

Grosse Ile Rowing Committee

Date: October 26, 2006
Start: 7:30 PM
Location: GIHS Library
Meeting Adjourned: 9:10 PM

Board Members in Attendance: Mary Dwyer, Jim Lapointe, Dennis Sitek, John Potas, Pat Duffy, and George Wenneman.

Coaches: Kristen Schmidt

Visitors: Darlene Lamb, Marianne Sitek, Pat and Richard Schmidt, and Al Herfi.

Presidents Report:

Motion made to accept minutes from last meeting by Pat Duffy.

Seconded by Al Herfi.

All approved.

Motion Accepted.

Treasurer Report: See Attached.

Port a boat was sold on EBay for \$710.00, after fees the club netted \$627.00. The Home Coming Program sales netted \$157.00.

Coach Report: Coaches will be attending a Professional Development Workshop this February in Columbus Ohio, sponsored by the Jim Jay Group.

Preseason will begin the Tuesday after Thanksgiving.

Equipment Report: A purchase of a new 8 boat is under review. A Hudson can be purchased for \$25,500.00 with 1/3 due at signing, the next 1/3 due at the end of the 1st year and the remainder due at the end of the second year.

A discussion took place regarding the purchase of a ¾ ton pick up to haul the boat trailer. Pros and cons were discussed and the matter will be tabled for a further discussion at a later date.

The boat trailer will be equipped with surge brakes.

Fund Raising: The Dinner Dance will be held March 31st at the Grosse Ile Country Club. The next meeting is planned for November 2nd.

Fall Bottle Can Drive is planned for November 4th. Postcards were mailed out this past week to Island residents. Due to the construction at Kroger we will not be able to process our bottles and plastics at their location.

New Business Report: Guests, Richard and Pat Schmidt, introduced the Nikken Water System to the group. For more information please go to www.nikken.com.

Next Board Meeting planned for November 29th.

Meeting Adjourned

Motion to adjourn by Mary Dwyer

Seconded by Pat Duffy

All approved. Motion passed.