Notes- April 28th, 2016

March minutes approved.

Registration Process-

Blue Sombrero- Jason D is looking into whether it is possible for confirmation/registration emails to be sent directly to Jen C- makes it easier for her to track.

Jen C is printing up flyers and giving to Jason to distribute to local preschools(Small Steps and Little Wonders). We discussed reaching out to Holden and Paxton preschools and will hold off for now.

Signage- Jen C sent emails to try and get the electronic billboard sign set up. She has not heard back and is hoping to have this settle by the end of the month.

Website-

We are looking for action shots to put on website- please forward to Jason asap.

Payment accepted on website will be credit card only-

Website is going live on 5/1/16

Sponsors

Jen C has received 3 checks (Sunnyside, Rutland Pharmacy,...)

Raffle

Ken- lots of good donations- Disney World, Revs, Wachusett Mtn, Bravehearts, Old Sturbridge Village, and Red Sox.

Discussion on what kind of raffle to do- settled on a Calendar Raffle- much discussion on how to make it work.

Chris S made a motion that we will "raffle" 2 giveaways for early registration players. Motion received a second. Jason will put the names of all early registration players in a numbered excel spreadsheet and we will pull a number.

4th of July-

Discussion on having a RYS booth or participating in parade.

We are looking for a BOD rep to contact the 4th of July committee and see if booths are available? How much does it cost? What size is the booth? Can we fit a soccer net? Will we sell food?

Player evaluations-

We discussed holding off on evals until coaches are selected. Another suggestion of a "raffle" giveaway for early bird head coach sign up (assistant not eligible). Board members who coach are not eligible to win raffle.

Jason or Wayne will reach out via blue sombrero to last years U8 and up coaches to see if they are interested in coaching again for 2016.

Chris S suggested we get volunteers to help run the eval so that coaches can focus on players. Specifically coaches will not run the evals for their age group.

Motion made and seconded for Caine to order numbered pinneys. We went over pricing and he will order 100.

Player draft will be early July 2016- season will be starting earlier this year.

Giveaways-

Caine is going to order 300 maroon string bags for the U8 and U6 players.

Caine is going to order 60 cases of paint- and ties for the nets.

Chris S will be the RYS rep for the Rutland Heights committee.

Budget-

Jen C went over the budget. Discussion was made on a few line items. Motion made and seconded to accept budget with line item corrections.

Next meeting- 6/2/16 7pm in Library