

**Greely Hockey Boosters
Minutes
December 14, 2010**

Attendees: Polly Finlay, Alice Ames, Carole Hackett, Tyra Tarbox, Kathy Tuller, Jamie Tuller, Karen Finnegan, Edie Taylor, Sarah Kramlich, Kathy Taylor, Tom Hurley, Beth Ray, Cynthia Cartwright, Nate Guerin, Damian Bolduc, Shelley Rost, Mary McDonald, and Barry Mothes.

Secretary's Report: Alice Ames motioned to accept the minutes as written and Polly Finlay seconded the motion.

Treasurer's Report: Sarah Kramlich requested that all bills be sent to Greely Hockey at the P.O. Box rather than individuals paying vendors with checks and requesting reimbursement from the Boosters.

Programs:

Boys Varsity: Barry reported there are 35 skaters. The group is mixing well on the ice and in the locker room. He appreciates the hard work in the classroom and on the ice. The Varsity is 3-0-2 including preseason games. Next game is December 16th vs Gardiner. The JV squad is 3-1 with a game on December 15th. Barry will continue to send a Sunday evening update for the week ahead. A special thank you to the Downey's for hosting the team dinner and thank you to all the families for their food contributions.

Girls Varsity: The first home game is December 16th. The National Anthem may be introduced at the girl's games. Their record is 2-2 and they are jelling as a team.

Middle School: Tom Hurley reported that both teams are doing well with the B team reporting a recent win over Falmouth.

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Gate Tally: At the boys first home game, \$287 was taken in at the gate. Parents of both girls and boys teams do not have to pay admission. It was noted that our admission prices are the cheapest ticket in town.

Turkey Trot: This successful event is projected to grow each year. The amount raised for the 3rd annual event was \$5,620.

Poinsettia Sale: This fundraiser was very successful given the short notice in which it took place. \$1,628.50 was raised for the boys and girls team. A vote was held and the Poinsettia sale is now included in the Opt Out options.

Stoneyfield Fundraiser: The check is in the mail! Well, it will be coming.

Yearbook: Tyra is working long hours on the yearbook. Draft to be finished by Friday.

Raffle: Kathy Taylor has extra raffle tickets available. These make terrific stocking stuffers. Prizes include an iPad, Cole Hahn bag, restaurant gift certificates, etc. Please give your tickets and \$ to Kathy Taylor by December 27th.

Alumni Letters: The Booster Club hopes to send these out this week.

Olympia Sports: Remember that Greely Hockey benefits and you do too when you shop at Olympia Sports and show your coupon.

TA Reports:

Boys: Mary also extended a thank you to the Downey's for hosting the kick off team dinner and to the team parents for supplying food and drinks. The Chuck a Puck event continues to be entertaining and profitable, raising \$78 at our first home game. Please sign up to videotape a game. The date of the boys' alumni game is Wednesday, December 29th at 7:30. Mary will be sending out individual email messages with the total opt out total for each family. The boys and girls team may hold a collection for the Cumberland Food Pantry in 2011. Mary met with Tom Shepherd, a financial planner in Cumberland. He is proposing a seminar for hockey families. For each family in attendance he would donate \$50 to the Boosters. Additionally, if a family met with him individually he would donate another \$50. Kathy Taylor reviewed the idea of sponsoring a dance as a fund raiser. Her research shows that Harmony Hall could be rented for \$1,500 and Two Bass John would play for \$1,500. Mary felt we would need to see if this was a conflict with the girls' basketball team. Another fund raising idea was a kitchen tour.

Girls: A thank you was extended to the Finnegan's for hosting a team breakfast. Videotaping sign up is appreciated. The girls' team would like to purchase shells. Polly Finlay moved to vote and Edie Taylor seconded the motion. The vote was in favor of purchasing shells.

Edie Taylor motioned to adjourn. Damian Bolduc seconded the motion.