

November 4, 2025 Meeting Notes

The meeting was attended by Josh Ruppert, Jason Decker, Stacy Zwerdling, Debbie Ruppert, Jake Taylor, Derek Bachmeier, Ryan Olson, Andrea Olson, Lisa Decker, Holly Baker, Jennifer Buck, Ed White, Matt Leonetti, Jana Klocke

1) Bank Account Update and Balances- Matt Leonetti- was completed:

The Current Balance- \$72,303.53. This included the Venmo Transfer of \$3,675 but not the amounts owed for Corner Stone Printing and Captains Practice Coaches.

Bank Statement as of 10/31/2025 - \$63,043.53, Matt indicated that over the weekend he deposited a number of checks that were given to him for the fundraising. We also discussed providing the Venmo password to additional parties. Matt was going to provide to Steve so Steve also has access to Venmo.

Matt will be in touch with Matt O regarding the check for apparel and other items.

2) State Registration is due by the end of the year, Ed has received an email on the subject and will follow-up on the emails to get the registration completed. Ed has reached out to Parent Booster.

3) Fundraising Update- Stacy-

- Status of Ad Sales and Collection of Money- We have most of the money from the fundraising, there have been a couple cancelations. We have \$1,045 still remaining on payments.
- Cost of Program – the program will be 73 pages and are getting the QR code set up.
- We have approved the banner for \$250 by a vote of 4-0, the banner has been given to the arena to put up. Photos November 17th
- Additional Questions or Comments-Stacy has a list of all parents that will owe nothing for booster fees based on their ad sales and those that will only owe a lesser amount.

4) Raffle Update- Stacy-

- Updates- We will be having a meeting with the boys on November 14th to distribute the raffle cards.

- Cost to Print Cards would be about \$541.85, Invoice Submitted approved at last board meeting.
- Distribution Date will be after tryouts on November 14th, for all players that still need to sell cards there will be a Blitz day on November 23rd.
- The collection date will be on November 30th.
- The sale of the cards is voluntary. Even though it is entirely voluntary it is the boards hope that all families participate. The boosters fees are \$1,500 and each player is selling \$400 in raffle card. Agreed by board.

5) Player Equipment and Apparel Update- Ed

- Update on Apparel- Matt was getting the Jerseys etc by Friday the 7th and the remaining apparl will be in the week of the 10th.
- Booster Provided (Jacket, Sweatshirt, T-Shirt, Pants, Hats) - The cost will be \$310 dollars per player from Champion sports. This cost will be about \$13,330, Matt has been provided payments for \$12,182.60 which is the final amount of what is owed.
- Kids Provide (Gloves) – The gloves have been ordered for \$125, there are about 22 pairs that the booster club will pay for initially and the parents will repay the booster club. This amount will be about \$2,860 and was approved by a vote of 3-0 at last meeting
- General Sports Credit \$280- Matt will go get pucks from General Sports.

6) Golf Tourney Completed

- Legends has been paid \$14,492.64
- \$12,567.99 net revenue

7) Captains Practices and Summer Tourney

- Updates
- Costs – Captains \$8,662 (Ice), we need to get an invoice for this amount.
- The cost for the coaches will be \$2,875 which is less then last year.
- Summer Tourney Costs \$1,000 payments received \$1,204.84

8) Coordinator Positions-

- Social Media and Game Day Coordinator – Jana Klocke and Robbie Nelson (Team focused communications) * Obtain the email address of all the managers for youth hockey to send Social Media to have forward to their teams. We have determined that Period Updates will be sent and not after every goal. The Social Media Posts will be focused on the Team.
- Social Coordinator- Jason Decker (More social events after the games)*
- Team Meals-Anna Thompson*
- Service Project Coordinator-Completed - Every Third Saturday – Ed White paid \$665 for event, amount was approved, will provide Matt Leonetti documentation for reimbursement.
- Give Back Night Coordinator-Holly Baker will be working with Cane’s on this project.
- Youth Experience/Skate with Panthers Coordinator- Skate with Panthers - 12/7 at 3:10 PM, \$260, this amount was approved. Ed White will take lead with Holly Baker and Jennifer Buck helping with the event. We will need tables, posters, pizza, run clock and music. Jana and Andrea were given approval to look for new flags for the Mites to skate on the ice with before the games. Approved 4-0
- Photography Committee-Any Update? Senior Photos 10/23, photos for the program will be on November 17th, \$1,903.68 approved by vote of 3-0 for same amount as last year. We will touch base with Connor Pedersen regarding shooting photos at games. The photos will be from 3pm to 5:30 or so. John Cochran will be doing large posters to give away to youth.
- Teacher Appreciation Night-December 4th - Jansky, Ake, Bennett, Hanson- Need their plan and price, approved \$150 by board 4-0
- Senior Night- January 24th- Erickson- need plan and prices
- Banquet-March 10th- Tuesday at Royal Cliff- Ruppert- probably around \$3,000 but will keep us updated.
- Player Experience-Buck- Complimentary Tickets for High School Students 1) East Ridge 2) Apple Valley 3) Farmington 4) two section games. Also, video system \$3,000 for 3 years, \$1,000 a year. The board has approved for this agreement to be entered into. Vote was 4-0
- Game Day Experience -Bachmeier- Any Update? 1) Ads running during game 2) one video for goal 3) pre-game/intermission video)- Cost approved \$1,500 and voted on by board 3-0 approved.

- 9) Penalty Box Staffing- the cost for JV games will be \$1,519.98. Approved at the meeting by a vote 4-0.
- 10) Miscellaneous- Print Game Schedule, the cost for 750 will be \$186.50. We will need to get the final amount and this amount approved. We have also decided that we will auction off the last parking spot after tryouts. We are ordering Helmet Stickers. There was some discussion regarding Hype Squad which will be discussed at future meeting.