

DY Lacrosse



Booster Club

We are writing on behalf of the Lacrosse Program at Dennis Yarmouth Regional High School, which was started in 2006, as a Club Team, by 2 mothers. They took on the challenge to raise the money needed to buy equipment, pay the coach, pay for buses as well as pay the referees for 4 games. In 2007 the program turned into a varsity sport and became a member of the Atlantic Coast League governed by MIAA rules. At that point there was some hope that there would be school funding, at least for the coach's salary, which is set by the union. The request was turned down, however, the reason being that we had to "wait our turn". Three seasons later we are still a self-funding program, with ever increasing interest and enthusiasm from DY's young players, again relying solely on the generosity of our community in our fundraising efforts.

For five years now Lacrosse has filled a gap and provided a spring sport opportunity for 35-50 boys that otherwise wouldn't have one. Two years ago there was such a large interest that a JV team and coach were needed. This added to the cost structure but it made a lot of young athletes very happy. The 2011 season is projected to run about \$12,000, which covers transportation and referee costs, the coaches' salaries, and various supplies. The money will all be raised by our fundraisers as well as appeals for donations from our community and businesses.

Please consider supporting our program and the enthusiastic group of young men that are a part of it. In helping this organization you would be allowing a great group of young men to continue to participate in a sport that encourages not only teamwork and character building but also requires responsible participation in school and good grades in order to remain on the team. These boys play for the love of the sport, often practicing 6 days a week, rain or shine, working to improve their skills to become the best that they can be on and off the field. Our program not only develops good athletes but also helps to develop traits that lead to success and being a responsible member of our community. Your support would be greatly appreciated!

**We thank you for any contributions that you are able to make
to the DY Lacrosse Team.**

Most sincerely,
DY Lacrosse Boosters

DONATIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTABLE!

Please make checks out to:

Dennis Yarmouth High School Athletics (Attn: Gifts to LAX)

(This must be specified so that it goes into the proper account)

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