

Pittsford Community Lacrosse, Inc.

Meeting Minutes

Type of Meeting: September/October 2017 Board Meeting

Date: October 24, 2017

Time: 7:00 PM

Attendance: Sean Lucey, Christine Whipple, Terry Goetz, Brian Avery, Amy Doyle, Eric Strauf, Josh Lewis, Michael Cross

Financials

Matt Quinlan - reviewing books, PCLI is looking to outsource books to CPA firm for quarterly reporting output to assist us in making informed decisions based on financials, perhaps at each group (e.g., boys youth, boys scholastic, girls youth, girls scholastic). Sean Lucey is currently negotiating a fixed rate for this work.

Program Review -

Girls Youth (for additional see copy of Mike Cross notes below)

- on track ,
- fall a success , growth and interest at all levels -
- 4x4 recommendation from US lacrosse is working great.

Boys Youth

- 2 -3 fall tourneys
- registration is at ~ 100 kids for fall.
- 4th grade (2026) group remains low
- Winter Registration open with Andrew Whipple and Shaun Church scheduled to run Winter program of Skills and Drills - 2 separate 7 date sessions.
- 4 open dates in Nov available for use or donation at BSZ

Boys Scholastic

- under 40 kids registered - Brian Avery thinks more will register
- no JV at Tully for first time - (Club has taken priority of this weekend)
- Boys Varsity is attending Tully tourney
- Need Andrew to better communicate to JV his expectations
- Winter program 7th thru 12th starting first Sunday in Dec thru Feb.
- No Boys varsity trip this year
- Schedule not released as of yet

Girls Scholastic

- 3 tourneys in fall
- numbers are strong especially modified
- 9:00am - 11:30am space being used the entire winter
- returning varsity girls intend to go - lots of interest throughout
- girls to do fundraiser if trip is planned
- boys/ girls community wide mixer @ Monroe Golf Club - GET YOUTH PROGRAMS? PARENTS INVOLVED TO DRIVE NUMBERS AND IMPROVED EVENT
- Carol Kober involved to fundraise - recommended by Sean L.

PCLI Misc

- Review and possibly amend the by-laws with Chris Andreucci
- need to see final proposals for tents to get ordered for spring season
- agreed on 6K budget for tents - Lucey to work with Ryan Madigan on 3 proposals to compare.
- need to order 6 new goals for Boys youth for Spring season (to replace stolen goals at Great Embankment)
- Pittsford Logo is being considered to refresh for all apparel and social media etc
- Board meeting for year will be scheduled on 2nd Monday of each month
- Planning for indoor space next year is upon us - need to be diligent on this as to not make decision too late that could hurt our budget and preferred timeslots.
- Scholastic loves Sundays (Donovan and Whipple)
- need to get girls youth and boys youth hours to be better prepared for contract negotiation. (Josh Lewis and Mike Cross)
- Let's improve our Social Media presence.

PCLI Girls Youth Coordinator Report for September/October 2017, Tuesday, 10/24/2017

Programs

1. Fall
 1. Had successful fall season for grades K-6. 5 practices on Saturday afternoons, plus 2 tournaments for grades 1-6, plus additional scrimmages for grades 1-2 and 3-4.
 2. Had enough players for 2 tournament teams for both 3-4 and 5-6.
 3. 1-2 girls played 4v4 without goalies in Webster and Irondequoit in alignment with US Lacrosse recommendations.
 4. Number of registrants by grades (**93 total**):
 1. K: 9
 2. 1: 9

3. 2: 10
 4. 3: 19
 5. 4: 15
 6. 5: 19
 7. 6: 12
5. Marched in homecoming parade on Saturday, October 14
2. Winter
 1. Moved from Turin Sport Dome so Donovan Lopez can use entire space for scholastic girls for period of November through February. Girls youth will use Turin in spring (March and April) as we usually do.
 2. Girls youth winter program at TSE East Rochester, November through April, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, 5:00-6:00 PM.
 3. Offering 44 sessions total, with options for families to purchase packages for any 11, 22, or 44 sessions. The idea is that by offering as much flexibility as possible, we will get a higher rate of participation throughout the 6 months.
 3. Spring
 1. Discussions among town girls youth coordinators have started regarding plans for spring. More towns (including Victor, Fairport, Penfield now) are interested in leaving RALL for at least grades 3-4 and 5-6. Expect to do something very similar to this past spring where towns can create teams based on skill level and schedule them against teams of similar ability.

Coaches

1. Continuing to recruit coaches and onboard to ensure alignment with PCLI expectations.

Other Items

1. Started Facebook page for girls youth: <https://www.facebook.com/pittsfordgirlsyouthlacrosse/>