

**Seneca Valley Lacrosse Association – Board Meeting  
September 20, 2009**

Meeting was called to order at approximately 7:30pm at the Cranberry Twp Park Pavilion.

Board Members in Attendance: Jeff Fyock, President, Doug Cundiff, 1st VP, Barry Rotz 2<sup>nd</sup> VP, Karen Frank, Treasurer, Barbara Schreibeis, Secretary, Phil Culichia, at large and Fred Peterson, at large. SVLA members in attendance; Marc McAndrew, Sue Succup, Pat Sheehy, Ed Wirth, Cece Peterson, Ted Koontz and Rich Dennis.

Mr. Rotz made a motion to approve the minutes from the June 14, 2009, Board meeting, Ms. Frank seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Ms. Frank stated that at the end of August SVLA had \$6,600 in the bank. The budget for 2009 – 2010 was presented and distributed to members in attendance. The budget will be voted on at the next General Board meeting.

Mr. Rotz indicated that SVLA is looking for new coaches for the upcoming season. At the youth level we will continue to use the Grove City coaches. At the middle school level we are expecting 3 teams.

Mr. Fyock stated the there were 59 players participating in fall ball at the high school level and the program is going well. Upcoming travel tournaments include Buffalo, The Pumpkin Classic, W&J and Maryland.

Mr. Cundiff discussed the youth fall ball. Two programs were offered; ILS – intro to lacrosse skills and PDP – for experienced players. Both programs are going very well.

Mr. Culichia stated that the Pumpkin Classic will be held on October 11, 2009. There are 14 teams committed and 6 that are not committed. We are looking for many volunteers. Mr. Rotz will help with the design of the T-Shirt. Rosters for all the teams will be put together and included in a binder for the College Coaches to use.

Ms. Bina Fyock stated that most of the paperwork is in for the Buffalo tournament. For the tournament in Maryland Coach Hoffman will take 28 players and it is by invitation only.

Ms. Succop stated that we will be selling apparel at the Pumpkin Classic and at registration. There also will be two vendors at registration; Queen City Lacrosse and The Pittsburgh Lacrosse Store.

Mr. Cundiff stated that at the Youth level we are looking for more parents that want to be involved in coaching. Parents who are interested will have to go through an education process. Mr. Fyock stated that a lot of work has been done to improve Haine Field at the direction of Mr. Culichia. Funyak Landscaping and a private donor helped make this improvement possible.

Mr. Fyock solicited ideas for topics that would draw more families to attend the General Board meetings. Suggested topics include; Basic Rules of the Game, Lacrosse 101 – Code of Conduct, Common Injuries and Parent Education for families that are interested in College lacrosse.

There was no other new business and the meeting concluded at 8:49pm

Respectfully submitted by:

Barbara K. Schreibeis, Secretary

Future General Meeting: