

Greely Hockey Boosters November 17, 2009

**I. AD Mike Griffin address:** Winter Parents of athletes meeting this coming Thursday night. This is an opportunity to say hello, answer questions.

**IMPACT TESTING** for all boys and girls. There is a state initiative through a Colby College grant. Greely is one of ten schools that Colby will help to continue Impact testing. Colby will also support ten new schools. The AD will send a link from the Canadian Hockey Association; this video will be shown to student athletes in high impact sports. The IMPACT test is a baseline which helps with diagnosis and treatment if there is a blow to the head. There is a protocol in process for post injury. Injured players may return to full participation, 5 to 7 days after all symptoms end.

Believe all girls have taken the test. Coach Mothes sent an email with the list of boy players who need to do the test asap.

Eligibility: 1<sup>st</sup> quarter just ended, coaches are reviewing grades. Academic probation continues through the middle of December. There is another grade check around Christmas time. Tutoring and AD will follow and support. Coaches will help student athletes to improve on second quarter.

MPA and school district require updated current physicals on file. Check to see your student's physical expiration date.

**Highschoolsports.net** for sports schedules. Parents can sign up so if there are any changes especially with weather, you will be sent an email.

Pam Dunn (high school secretary) is "in the loop" if you need to get to Mike.

**II.** Motion to accept Secretary's report. Motion to accept: Lisa Demick , seconded, Damian Bolduc

**III.** Treasurer's report 24 paid parent membership dues. Treasurer has list of who is on it if you need to check.

Turkey Trot, \$3601, near what we earned for whole Turkey Trot last year.  
\$2830 in ad sales.

There are 31 girls for girls hockey; 29 boys for boys hockey

**IV. a.** Boys program. "Great to be back in the rink" "good energy". Coach Mothes report he intends to maximize ice time for all players.

JV. TBA games that coaches will fill in. 19 or 20 JV games, may try to get a couple more.

Trip to Presque Isle and Houlton will be the weekend before Christmas. Leave on Friday 18<sup>th</sup>, All players will be going, two countable varsity games. One if not two JV games. The team will come home Saturday night and they may try to find a hockey game or bowling on Saturday on the way home.

**b.** Girls well under way, this is 3<sup>rd</sup> week, went to NH, 3 games. UNH game. Hotel went well. Last Saturday scrimmage. This year's team has a lot of talent and depth on team. 3<sup>rd</sup> week, now Varsity and JV teams identified. First JV game against Portland fist home opener against Yarmouth . Schedule is mostly set, will be finalized soon. JV schedule has 14 games, will have more scheduled.

New jerseys for girls varsity, JV will now have home and away jerseys.

**c.** Middle School A and B teams identified. There are 16 B team players with 4 girls, and 14 players on the A team (one girl swings onto A team). A team won against Lewiston! B team tied Portland. Still working on middle school girls team. Only 8 girls with no goalie. Other teams will share players to try to make this work this season. Any girls 5<sup>th</sup> grade to 8<sup>th</sup> grade, even with no hockey experience, this is more about learning and having fun.

**V.** Ice Time liason: In good shape for November, Dec and January, total of 7 days that we need an hour here and there. In process for February times. Thank you !!

**VI.** Yearbook in process, Deadline for ads is Nov 30<sup>th</sup>. Player bios are in process. Photo takes will be done by Dec 10<sup>th</sup> or the 11<sup>th</sup>.

**VII.** Raffle: finalized list of Raffle items, Tickets will be distributed Thanksgiving week. Highest selling middle school boy and girl can attend a varsity practice. Grand Prize will be drawn during the Dudley Cup. May have other prizes drawn during January games on days when both boys and girls games take place.

**VIII.** Turkey Trot. Thank everyone for volunteering. 150 preregistered, 11 sponsors. Carol will send an updated information email with everything on it.

**IX.** Web Site , Thank you Bonnie Stanhope for stepping up to help Tyra Tarbox

**X.** Liz Rogers thank you for stepping up to do the gate

**XI. VIDEOTAPING NEED a boy volunteer!** MUCH thanks to Alumni who have agreed to contribute to purchase of a new video camera!

**XII.** Game Day programs. **Need a girl parent** for Game day programs.

**XIII.** Boys TA, individual photos tomorrow, Nov 30<sup>th</sup> teams, senior photos, captains. Hockey bags for new players are in and being silk screened. One newer player will be a

bit later but in good shape. Have orderd more “G”s for the back of helmets for both boys and girls. Ordering Car Magnets for both Boys and Girls to sell at the gate. More info to follow very shortly on PI/Houlton Trip. Any updated email addresses, please let me know!

**XIV.** Girls TA rave reviews about girls’ behavior from bus and hotel. Will wait on pictures for new uniforms. Lot of volunteers who have stepped up and we do need a few more.

**XV.** Transportation Form – Girls have the form and have signed. Mary will follow up with Mike Griffin for the boys so we can avoid buses for travel to CCCC and PIA for practices.

**XVI.** Will follow up on Alumni fundraising.

Miscellaneous:

- ✓ DUDLEY CUP now on January 1<sup>st</sup>, all games. Going to try to get a JV girls game as Falmouth doesn’t have a JV girls team this year.
- ✓ Booster Summit meeting with heads of Boosters with Mike, one of items will be transportation.
- ✓ Netted \$345 at last MS Dance!
- ✓ Next Booster meeting Dec 8<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm.

Adjourned