Girls Lacrosse Booster Club February 15, 2023

California Grill @ 6:00

Attendance: Dan Smith, Cheryl Wenner, Ellen Perna, Trish Lilley, Jeremy Daino, Ben Paige

Secretary Report, Trish Lilley

• Shared minutes from January 2023 meeting

VP Report, Ellen Perna

NA

Treasurer Report, Cheryl Wenner

- Working on a treasury report will email to board members when complete. Shared expenses/information from 2022 season- World Series pool, Golf Tournament, Summer 2022 Tourney, sponsors, car wash (also senior night and picnic).
- New season expenses preseason (\$1,050), tryouts (about \$700), and new pinnies (about \$1400).
- Discussion about games of chance and fundraising/donations.
- Wished all the teams a good 2023 season.

President Report, Dan Smith followed Board Meeting Agenda

- Discussion about the start of preseason at 434 Complex. 35 girls attended the first session. Other dates are February 13, 16, 20, 23, 27 and March 2.
- February 25, 2023 Laxabunga Girls Lacrosse Tournament at Hudson Valley Sportsdome.
 Sending 1 Varsity team.
- **Pinnies** have arrived- 50 in total, 30 for varsity, 20 for jv. Will be a part of the uniform and turned in at end of the season.
- Schedule Galaxy has games posted, 14 Varsity, 12 JV, and 12 modified. Trying to schedule a game with Chenango Forks. Need to talk with parents about player availability on Friday, April 7, Good Friday.

Fundraisers for 2023

- **Super Bowl Pool** in February. \$25 a square. All squares are sold, \$1250 payout and Booster Club raises \$1250. Money raised helped pay for pinnies.
- Car Wash in spring. Need to choose a date, Possibly April 30 or May 7. Need to make sure there is
 no conflict with the golf tournament, tentatively scheduled May 13, on the date and whether Mother's
 Day would be repeated. Agreement on the success of pre-sale tickets. We will include modified
 players and families. We have supplies and signs from last year. Price will remain the same. We will
 do pre-sales again. We will use team parents to help disperse tickets.
- **Golf Tournament** tentatively scheduled May 13. Andrea Symons may not be able to chair. At the next booster club meeting, we need to decide on a date and possibly chair/director.

2023 Season

- Booster Club needs to get team parents for modified, JV, and Varsity for communication to parents
 and for upcoming events. Questions about senior night. When is it? Discussed possibly Friday, May
 12, 2023. Is a chair needed? Need a junior family to host making senior player posters.
- **Senior Night** will be May 2. Ellen Perna agreed to be in charge of Senior Night. Jeremy Daino will help with ordering banners, possibly from Jeff Miller.

- **Anticipated Expenses for 2023** season-preseason, tryouts, pinnies, summer coaching, Dollars for Scholars, Senior Night posters and shirts, sponsor shirts. End of season picnic.
- Player Warm Ups. Booster club would like to offer a package deal with the intention of players only having to purchase warm ups one time rather than every season. Package would include: shooter shirt, Nike club hoodie, Nike clue pants. Package price is \$102. Booster Club will offset cost by giving each player a set amount of money towards the package. Discussion about how much money booster club should pay to support player warm ups, \$30, \$35, or \$40. Cheryl made a motion that the booster club would pay \$40 toward each player warmup package. This would be a one time support. If items need to be replaced, that is the responsibility of the player. The \$40 booster club support for a warm up package would be offered to any new players. The vote passed.
- Discussion about **Dollars for Scholars**. Request has been made for a donation of \$500. Do we increase to \$750? Does our donation go to a LAX senior? Should booster club give 2 scholarships to seniors rather than Dollars for Scholars donation? Cheryl will follow up with Dollars for Scholars to see how donation is dispersed and does it go to a girls lax recipient?
- Discussion about sponsors? Will we have t-shirts? Will there be a banner? Will there be levels of sponsorships, or sponsors decide on their donation? How do we share sponsor information? T shirts, lacrosse website, banner at home games, announce during home games?
- There will be an **apparel store** through BSN. Ordering will be online through their website.

Next Booster Club Meeting...March ? 2023, 6:00 pm at California Grill