

December 9, 2024 8:00 PM

Type of Meeting: Board of Directors Monthly Meeting

Location: Brothers Sports Bar & Grill

Invitees: Brian Akashian, Brendan Akashian, Craig Brown, Steve Chambers, Joe Kelly, Mike Ryan, Nicole Lenzi, Courtney Smith, Jay Trovato, Kerri Thumith, Derek Gogas, Dan Tobin

I. Acceptance of Meeting Minutes from November 4th. Motion to accept by Brian Akashian, second by Derek Gogas

II. Officer Reports

- a. President (Trovato)- Congratulations to SQ2, M1, M3 for winning championships in their holiday tournaments. Lake Placid trip was a huge success as all three teams had an incredible weekend. In addition, Riverhawks night and Fleet night at the Tsongas had great turnout from players and families.
- b. Treasurer (Brown)- GLYSA won the Boston Bruins 50/50 Challenge. Winning the challenge allows GLYSA parents and players to sell 50/50 tickets at an upcoming Bruins game. More details to follow on the beneficiary of the 50/50 challenge. GLYSA happy to receive \$2,500 from Super Nick Forever 9, donation to assist families with funding hockey tuition.
- c. Coaching Director (Tobin)

III. Open Business

- a. By-Laws update- Carry forward to January
- b. LTS/P Session 3 starts 12/21
- c. Pictures- Week of January 20th

New Business

- a. Bruins Foundation 50/50 raffle 12/21- In continuation of the Bruins 50/50 Challenge, we are looking to a minimum of 15 people to volunteer. Every GLYSA team is asked to bring 2 families. Arrival for the event is 5pm
- b. Bruins Foundation Income disbursement of fundraising funds to families and plan for grants and 50/50 proceeds- Carry forward to January

Around the Boards

Smith- Parents night out March 1st

Akashian- Lake Placid was such a success, multiple teams should consider traveling to tournaments together.

Akashian- GLYSA to consider hosting a full ice Mite tournament during February vacation.

Thumith- Follow up with TSR on 10% kickback

Kelly-Lock down tryout dates for next meeting and to consider changing how we evaluate.

Akashian-GLYSA success stories from current year to be shared with Inside Lowell social media.

Akashian- Highschool game, Lowell v Dracut to have some youth involvement.

Chambers- Update championship banner and create new signage in Lobby.

- II. Adjournment
- III. Next Meeting: January 6th