

HALA Lacrosse Meeting 7/29/25

Present: Bob Larson, Troy Blueske, Eric Scholz, Prestin Pettis, Ben Heyen, Lora Sorenson, Jen Shupe

Meeting called to order at 7:08

- '25 Lacrosse season discussion
 - We had 102 boys and 63 girls were registered for lacrosse this year.
 - Boys: 14U had 2 teams, 12U had 1 team, 10U had 2 teams-future discussion requested for splitting teams, 8U had 1 team. Boys will likely stay with YLM
 - Girls: 14U had 2 teams, 12U had 1 team, 10U had 1 team. Girls will likely stay with GNL
- Fall lacrosse-
 - Girls will register outside of HALA
 - Boys have 11 12U registered and 21 for 14U they will also register outside of HALA
 - 8U and 10U boys will register outside of HALA
 - We will put out an email stating that fall ball is not run through HALA. To reach out to your summer coach for more information.
- Fundraising
 - Ideas-Sports meat raffle, include raffling sticks off
 - Host GNLL or YLM state tournaments
 - Store around Christmas time
 - Pepperfest booth
 - Bowling tournament
 - Coordinate equipment donation
 - Pair with ES lacrosse to get a discount on HALA registration
 - Talk to ES about 20% off coupon or some sort of discount
- Feature try lacrosse for free events
 - Oct, Nov, Dec on turf
 - Hudson Football game-get high school involvement (volunteer credit)
- When to open 2026 registration
 - Early February
 - Post in schools 3 weeks before
- Pepperfest Parade
 - We are planning to be in it, have the logo'd trailer in it. Hand out flyer with Try Lacrosse for Free date and also a date for the football game that we will be at.
- First year registration subsidies
 - Future discussion on this
- Additional board member seats
 - Troy and Preston will be done with their terms this December
 - Potentially in the future have an 8U/10U and 12U/14U boys and girls coordinator
 - Change Lora's title to Registration Manager
- Uniform try on days for younger kids next year
- 10x10 Hudson Tents
 - Look into and get pricing on getting 2 for boys and 2 for girls
- HALA Facebook Page-start a new page
 - The board agrees to start a new HALA Facebook page if we can't recover the old page.

Treasurer's report: Total \$59780.53

Checking \$30930.64
Money Market \$28,849.89

Meeting adjourned at 8:34pm