

## **GREELY HOCKEY BOOSTERS MINUTES NOVEMBER 19, 2003**

President: Paul Godin  
Vice President: Maria Bowden  
Treasurer: Bruce McKay  
Secretary: Kelly Irving

Attendance: Barry Mothes, Maria Bowden, Paul Godin, Kelly Irving, Bruce & Lori McKay, Spence & Susan Bisbing, Tom Allen, Matt Spaulding, Phylliss Cyr, Nick Knight, John Stevenson, Ken Filliter, Sue & Pete Blais, Brian & Carol Saucier, Pam Harwood, Gary King and Damian Bolduc

### **I. Treasurer Report**

Middle School and Girls are over budget, girls have more fundraising to do. Boys Varsity is looking good the golf tournament raised about \$7,100, as long as the rest of their fundraisers are met they should stay within budget.

Treasurer Report: Susan Bisbing moved to accept the Treasurer's Report.  
Damian Bolduc seconded the motion. A vote was taken and passed with none opposed.

### **II. Secretary Report**

Secretary Report: Susan Blais moved to accept the Secretary's Report.  
Lori McKay seconded the motion. A vote was taken and passed with none opposed.

### **III. Committees**

-- By-Laws: Due to conflicts the group has been unable to meet. They will meet on Dec. 1 at 7:00PM at GHS. The members are Paul Godin, Tom Allen, Maria Bowden and Kelly Irving.

-- Ad Book: Brian Saucier will take pictures for Middle School and Girls. Girls deadline for ads is Dec. 7. Each high school player (boys&girls) are required to sell \$90 worth of ads or pay an additional \$90. The purpose of the ad book is to save parents money, so try to get some outside ads.

-- Clothing: Gloves for the boys varsity have been selected and ordered through Sports Wellington. Anyone interested in donating money to cover the cost of the gloves please contact Jeff Daigle.

-- Scholarship: The plan is to give a \$500 to a graduating senior boy or girl (depending on each team's budget). The deadline will be March 15 and will be essay based. There will be two alumni parents and faculty members on the committee to award the scholarships. If a graduate is awarded the scholarship and defers college for a year, the scholarship will also be deferred for one year. Details will be sent out via email by Susan Bisbing.

### **IV. Programs**

-- High School Boys: Schedules have been passed out for pre-season and regular season. Players will be given handouts with roster for the games for the ice breaker. JV program have 5-6 home games booked and will hopefully be filled with opponents soon. Practices are going well.

-- Middle School: Season has started. Registration is all collected.

-- Girls: We have 25 players with 9 new freshmen and we are creating a JV team out of the 25 players.

#### V. Old Business

-- Caribbean Fundraiser: Ticket sales are going well and it looks like there will be no problem with selling the 250 maximum.

-- Spaghetti Dinner: For the high school boys will be Dec. 12 at 6:00pm at the Spaulding's. Contact Rose Spaulding if you would like to help. A list will be created with what to bring in the near future.

-- Varsity Quebec Trip: Coach Mothes will be deciding on who will attend in the next couple of weeks

-- Booster Member Dues: The cost is \$2.50 and expires 10/31 and needs to be renewed each year. It takes 30 days once you have paid to be able to vote on booster related issues. If you plan on attending the monthly meetings and would like your vote to count, please give Bruce McKay your dues.

#### VI. New Business

-- Missing Locker Room Items: There were some items including goalie equipment taken from the boys locker room. There may have been a group at the rink that was let in the locker room without our permission. This matter is being investigated by Paul Godin and Family Ice.

-- Coaches: Matt Gilbert will be the new assistant coach for the boys varsity team and Damian Bolduc will coach the JV boys program.

-- Donation to Christopher LaCharite Fund: A donation from the booster was made in the amount of \$100. This young man was a member of the Gorham Hockey team.

-- Family Ice 5 Year Celebration: FIC will be celebrating their 5 year anniversary on Jan. 1. The Dudley Cup will still take place, but there will be several other events going on as well. There will be a \$5 admission fee for adults and \$3 for children for the entire day of events, that all spectators will have to pay. The Dudley family has offered up to a \$10,000 matching fundraiser for all money raised. Pam Harwood made a motion to donate \$500 to FIC for this fundraiser. Spence Bisbing seconded the motion. A vote was taken and passed with none opposed. Ken Filliter will also suggest to FIC that a plaque be created listing the winners of the past and present Dudley Cup winners for all levels of play.

#### VII. Next Meeting

-- The next meeting will be Dec. 17 at 7:00pm at GHS.

Nick Knight made a motion to close the meeting. Pam Harwood seconded the motion. A vote was taken and passed with none opposed.