

Dakota Ridge Men's Lacrosse Board Meeting

September 13, 2017

6:30 PM

Lori Arfsten's home:

6219 W. Cross Place

Littleton, CO 80123

Invited Members: Tasha Bedford, Lori Arfsten, Brian Fisher, Shea Eickelman, Erin Morar, Sherri Kissinger, Michelle Yeager, Angie Villamaria, Coach James Foot, Coach Nathan Hatch, Coach Ryan Toney

In Attendance: Tasha Bedford, Lori Arfsten, Brian Fisher, Erin Morar, Michelle Yeager, Angie Villamaria, Coach James Foot, & Coach Nathan Hatch

Meeting Minutes:

Angie Villamaria & Lori Arfsten - co-changing VP vote – Tasha motioned to vote Angie as VP, Brian seconded – All voted in favor.

Step UP FOR DOWN SYNDROME – September 24th - Erin will email out to players and families, boys need to wear their lacrosse shooter shirts

Homecoming & Float: October 2-7

Oct. 5th Bonfire October 6th Parade

Float: Tasha Bedford will provide the pick-up and trailer for the float

Decorations: Lori Arfsten has procured green turf rug 8' x 22'

Donations & Purchases Needed: Angie will look into buying wristbands 200-400? Erin and coach will communicate with the parents and players to let them know decorating will help on Oct. 5th before the bonfire. Michelle will help coordinate pizza or sandwiches for the boys to eat during the

Who is riding the float & what are they wearing? – James will be riding on the float.

Time & Place off Decorations: **October 5th 3:30 or 4 PM**

Girls Lacrosse is our Sister Club: more info about activities will be discussed in the fall & winter

Fall/Winter Off Season Practices, Leagues & Tournaments

Practice Foothills Outdoor Easton Fields - Kevin - Application - \$26/hr./field

Field 8 or 12

Time 3-4 PM

Dates Sept. 15 - Dec. 15 3x/wk. Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday Thanksgiving OFF

Dates January 9 – February 23rd 2x/wk. Tuesday & Friday

Practice Foothills Indoor Fields - Brandon – Request - \$110/field/hr. \$55/¹/₂ field/hr.

Dec. 18th & Dec. 20th Full field/1 hour

January 10th – February 21st Full Field 1/hour Wednesday 5:15 – 6:30 AM

LEAGUES & TOURNAMENTS

DLC League – Rob Gormley - \$1200 See Website for Schedule September 9 – October 14 We will wait to make payment until Rob requests it.

Wheat Ridge Farmer Fest - October 14-15 \$1300 - Brian Sent Check to Lori this week

Foothills Indoor Fall Saturdays Nov. 4- Dec. 16 – 1 Varsity A team

Foothill Indoor Winter Saturdays Jan. 13 – Feb. 24 – 1 Varsity A Team with possible JV team.

*A separate registration will be made to allow for fall sport athletes to participate in the Indoor leagues. – Tasha will build this & have it live by October 25th.

FALL PARENT MEETING:

Last Week Full Week October Wednesday 25th @ 6:30 PM – Tasha will secure the auditorium with Laura & Heckel. Lori will be speaking to parents about the need for help & participation as the 7 year veteran on the board/program.

TRYOUTS & SEASON

Tryout Dates: February 26th – Mar. 2nd

James is working with Heckel & Coaches to have Adam Silver come work with the Athletes at DR – this may require a fee.

Times: FOOTHILLS INDOOR AM 5:15- 6:30 & SUMMIT RIDGE OUTDOOR PM 3-5:30

Mar. 2nd- Team Dinner @ HS cafeteria & uniform handout – Michelle will investigate Oliver Garden, James has sent a request into Heckel & Laura to have the Olive Garden spot for March.

Mar. 3rd Saturday Scrimmage vs. Chaparral – time TBD

Mar. 9th - First Game @ Smoky Hill

April 11th- Lakewood - Think Pink Game

April 20th @ Columbine

April 25th vs. Lewis Palmer

April 27th Bear Creek – Senior Night

April 30th @ Chatfield

Dropped Englewood as opponent & may switch out Ralston Valley for a more competitive team.

TEAM MEALS - Michelle Yeager - Vote Michelle in charge of coordinating - will need a JV parent to help

Responsible for (assign/volunteer) Team Meals & Events

October 5th - Float Decorating Meal – Michelle will do sandwiches or pizza?

March 2nd – Team Kickoff & Uniform Handout – NO COMBINING WITH GIRLS

- Every other week after schedule finalized

Dine-out Nights/ Olive Garden Night - Erin will talk with Lucky Mutt & Chipotle about doing 1 in March & 1 in April on weeks we don't have a Team Meal.

Apparel - Coach Foote –

Required: Varsity will be required to have the Cascade S helmet. Backstock of helmets will be sold to incoming freshman and possible sophomores or freshman on varsity will be able to resale their helmets for a credit towards their new Cascade S helmet if they make varsity.

White gloves will be required for all players but it has not been decided that boosters will cover any costs towards gloves, discussion on gloves to be table until October when pricing is finalized.

- 1 shooter, 1 reversible & 1 shorts will be the required apparel.

Optional: jacket, sweatshirt, sweat pants, polo

Spirit: 10-15 items will open the store October 25 for 2 weeks and again in early February.

Store & Direct Mail:

SPRING BREAK

Where – San Diego

When - possibly Tuesday - Saturday

Coaches – 4

Players – 25 (We will possibly make 40 seats available in group travel for parents to purchase, considering requiring a \$200 deposit to hold seats for parents.)

Budget Update: Brian Fisher

End of Season Spring 2017 Balance Roughly \$33,000

Upcoming Costs Off Season Brian, Tasha & James will meet to cover upcoming costs.

Fundraising:

Sherri Kissinger – staying on Script & KS programs - monthly updates & account info.

New Budget Items:

Buses - \$ 1.45/mile & driver \$31/hr. with a 2hr. minimum ie: Game at Trailblazer is 34 miles round trip and with cost roughly \$175. JV will likely have 5 buses at most for away games & Varsity will have buses for all games, including games at Trailblazer.

Porta Potty - Feb. – May - \$2000

Off Season Practice Fields - to be calculated with contracts are approved by Foothills

Equipment Upgrades – 6 new practice nets & balls will be needed as well as other costs.

Coaches Stipends – Head coach will be paid \$30/ game & \$20/practice for offseason,

Assistant coaches will get a percentage of that to be determined when coaches are finalized.

EMAILS & WEBS SYSTEM: Shea & Erin - discuss & to be tabled for next time.

Next Meeting Board meeting will be Monday October 16th at 6:30 PM at Tasha Bedfords house.