Advertising: Hollis page, Brookline page, Nashua page.

Tables have been rented

Larry is all set and is requesting 10 kids, preferably college age to help with set up.

Food: Deanne Martin and Madelon Anderson will handle supplying food for the volunteers and vendors.

Deanne Martin made motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:25. Sheryl Paquin seconded the motion. All present agreed.

Respectfully Submitted,

Deanne Martin