

HOLLIS BROOKLINE BASKETBALL CLUB MEETING

March 4, 2018

Attending:

Board Ryan Kelley, Brian LaPointe, David Leclerc, Tim Stack, Tori Thomas

Community Dean Sarris, Erin Sarris, Justin Moquin, Steve Stark

Location: Brookline Ambulance Community Center

I. Equipment/Fundraiser

- Set expectation with coaches to keep track of equipment to bring back at end of year
- Loss of equipment is just operating cost attrition, i.e: no need to ask coaches to pay for a lost basketball
- Sold 2 as fundraisers (2 at 5th/6th boys jamboree)
- HB night for fundraising: entry fee for contests. Could include coaches vs. kids. November/December.
- Ball return: Moquin, Sarris, Toupin, Barker, White, Kifer, Leclerc

II. Recreation

- HB won 4 of 5 divisions, lots of success to help keep the kids coming back
- Have Rec All Stars enter a end-of-season tourney? Would mention it at the beginning of the season and have it start right at the end of Rec season once practice slots during the week open up
- Rules:
 - Mercy rule: as-is, coach up the coaches to do the right thing. Do not advocate for shutting off the scoreboard after x of points.
 - Backcourt defense: implement a rule suggestion as a deterrent for backcourt defense, 5-0. Recommendation: 1 free throw and ball after two warnings.
 - Zone vs. help defense: distinguish between zone and help and makes sure that all towns and coaches are educated. This is HB's position and have it written in rules.
- New Ipswich to enforce rules stricter. Based on S. Talbot asking on how tight for his refs to call the games

III. Instructional

- Good feedback on have separate boys and girls groups for 1st and 2nd grades
- Good split between Hollis and Brookline
- Tori has all of the Instructional medals to distribute as parents desire.
- Try to keep the 10-week

IV. Travel

- MSBL seems to have the divisions broken down into smaller, competitive brackets

V. Coaches vs. Cancer Fundraiser

- 3/16 @ HBHS Boys varsity game halftime: 5th grade boys Travel vs 6th grade boys Travel
- 3/23 @ HBHS Girls varsity game halftime: 5th grade girls Travel vs 6th grade girls Travel