General Board Meeting March 10th, 2025



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Meeting began at 7:34. Curt and Marcie not in attendance.

Mike Bongiorno, Club President reported the following:

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Motion to approve February Board Minutes, Sean First, Christie Second all approved.
- Mike reviewed the decision to sign with Cedar Stars, there is currently one travel team older than 8th grade. Every year once players hit the High School Years the teams fold. Many but not all of the players continue to play but move on to other teams. Cedar Stars is not taking over the club, it is a partnership to help further develop the younger teams, while potentially giving older teams the ability to continue playing.
- Questions were asked regarding the benefits. Benefits include improved coaches and player education, ability to attract out of town players with the intention of filling out teams that are light on players. For example 2012 and 2013 girls are playing combined due to a limited number of players. This is not ideal.
- A concern was raised over field availability and capacity of players. With the construction of Canale we will now have 18-19 fields, we do not see this as an issue.
- Announced travel costs for 2025-2026, in town players will be \$350.00, out of town players \$450.00. Current out of town players will pay \$350.00.
- Recreation player cost is still not determined.
- The shed will be painted with the EHT Logo, also we will retire the number 16 in the name of Ashley Reich, Ashley passed away due to cancer. Ceremony will be May 3rd, 2025.

Sean Garvey, Girls Travel Coordinator, reported the following:

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- Unless there are mitigating circumstances you can not move games.
- If games need to be rescheduled due to weather, they must be scheduled within 2 weeks, just scheduled and does not mean to be played within 2 weeks.
- finally new penalties for arguing with the referees. We cannot argue with referees.

Don Burbach, Club Secretary, reported the following:

Nothing to report.

Sam Summerville, Club Treasurer, reported the following:

Club's current balance for March is \$71,486.01 as of February 28, 2025

- Beginning Balance = \$99,971.22
- Total Deposits = \$7,471.71
- Total Payments = \$14,259.32
- Ending Checking Account Balance = \$93,183.61
- Beginning Balance for GOC = \$81.20
- Total Deposits for GOC = \$0
- Total Payments for GOC = \$0
- Ending Balance for GOC = \$81.20
- Liability Accounts (Included in checking balance)
- Girls Travel Team's Account = \$11,412.12
- Boy's Travel Team's Account = \$10,285.48
- Scholarships = \$ 0

Rob Wolcott, Intramural Coordinator, reported the following:

- Adopted SJSL rules
- Total of 11 games for the season

Christie Green, Micro Coordinator, reported the following:

- Season is up and running, 8 games this season.
- No games Easter weekend.
- Next Monday there will be a meeting for coaches and parents interested in travel.

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Jason Carroll, Vice President, reported the following:

Practice schedules are now out.

Nat Schaeffer, Marketing Coordinator, reported the following:

• Reviewed voting rights.

## General Forum:

- Tryouts are scheduled for 4/14-4/19
- A board vote for Cedar Stars run tryouts, Motion Sean 1st and Rob 2nd all approved.
- We will have numbered pinnies for tryouts.
- Request for approval for a blanket fundraiser for the 2017 boys. Approved.
- Motion to adjourn, Sean 1st and Christie 2nd, all approved

Meeting ended at 8:55, minutes as heard by Don Burbach