

Coon Rapids High School Hockey Redline Club Meeting Minutes
Sunday, December 11th, 2011

I. Call to order:

Present: Coach Mileski, Jim Kirkeide, Scott Drazkowski, Becky Smith, Eric Frits, Judy Lemoine and Tammy Ostgard

Absent: Steve Naegele

II. Coaches report/comments

1. Sweatshirts are scheduled to be done any day. The last time he spoke with Champlin Athletics they were to be done this weekend. It was decided that the sweatshirts would be handed out when the parent fee is paid. Scott and Jim will coordinate this and Coach will let them know when the sweatshirts come in.
2. Coach stated that he is starting to work on setting up details for 2012 Summer Camp and will have more information at the next meeting.

III: Budget report/Update:

IV: OLD BUSINESS:

- a. **Skate with the Cardinals & Youth Day:** Skate with the Cardinals will be rescheduled on January 21st against Irondale. It was decided that we will have a combination of Youth Day and Skate with the Cardinals. Scott will contact Craig to reserve the outdoor ice for 5:45 and will also make sure that this date works with the Youth Director. Pizza and cookies will be served after Skating with the Cardinals.
- b. **Parent Fee:** After figuring in the raffle ticket sales, the parent fee will be \$195.
- c. **Feed My Starving Children:** This will be held on January 16th from 12:00 to 2:00. Practice is in the morning and then breakfast will be served after practice. Tammy mentioned that there should be plenty of parents/players to give players rides that don't drive. There will be 5 parents chaperoning this event. Becky is going to call and find out how the parking situation is and if there will be enough room for a lot of cars. If not, the boys will be asked to carpool as much as possible.
- d. **Room Fees at CRIC:** There was a miscommunication on being charged to use the party rooms at CRIC. Any event that is used for the booster club will be free for use of the party rooms except for the Skybox. Senior Night, Parent Night and Youth Night will be free for the use of the Skybox. The rooms must be reserved by someone on the Redline Club. Scott has sent out an email to all the hosts asking if they want to use the party room or host it at their home so he could reserve the rooms.
- e. **Additional Dinner:** Becky is checking to see if Olive Garden will sponsor an additional Friday night dinner this year.

V. NEW BUSINESS

- a. **Alumni Game:** The Alumni game is scheduled for December 29th at 8:40. Scott sent out emails to all the alumni addresses he had and everyone from last year. He has had 4 to 5 responses and will send out another email reminder and hopefully more will respond or show up that night.
- b. **Senior Recognition Day:** Will be held on Saturday, February 18th.
- c. **End of the Year Banquet:** It was decided that Sunday, March 18th will be a good possibility for the banquet. Scott has talked to the Manager of the new restaurant at Bunker Hills and they

stated that they are very interested in hosting this event and he will contact Avis Braschayko, Chair, to work out the details on the dates and place.

d. Old Jerseys: Coach did talk to Kelly Scott about the old hockey jerseys and if any of the alumni players or players from this year or last year wants them they will have to pay for them and the money would go to the hockey fund. Any jerseys left over could possibly be used for prizes at Youth Night. It was decided that they could buy one jersey for \$20 or both for \$30. Scott will email Last year seniors first and then to this year seniors and juniors and then see what is left after that.

e. Thank you letters: It was decided that a Thank you letter should be sent out to all advertisers in the program and then send along a program with it. Scott is working on this. Posters are done and Coach did get them hung up around the school and the rest should be posted in local businesses. Anyone who is interested in a poster should contact Scott. Jim mentioned that he did send a Thank you note to Mayor Howe and Coach Gunde for participating in the program for the first home game at the new rink.

f. Alumni Jerseys: Jim mentioned that the jerseys for the Alumni game should be washed before Alumni Night. Judy and Becky will each take a bucket of jerseys home and wash them.

g. Panoramic Pictures: Discussion was held on the purchase of panoramic for the players and if we should include them in the banquet cost or pass this on to parents and let them decide if they want them or not. It was decided that Scott will pass on the email from David Banks and each player can order their own if they want it.

h. Varsity parent to take pictures: Scott will be sending out an email to the Varsity parents to see if anyone would be willing to take pictures at some of the games. Judy Lemoine and Dia Lawrence volunteered to take pictures but they will have to stay for the Varsity games to take them which they have agreed to do but would be much easier if we had a Varsity parent willing to take them.

i. Next year's Board Members: Scott, Becky and Eric have seniors and will not be back next year on the board. Scott did mention at the parent's meeting that anyone is welcome to attend the board meetings and be involved with the board. Scott will email the 2nd year Bantam parents and see if anyone is interested in being on the board next year. More involvement is needed from new parents. Especially for next year!

Next meeting on Sunday, January 8th at 7:00 p.m.