



Committee & Coaches Meeting Minutes

November 25, 2014

Present: John Bandy, Doug Kuhblank, Jim Snyder, Laura Krohne, Shelley Sutherland, Amy Moon, Tonya Bandy, Marty Smouse

Absent: Sammye Johnson, Domenick Tuter

Proceedings: Meeting was called to order at 6:04 p.m. at Rockledge High School by John Bandy, Program Director.

● **RHS Lacrosse Coaches**

● Doug Kuhblank

- Looking into new boys' uniforms. Will purchase 25 uniforms for varsity.
- Wish list- would like to possibly purchase a Hudl subscription. Hudl is video software that allows coaches and teams a way to easily watch game film, share game film, and create highlight videos. This will cost approximately \$800 per year. This will be discussed again at the next meeting. Doug will talk to the football coach to find out more information.

● Paul Johnson (Sammye Johnson)

- Coaches will know more about the girls' head gear options by Dec. 1st.
- Would like \$75 to embroider numbers on the backpacks. The money was found in the uniform budget, along with other money donated from the City of Rockledge to complete the order and have the backpacks embroidered.
- The new uniforms will be in during the first part of January.

● Equipment

- Purchasing video equipment was discussed. It was suggested that we ask a professional videographer about the quality of the equipment we are looking into purchasing. Doug sent an email inquiring into this matter.
- Doug talked to Ms. Shinault and she agreed to help find volunteers from her students that are interested in filming games.

● **RHS Lacrosse Committee**

● John Bandy: Program Director

● **Pizza Cards**

- This fundraiser will not take place at this time. We couldn't find pizza places to commit.

- **FBL Classic**
- The Coaches will decide if their teams will participate this year by next meeting. The boys' and girls' teams can participate separately. (Cost is \$175 per team).
- **RHS Opening Day**
- The date is set for January 31st.
- Will look into the Cocoa Police K-9 unit participating in this event again this year.
- More discussion for opening day will take place at next meeting.

- Amy Moon: Fundraising Chairperson
- **Yankee Candle Fundraiser**
- The Yankee Candle Fundraiser ended on Nov. 21st. Approximately, 22 students participated in this fundraiser. All profit will go to individual player accounts. Money was turned in from the students and the orders have been placed.
- **Flip Flop Fundraiser**
- Amy brought information about a possible Flip Flop Fundraiser that could possibly take place on opening day.
- The company sells both flip flops and slides.
- Omitting "lacrosse" from the slides and flip flops may open up sales to more customers.

- Committee Discussion
 - **Dinner Night Out**
 - John contacted LaMiramba and the owner seemed interested in participating in our fundraiser. He is waiting to hear back her about their commitment. If he does not hear back by the next meeting, we will look into other possible locations for this fundraiser.
 - **Lacrosse items to sell during games**
 - Doug had someone commit to making plastic cups to sell peanuts out of at the concession stand. They will print the Rock Lax logo on each cup for free.
 - The committee agreed to have a sign made for the company making the collector cups.
 - There was discussion about selling other items such as shirts and magnets during games.
 - **Golf Outing**
 - Jim suggested that we look into possibly going in with another sport that is already established for a future golf outing. Doug will talk with other coaches to see if this is a possibility.
 - **Poker Fundraiser**
 - Laura explained how Poker tournaments can be a successful fundraiser. Dirty Jacks, a company in Orange County, would be the group to contact for fundraisers. We would need to find a location where this event could take place. Typically, they take place in restaurants, where the owners have agreed to this event and will work with the group. Nathan and Laura will share more information about this fundraiser. It has the potential to raise a lot of money, but money would need to be spent for prizes prior to the event.
 - **Amazon Link**

- Laura brought up other groups making money by having an Amazon link on their team's web page. John looked into this before but will follow up again.

- Shelley Sutherland: Finance Chairperson

- **Financial Update**

- Sponsors are continuing to come in.
- Brevard County Commissioners sent a check for \$100 for work at the polls during voting. Doug is going to look into the remaining \$200 that is owed for the work.

- Jim Snyder: IS/Web Chairperson

- Nothing new to report at this time.

- Marty Smouse: Field Coordinator (Boys)

- Will be helping Doug get nets set up on the top field. The frames may need repaired.
- Will be helping Doug get the field prepared.
- Will need to check out the condition of the nets at McClarty Stadium.

The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 15th at 6:00 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 7:29p.m.