

# NORWICH YOUTH LACROSSE

Meeting Minutes  
October 21, 2015

## **Opening:**

Mike Giannelli called an organizational meeting of the Norwich Youth Lacrosse to order at 6:33 pm on 10/21/2015 at Norwich Public Utility Community Room.

## **In attendance**

### Board Members

Mike Giannelli – President  
Barry Williamson – Vice President  
Vicki Friedrich - Treasurer  
David Poore – Secretary  
Ken Houman – Webmaster  
Rick Friedrich – Girls Coordinator  
Scott Freyer – Boys Coordinator

### Attendees

Christine Gravelin – Social Media / Fundraiser Coordinator  
Shawn Gravelin – Registrar  
David Ballestrini

## **Open Issues**

### **Tax Exempt Status**

Mike G reported that NYLA federal tax-exempt status has been reinstated.

### **Winter Clinic**

Barry reported Henry from Summit was unlikely to commit to day and time until November. Discussion was had about raising registration fees for winter clinic to cover costs of Summit and use as fundraising.

Mike G reported after talking with NFA AD the charge for use of NFA gyms is still \$50 per hour.

*Update: Scott Freyer reported by email on 10/27/2015 that Henry has available Sunday's from 8-10 for \$100 per hour.*

Motion by David P and second by Rick F to proceed with having clinic at Summit and raising registration to \$45 per player.

Vote: 7 in favor, 0 opposed

Resolved: Motion carried

### **Flyers**

Rick F reported school list has been finalized but waiting to complete flyer until Winter Clinic details are final.

### **Fundraising**

Christine Graveline and David Ballestrini reported Fundraising options.

- Buffalo Wild Wings discount card; these are free and NYLA receives 10%
- Field of Fire Adventure Park; \$35 a ticket and NYLA receives \$20
- Yankee Candle; NYLA receives 40% of purchase
- Blackwolves "NYLA" day where proceeds of tickets go to NYLA
- Walk-a-thon or donate \$40
- Raffle for Blackwolves skybox
- Update corporate donation letter to have 3 levels \$50, \$100, \$150.

It was accepted that all of these efforts should be pursued with the immediate being the Yankee Candle fundraiser for holiday season.

Question was raised if any special licensing was required to hold a raffle.

**Action:** Christine to update donation letter

### **New Business**

Ken H reported that KNH

**Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm by Vice President Williamson, next meeting was scheduled on November 4<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30pm at Norwich Fire Department Community Room.**

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NYLA President      Mike Giannelli      Date

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NYLA Secretary

David Poore

Date