



Iowa Lacrosse Association Board Meeting

Wednesday, September 9, 2020, 700pm - Zoom Conference Call

Attendees: Beech Turner (West Des Moines), Sean Mahoney (Waukee), Marc Shulman (Ames), Vince McGee (Quad Cities), Meghan Gruver (West Des Moines), Chris Maddox (Ankeny), Rod Bragg (Ankeny), Jeff Kueter (Iowa City), Britt Mitchell (Meskwaki), Scott Schoneberg (Roosevelt) and Dave Hankins (Ankeny).

Meeting was called to order by Beech at 705pm, Dave motioned and Meghan second.

August minutes were presented for acceptance. Motion was made by Sean and seconded by Marc.

Treasurer's Report

We have \$4871.53 in the bank account

Fall Ball Update

WDM

- Offering Fall Ball, Boys and girls; from grades 3-12
- Board members are assisting with COVID screenings
- Following WDM Covid19 Action Plan (CAP) based on ILAX CAP
- Boys practice Tuesday and Thursday nights
- Girls Monday and Thursday nights
- Girls attending two out of town tournaments, Boys not attending any tournaments
- Good Numbers

Ankeny

- Offering Fall Ball
- Following US Lacrosse and ILAX guidelines
- Practicing Tuesday and Saturday
- Asking players to come to practice dressed
- Temperature check and Google Doc filled out for check in
- No Registration #s yet

- They typically have good fall numbers

Waukee

- Offering Fall Ball, Boys; from grades 3-12
- Following guidance from ILAX CAP
- Boys Tuesday and Thursday nights
- Looking to scrimmage locally 7v7
- Have a U14, U12, maybe U10 and a HS team
- HS has good numbers
- HS to attend the KC Fall Classic

Ames

- School system is 100% virtual so not allowed to have any extracurricular activities

Roosevelt

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Quad Cities

- Full face to face
- Doing in person registrations when players come up to practice
- Has a COVID questionnaire
- Taking temperature checks

Meskwaki

- Hybrid School, so no lacrosse
- Football is up and running
- Large group of HS girls interested

Iowa City/Cedar Rapids

- Area schools in north are delayed due to derecho
- Iowa City is online only
- Coralville/Liberty - Lacrosse growth is progressing
- Solan area - moving full speed ahead! 50-60 kids involved
- Working on creating a bona fide club, have filed the paperwork
- Need a girls coach

Membership Grants

- Per Shawn Maloney - 1 period for application this year with very quick turnaround this fall
- US Lacrosse money is very tight right now
- Coaching Clinic
 - o If we are interested in hosting a clinic we need to apply ASAP
 - o Thinking a Level I would be the best option for the area
 - o Board approves Beech to apply for a Level I

Officials

- Everything is on hold at the moment, Rena Whitehouse is moving which will impact women's game training
- Any classroom training is now going to be virtual
- Recruit, recruit, recruit

US Lacrosse League Management System Website

- Beech and Sean are working with US Lacrosse on if this is an option for ILAX
- Would be very basic with a logo and a set template
- We would be able to register teams, not just individuals
- Beech to give US Lacrosse 30 days to see if the website actually works before we make the switch from Sports Engine

Communication to Clubs

- Beech working on getting information out to the clubs for what ILAX has done this year; i.e. COVID

Next Meeting - Wednesday October 14thth at 700pm via Zoom

Adjourn at 822pm

Motion - Sean; Second - Jeff