

HOPKINS ROYALS BOYS BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION
Board Meeting Minutes
September 11, 2019
Minnetonka Community Center / 7:00 – 9:00 PM



Meeting Attendance:

Lydia Kabaka	Curtis Smith	Tim Hoffman	Tony Corwin	Tim Hoffman
Stacie Saunders	Pat Eiden	Dori Gelfman	Sara Mausser	Jess Pratt
Justin White	Kim Lampe			

At Large: Shauna Becker, Roy Kregel & Mark Vagle

Members Absent: Renee Oertli, Gregg Schaefer

Call to order/Minutes/Agenda Review:

Meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m. Meeting minutes for August were approved.

President Updates-Tony

Our tournament is currently at capacity with 180 registrations. Currently we have 84 players registered. We need to get our numbers up specifically for 4th grade. Our approach is to avoid any cuts in any of the grade levels. No extended tryouts if 4th grade numbers do not increase.

Guests-Todd Kraft and Brian Cooper were guests at the meeting and are potentially looking to join the board.

Vice President Updates-Curtis

Code of conduct was sent out to all board members via e-mail. Code will be posted on the website. Board voted on approving code of conduct

FAQ

1. What type of time commitment
2. What is the cost to join?
3. Are scholarships available?
4. Can my 3rd grader tryout?

5. Game times are announced a week before?
6. Please note that their admission fees for entrance?

Open Gym-We need to have more adult presence or coaches available for open gym. We need more structure during open gym. Majority of time should be skills

Tip Off Night/Picture Night-Jess

- Donations for tip off night have been collected
- Agenda is available and will be distributed-scripts will be provided for Tony, Tim & Curtis
- Former Gopher will be guest speaker Jamal Abu-shamala
- Fashion show
- Who should we use for picture night? 10/29-date. Linoff?

Webmaster-Pat/Sara

- Issue with registering multi-families. Pat has reached out to Sportengine to get assistance and has not heard a response yet
- Board positions need to be updated to the site (i.e. Curtis-Interim V.P., Marketing/Social Media, At Large-Shauna, Dori, Rory, position of interim director is open)
- Sara has more yard signs available

Budget-Tim

- Moving in the right direction as far as costs slight decrease from last year
- 42 teams have paid registration

Uniform/Spirit Wear-Dori

- Still waiting on sponsors
- Numbers will remain the same as the previous year
- 90% spirit wear should be done by Tip Off night
- Sharing logo with the girls
- Increasing spirit wear costs to the nearest \$5.00
- Steven coming to tryouts
- Trying to get blood jerseys for adult and youth sizes

Coaching-Justin

- Three new coaches will be coming on board for the upcoming year
- Don't know which coaches will be paid coaches yet or not
- Encourage one of the new coaches to come to open gym

- Justin discussed coaching placements for the upcoming year and which coaches will be appropriate at which grade level
- Shauna said that she would assist if there is a need

Try Outs-Kim

The board discussed evaluators for tryouts. The old gyms are being used for cafeteria space and will not be available to use for tryouts. Parent meeting will be held in the classroom.

- Friday night is set up for tryouts
- Is there budget for food? water, snacks
- Board needs to report at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday for tryouts
- Friday night board should be available for set up at 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- Need balls
- Extended tryout are still questionable for 4th grade
- Send an e-mail to new participants of expectations-Is that possible?
- Create HRBBA e-mail account
- Need a check off for code of conduct for tryouts