## Highland Bulldogs Hockey Board Meeting - Agenda August 12, 2025

**Location: Blue Springs at 6:30p** 

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Time: 6:36p Motion to Call to Order: Steve Second: Barbie

#### **Board Members Present:**

## Secretary's Report

Meeting Minutes from July 2025 meeting recorded and approved.

Motion to approve: Steve Second: Kevin

## **Treasurer's Report**

Report from July was approved.

Motion to approve: Steve Second: Ryan

**Proposal:** Waive Burton player fees but pursue apparel and wipe the rest of Hauer's clean. Kevin to talk to Jason Burton about it and send a follow up email.

#### Coach's Corner

Synthetic Ice—HHS wants us to take it back. What do we want to do with it? —temporarily looking to store it at Weis's

Mason Haselhorst is starting a goalie business and has spoken to CJ about working with goalies. CJ will talk to Mason about getting a rate and we'll consider it as a board. \*Mason will charge \$1600 for 9 sessions.

#### Motion passes

Colin workouts Monday and Wednesday for September and October (motion passes)

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

- Game pictures hire Hunter again for next season
  - o 2 JV games
  - 3 Varsity games (include senior night)
  - Pay Hunter \$400 for all 5 games and pay his way in
- Practices to put in TeamSnap for 25-26 schedule
  - August 8/14, 8/21, 8/28 at 8:15p
  - September 2,9,16,23,30 at 7:45
  - September 5,12,19,26 at 5:20p
  - October 7,14,21,28 at 7:45p
  - October 3,10,17,24 at 5:20p
  - o Fridays November-February 5:20p. **EXCEPT Jan 30th at 7:15p**

- MVCHA updates to board
  - Send new treasurer info to Katie–Kevin Thole
  - Possibly going to digital scoresheet
  - No changes in rules
  - July 1 is due date for money submitted
  - No changes to All Star Games
  - No more 50/50–they are adding \$350 to each team–teams can still do 50/50 if they want
  - Father McGivney will not have a team this year but will the following year
  - Mascoutah will have a JV team this year
  - Draft date is August 15 paperwork, team needs to commit by August 11
  - JV proposal submitted
- Fundraising committee: Barbie, Rachel, Tonya. Stephanie met in July
  - The fundraising committee has proposed several items. We have decided to order 100 blankets from <u>teamthrows.com</u>. Barbie proposed to order 100 blankets to sell to club members and their families. 2nd: Tonya. Proposal passed and Stephanie P will order blankets.
  - Other fundraising ideas: To have a portion of the grocery raffle ticket sales go to individual player fees.
  - o To give families money toward player fees if they work a shift at Schweizerfest.
  - Other ideas: Game day banners to hang up at HHS & HMS and obtain sponsors to pay for students to get into games. Do a vinyl vertical banner thanking our sponsors. Talked about doing a trivia night, Goldfish races and possibly a chicken & beer dance.
  - Each throw blanket will be \$30.
  - Create a google form with a QR code to the blankets

Financials discussion and recommendation: Kevin

- Kevin looked into QuickBooks. It will be \$420 per year. There was discussion around acquiring that for the club. We have decided not to do this.
- Kevin proposed a flat rate of \$1,000 per player for the 25-26 season. It will still be a \$500 fee for goalies. The proposal passes unanimously.
- Kevin also brought up becoming a 501c3 and looked into doing the legwork. We are currently unincorporated.
- Kevin and Stephanie discussed TeamSnap and an option for a website. The website cost would be \$500 in addition to what we already pay.
  - Kevin proposed paying TeamSnap and the domain for \$500. 2nd: Barbie
  - Proposal passed and Kevin will purchase

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

- Alumni game–November 29th at EAIA
  - Someone new to chair? Let Donny Know if you'd be interested in spearheading this event. Barbie will send an email to the club asking for anyone new to chair and/or shadow Donny & Jill Gunter this year. So far, nobody has stepped up.
- New HBHC banner
  - Ryan Perrine to look into a cloth banner. Cost is approx \$200 and it's a 2 week turnaround. 2 sizes to choose from: 8"x4" or 10" x 4"
- Workouts with Colin
  - Average of 11-13 attending each session per CJ in June
  - From mid June to mid July averaging 15-16 players
  - From mid July to mid August averaging about 15 players per session
- Discuss committees to work on fundraising and handbook
  - Handbook committee: Donny, Stephanie, Steve has not met
- Schedule team pictures earlier with Voegele
  - We have two dates penciled in- September 25th and October 2nd from 5p-6p.
     Will do Sept 25th if jerseys arrive on time. If not, we will do Oct 2nd.
- Gun raffle
  - Our raffle tickets, we have 11 left. Do we want to sell the rest or draw now?
- Golf tourney
  - Golf tournament next year will be July 25, 2026 at Oakbrook. Andy Ammann to chair this again. We have approx 10 more hole sponsors than last year. Still down a few teams to be sold out.
  - Waiting on 3 hole sponsor checks
  - Golf tourney looks to raise just short of \$11,000
- Updates to Program book google doc?
  - Payments due Sunday 8.17.25
- Meet and Greet/Get to Know You–Sunday 9.21.25 at Poplar Junction at 4:00.
  - Board will buy pizzas, soda, and bowling for all players and families.

# Butterbraid/Pizza fundraiser dates and delivery Sell from Monday September 15-Monday October 6 Delivery on Thursday, October 16 at 5:00 at the KC Hall

- FUNDRAISING:
- Team Fundraising:.
  - o Approved
    - Golf Tournament (Andy, lead) July 26, 2025; \$100/per player
      - Sign up sheet = Andy creating
      - Continue to promote sponsorships and teams
    - **Gun Raffle** (*Andy, lead*) Getting 500 tickets printed this time. Drawing after all 500 tickets are sold. The drawing will be August ?, 2025. 2 month sales.
      - Guns bought after at Rural King
      - Cash option
      - Every player will receive 12 raffle tickets and are asked to sell them or buy them. Return all unsold tickets to Andy by date, TBD and sell any unsold tickets at Golf Scramble.
      - Tickets are 1 for \$20 or 3 for \$50
    - **Grocery Raffle** (*Erin*, *lead*) Drawing after all 500 tickets are sold. Do we want to do unlimited? The drawing will be December ?, 2025. 2 month sales.
      - \$1.000 or 2 \$500 ?
      - \$2810 in profit to club
    - Lottery Raffle (Erin, lead) Dec/Jan sales. Donnie to purchase \$250 in scratch off tickets. 500 tickets to be sold at \$10 each with a mandatory ticket sales per player. Erin to help with the board/basket display of them. Length of sales and drawing date was not determined. HOLDING
    - Super Bowl Squares (*Donnie*, lead) Selling squares for Super Bowl. Using the Run Your Pool website. (<a href="https://www.runyourpool.com/">https://www.runyourpool.com/</a>). Profit: \$1,000.
    - Optimist Flags 1 year commitment to Cambridge route. Flags need to be out in the evening prior or early morning of. Flags are in the trailer at EF trucking. Route is on the clipboard. Pull caps out, place flag, put cap on top of flagpoles. Contact is Tom Welz, 314-575-0067. NOT DOING
    - Schweizerfest worked soda and 6-wheel stand.
      - \$650 in profit to club

- Individual Fundraising:
  - o Approved
    - Pizza Sales & Butter Braid Sales (*Jill, lead*) September 22nd sales start. Sale ends 10/14. Delivery Oct 24 at 6p at KC Hall. Using Show Me the Dough Fundraising. (<a href="https://www.showmedough.com/">https://www.showmedough.com/</a>)
      - Profit: individual
    - Laundry Detergent Sales Soap Sales Info

### 2025-26 Board Members

President: Donny Gunter

VP: Steve Oravec Secretary: Barbie Weis Treasurer: Kevin Thole

Registrar/TeamSnap: Stephanie Perrine

Director: Tonya McGrew Director: Rachael Resmann Director: Andy Ammann Director: Ryan Perrine Director: Erin Rinderer

## Gameday Staff

- JV
- o 50/50-
- o Penalty box-
- o Announcer-
- Team rep/Crowd control-
- Facebook Live-

### 2025-26 Chair Persons

Golf Tourney Chair: Andy Ammann

Alumni Game Chair:

Pizza/Butterbraid Chair: Jill Gunter Senior Night Chair: Jr Parents

Kickoff Mtg: Jill Gunter and Stephanie Perrine

**EOY Banquet:** 

Media (Pic's/ Video): Hunter Fridley Fundraising Chair: Erin Rinderer Communications Chair: Barbie Weis

- Varsity
  - o **50/50-**
  - Penalty box-
  - o Announcer-
  - o Team Rep/Crowd Control-
  - o Facebook Live-

#### **Next Meeting**

9.18.25 6:30 at Blue Springs

### <u>Adjourn</u>

Time: 8:18 Motion to Adjourn: Steve Second: Tonya