

Dover Youth Lacrosse General Meeting MINUTES

February 20, 2020 – Dover Senior Center

- I. **Call Meeting to Order @ 7:30 PM**
- II. **Welcome & Introductions**
- III. **Approval of Minutes** from 1/14/20 – Motion by Laura Burkey and 2nd by Crystal Wilcox
- IV. **Approve Financial Report** – Motion by Kristie Harris and 2nd by Laura Burkey
- V. **Reports from Board**
 - a. President Travis Hoover (Attended)
 - No Report
 - b. Vice-President Cliff Harris (Attended)
 - Splitting K-4 into two teams: K-2 and 3/4.
 - Home games for girls? No for ¾ and maybe for 5/6, but no dates were blacked out from boys' schedule to have available time at Ketterman.
 - c. Secretary Kristie Harris (Attended)
 - No Report
 - d. Treasurer Crystal Wilcox (Attended)
 - Sandwich fundraiser earned about \$1500 in profit and about \$600 goes back to players' registration costs.
 - \$900 check sent to South Hanover YMCA for indoor practices
 - Purchased eight sets of full boys' equipment for rentals.
 - e. Buildings & Grounds Tommy Slusser (Attended)
 - Need to order white paint, we have plenty of blue paint.
 - Will check with DYF to see when they can fix Ketterman field.
 - Will check with Friendship Community Church to see if we can start using their field.
 - Dover Borough is to meet around March 17th to discuss when youth organizations can start using Ketterman field.
 - Need to get a team of workers together to line Ketterman field.
 - f. Athletic Director – Boys Matt Henze (Absent)
 - Crystal sent Matt the most updated rosters so they can be sent to YCLA
 - g. Athletic Director – Girls Laura Burkey (Attended)
 - Laura attended YGL meeting and learned of rule changes – main one is free movement. Ref fees increased to \$35 at 3-4 level per team and \$60 at 5/6 & 7/8 level per team. These teams will have at least 10 games. Dover will split the ref costs for 7/8 team with Spring Grove. Schedules are currently being planned.
- VI. **Reports from Directorships**
 - a. By-Laws Position Vacant
 - No Report
 - b. Equipment & Uniform Crystal Tuley (Attended)
 - Getting uniforms back from winter league.
 - Look into using old uniforms for K-2 and U8 teams, see how many smaller sizes we have.

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- c. Fundraising Vacant
 - Bingo: \$1375 collected in sponsorships. Asking for \$10 donation from each family to use for raffles and concession stand. Bingo cards, games of chances, and dabbers are being delivered on February 21st. We have sold 63 tickets to date. Our bingo information is being shared at Dover's Friday night bingos. Players can help at the bingo in the concession stand and walking around picking up garbage at the tables.
- d. Apparel/Pictures Kristen Ziegler (Attended)
 - Apparel Store = 41 orders and handout will be March 10th
- e. Concessions Position Jenn Livengood (Absent)
 - No Report
- f. Membership & Insurance Melissa DeHass (Absent)
 - Registration is now closed: 90 total players, 30 are first year players
 - Received updated insurance forms with updated equipment list
 - Final rosters needed by March 4th
 - Kid coaches need to have regular US Lacrosse Membership
- g. Website & Social Media Lindsay Davenport and Jeremy Wilcox (Both Absent)
 - No report – send any updates to webmaster email address

VII. Old Business

- a. Scholarships
 - Scholarship documents have been completed and were given to the guidance office at the Dover High School. Completed scholarship applications from the students are due to the guidance office by April 1st. Kristen Zeigler will lead application review and find four other volunteers. We need to find out when the guidance office needs to know who we selected.

VIII. New Business

- a. Coaches: US Membership, Coaching Clinic, and Clearances
 - SafeSpot needs to be completed by all coaches. Email went out to all coaches who still owe any type of clearance, membership, or coaching certificate.
- b. Team Parent – Clearances needed?
 - Not needed for team parent, a coach always needs to be present.
- c. Bingo Fundraiser
 - Discussed above in fundraiser section.
- d. Script Fundraiser – Last date to count towards 2020 registration costs
 - Friday, March 6th
- e. Ketterman Field
 - Discussed above in building and grounds section
- f. Lax radar purchase for home games as a fundraiser
 - Cost is \$110. Look to charge \$1 for a shot, possible during half time of games. Motion to purchase by Kristie Harris and 2nd by Tommy Slusser
- g. Uniform Handout
 - March 10th at the community center, but will see if the senior center is available due to practices going on at the same time. Look to use the same schedule as last year, but verify it works with current practice schedule. We have 75-90 water bottle left from last year that we will put out for players to take and use for the season.

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- h. Ace Spangler's 20th Anniversary – Collect for Dover Food Bank
 - We were invited to their Chili Cookoff to celebrate their 20th Anniversary on May 9th. The event is raising funds for the Dover Bank. Since we most likely will have games scheduled that Saturday and wouldn't be able to participate in the chili cookoff we asked if we could do a can food drive and make a donation, and Spangler's liked that idea. So, during the week of May 4th we will be collecting nonperishable food at practices. Need to create a flyer to help inform families and community.
- i. Player Gifts
 - Look into t-shirts, Halo headbands for girls, helmet stickers for boys, and stick butts
- j. End of Season Party
 - Crystal Tuley reaching out to Green Valley Swimming pool to see if June 4th or 5th is available for our party.

IX. Open Floor

- March 13th the high school lacrosse teams are hosting a Boys vs. Girls game at the high school stadium at 7:00 PM. Admission is a nonperishable food item that will be donated to the Dover Food Bank. They are asking for the youth girls' coaches to be refs for the game.
- Verify practice schedule at the community center
- Register fee for the K-2 team will be \$30 or the cost of a US Lacrosse Membership

X. Adjourn @ 8:50 PM

