



MN Vortex/A's Board Meeting

Vision: Most admired girls fastpitch club in the upper Midwest.

Mission: We provide an uncompromising commitment to developing players on and off the field and knowing that the quality of our coaches and the satisfaction of our teams and families is paramount.

Minutes

December 14, 2025

I. Call to Order: 5:33

II. Roll Call: Mike Carter, Jim Leicht, Mike Carter, Reuben Singer, Rich Gross, Becky Sande, Jon Volling, Scott Peterson

III. Agenda Items

- **November Minutes: Approval Motion: Steve Bartz 2nd: Becky S. Approved**
- **Financial**
 - Revenue is up due to more teams, etc.
 - Dome rental a little higher, but all is okay
 - Registrations might be a little behind
 - SOA - is looking good across all teams
 - Waiting on Dome Ball Expenses to come in
 - Teams budgets are looking good.
 - Tax returns have been completed.
 - Tourney coming in by the end of the week.
 - Approval of Financial Minutes: Mike Carter 2nd: Jim L - approved.
- **Uniforms and Apparel Sites Plan**
 - Year round website
 - Winter Apparel delivered
- **Fall team/Coaches Review:**
 - Complete. Was able to talk about players.
- **Winter Training Plans**
 - Working on Metrics and Rapsodo - off and running
 - Make sure the girls are bringing their dev plans
 - Becky has been managing the spreadsheet - been working with new families on signing up properly
 - Long Lake Dome has been working, small area, good reps are happening
 - 2 players were added to the 12U team.
- **Punch List**
- **Dev Team and Dev Coach Updates:**
 - Going well with practices through January more week and then a few tournaments
 - A club level discussion will be happening in January
- **SLP Winter Training Plans.**
 - Jason Rudquist is taking the lead with some of his players. Will be 8 consecutive Sundays.
 - Encouraging SLP to bring own gear
- **Feed My Starving:**
 - Made a donation on behalf of Mia Kapoor and was given an ornament
 - Made a donation on behalf of Jenni Drake and was also given an ornament
- **Lexi Tournament:**
 - Registration opened on Black Friday. Already have 151 teams registered
 - Corcoran has done an update to their fields
 - Awarded toys and had a nice view on KARE 11

- Committee starting up in January
- November 30 - Open House - Went Well, pictures are up, still need a couple of more.
 - Motion to pay our photographer for headshots: Mike, 2nd: Rich. It would be based on an hourly rate.

- **Additional New Business**
 - Heggies Fundraiser: Pick up Feb 19th . Give a month to sell.
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Next Meeting: Sunday, January 18th in person at 5:30 pm

IV. Close of Meeting: Motion: Becky 2nd: Rich