

Eureka Lacrosse Club – Meeting Agenda

Monday January 13, 2022 – 7:00 pm

Meeting Location: Mitch Mitchell Residence and Via Zoom

1. Call to Order (Sheldon called) – Note Attendees
 - a. Present: Mitch Mitchell, Sheldon Ripson, Scott Stubblefield, Kim Taylor, Cole Taylor and Carie Jennings
 - b. Zoom: Heather Hammerschmidt, Nicole Weckherlin, Poppy Parker, Tim Borroff, Shannon Quinn
2. Minutes from December Meeting – Motion to approve
 - a. Sheldon made a motion to approve minutes from December, Mitch seconded the motion. Minutes approved.
3. Officer Reports
 - a. President (Sheldon Ripson)
 - Winter High School Meeting: January 25, 2022, EHS Commons 7-8:30
 1. Contingency plan?
 2. Possible Zoom or Livestream option? Poppy to check with Sean to see if he can do or show her
 3. Board agreed to work on offering this option
 - HS Updates: Registrations, schedule updates
 1. 38 current registrations
 2. Seckman game 3/16- Varsity only at 5:00pm
 3. Pembroke Hill is not bringing JV game; Seckman JV to play in place
 4. JV to play at 6:30-7pm following Varsity against Priory on 5/5
 - EHS Athletic Trainer is available to our players. Coach plans to share this information with players as previously the trainers would not see them.
 - b. Varsity Head Coach (Tim Borroff) – Via Zoom
 - Had meeting with coaches last night
 - Avoid running or penalties for losses or performance
 - Has mapped out timeline, season is themed, goals along the way
 - Team bonding: watching film, watching college lacrosse, attend those in town (Lindenwood, MBU)
 - c. Vice President (Mitch Mitchell)
 - Uniforms: Shorts are in. White ones are being redone...will not get until mid/end of March but should be able to use. Budgeted \$12K but ended up being \$10.5K.
 1. Discussion of handing them out
 2. End of 1st week: deposit check
 - a. Cabbabe family will take over next year but will shadow Mitchells

- Pinnies: Shannon has found some for youth and HS. Below are the choices she had researched.
 1. Mitch made a motion to order these as they were not included in our original budget. Carie seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion passed.
 2. Order 50 pinnies @ \$23.99

Pinnies

Arch City Threads- St. Louis- Kyle

- \$46.25, 2 color sublimated
- \$29.99 2 color screen printed Augusta
- \$23.99 1 color screen printed (Selected pinnie)



Elevation Sports-South Bend, IN-Mitch found online

- \$26.99 2 color screen print Under Armour

Crown-not able to do pinnies

BSN-Rock U pinnies from summer 2021

494 - ROY/WHT-REVERSIBLE PINNIE \$27.50

Item # - NKBQ3129

Select Spiritwear-Molly- 4/26/21

\$40 one color ink, reversible

Here is the best option I found, we just print 1 color on these, as the ink goes through the holes in the mesh & you can't line up a 2-color print without the inks mixing together.

<https://www.augustasportswear.com/augusta-mesh-reversible-pinnie-9717>

\$15.00 ea. youth sizes & adult S-XL.

2 screens (1 ink color each side) 2 @ \$20 = **\$40.00**

Shipping approx. \$21.40

- Credit was going to be used for Coaches wear but limited items on portal.
 - Trainers: Should be covered with Mercy but last-minute changes cannot be guaranteed due to staffing issues.
 1. Coaches should have med/first aid kits
 - Webinar for scorekeeping/game of lacrosse: will soon have link that we can send to team
 - Mitch needs assistance moving goal/truck- Cole will do
- d. Director of Finance (Kim Taylor)
- December Financials
 1. Kim emailed the Treasurer's Report
 - a. Registration payments are coming in (Youth and HS)
 2. If we can avoid PayPal for sponsorships due to fees
 3. Zettle: uses an app, card reader, links to our PayPay account, may have 2+% fee, cost was \$30
 - Taxes - Extension
 1. Kim mailed this week.
 - Insurance certificate to Rockwood
 - Cole is working on credit card. Has some paperwork that requires signature. Sheldon signed.
 - Super Bowl Squares: Password has been corrected and resent.
- e. Youth (Shannon Quinn) – not present but emailed update (below)

Youth

- Registration is open for youth. 10U \$225, 12U \$250, 14U \$275, These numbers are based on what I calculated we would need to cover our costs as well as what other local clubs charge. The cheapest anywhere I could find was \$225. The higher cost for the 14U is due to more practices and they will play in 2 leagues this year.
- Have received some interest in an 8U team but told them to register under 10U, if we have enough we can break into 8U and 10U
- SLYLA meeting coming up-found on website but never received an email
- SLYLA coaches meeting March 10th 7pm at Lou Fusz Training Center at Rams Park in the Auditorium- maybe ask the 14U coach to attend, can offer to other youth coaches if we know who they are
- Coach B-have we finalized who the coaches will be? **How many coaches does our budget allow?**
 - 7th/8th grade HC Ross Mikel. Assistant Michael Collett-confirmed?

- 5th/6th Grade HC Ron Mikel. Assistant Jon VanCleeck-contacted?
 - 3rd/4th grade HC Matt will help but we need a paid coach. **And possibly Mo Bap contact?**
 - Thinking practices will start the week before spring break and then take off the week of the break
 - Do we need to do anything to register the 14U team with MSLA?
 - Have a youth meeting scheduled for 1/19/22 at my house-may change to zoom considering current COVID levels. Hoping to form a youth committee to help advise about things such as fees, loaning equipment, organizing volunteers, etc.
- f. Director of Fundraising (Carie Jennings & Heather Hammerschmidt via Zoom)
- Have the letters available at the meeting
 1. Also post letters on website and email out
 - Trivia Night
 1. Meeting on Monday 1/31 at 7pm at Heather's
 2. Carie working on Trivia Reservation
 - a. Discussion of accepting full tables vs single tickets
 - i. Encouragement of full tables
 - Popcorn Fundraiser: Information on PowerPoint
- g. Director of Communications (Nicole Weckherlin) – Via Zoom
- Discussion of Player Code of Conduct- handout at meeting to sign
 - Grade Check: Shannon to do a form for players
 1. Coaches to provide acknowledgement and support
 2. Could provide team GPAs as well as banquet acknowledgment
4. Committees
- a. Rockwood United (Scott Stubblefield)
- Revised flyer, will send to Nicole to send to ELC/RU
- b. Volunteer Coordinator (Poppy Parker) – Via Zoom
- Will have paper sign-ups at meeting and will do SignUp Genius if needed afterwards
 - Discussion of volunteer descriptions
- c. Gear/ Photographer (Jacki Ripson) –Emailed Update, see below:

The bags look to be on time for their February delivery. We have six from the LaxGear company and three from last year were taken to Embroidme in Chesterfield - Eureka Lacrosse Sponsor. They added names to the bags we had left from last year. --- we still have 2 bags available if we have anyone wanting to get one.

Jackets are in - we will distribute at the parent meeting

Polos - hopefully soon - they are a Nike supply issue - all other practice pack items have been delivered.

That brings me to my other question...Do we want to do a second order - I'm not sure what will arrive during the season and what issues there may be filling the order. We did it differently this year - by doing a group order as opposed to the flash store. That allows us to hold the order until everything came in - then add the logos. Please let me know what you think.

Do we want to take the "head and shoulder shot" for the website or at the picture day?? Last year they wore their jersey and we took them at the team picture day. In the past they have worn the polo at the meeting and we have taken them as the boys arrive.

My sister suggested a fundraiser- I sent the information to Nicole. It involves selling gift cards. I think Geggie used to do this. Nicole said the high school does not do this. The band at my sisters school sold them in November (for December delivery) and made quite a bit of money.

Last— I will ask the Seniors what type of Banner they would like- we have done three different styles before. Last year we added the turf - since they really wanted to play there - I like giving them have a say.

d. Field Coordinator (Chadd Lamason)

5. Old Business

a. 2022 Banquet

- Kim called Brookdale Farms several times

b. Video camera: Looking at HC-V770K and retails for about \$599

- Sheldon to order.

6. New Business

a. Shannon emailed update regarding Spirit Wear...see below

When would we like a new sale to start? Open mid February and close by end of February- hope to have items by end of March? **Suggestion to open up at meeting 1/25?**

If we go with Arch City for pinnies I may try to see if we can use them for spiritwear. Otherwise will see if Crown can help us. I want to stay local if possible and would love to set up a consistent relationship with a company

7. Adjourned at

a. Sheldon made a motion to adjourn, Mitch seconded the motion. Motion approved.