

NOE 2 Chapter Business Meeting
October 13, 2026

Meeting called to order at :8:02

Accept minutes as read from Sept meeting, please read from website Patrick, 2nd Cheryl

1. President: Allen Tanko spoke about our Nomination Committee Neil, Rita and Amanda are reaching out to members to help fill the positions up for election and the various NFHS Officials Association awards that might go to a deserving member within our chapter who are dedicated and have helped bring field hockey. Allen read the memo from the state, all state associations can nominate, nomination forms are online, due Nov 15, NFHS National contributor award, all states can nominate, NFHS officials citation award-officials contributing at highest level-each state 1 nominee who impacted on NFHS and other organizations. Lets look at our members to see if we have some...
2. Vice-President: Cheryl discussed some of what Lesley wanted stressed for County and State Tie breaker was sent to all members, have it with you printed, speak to illegal intentionally lifted ball: reverse stick lift-illegal, only legal if shot on goal, Ball must cross goal line at 18 inches, first hit on corner
3. Treasurer: Balance: \$1471, Dues: \$55 before 11/15/2026, if after 11/15 Dues will be \$65.00 3/4 members paid dues for next year via Venmo or send check to Jane, pay state for taxes, and zoom bill
4. Corresponding Secretary: JoAnn did not have anything for the good of the chapter
5. Recording Secretary/Senior Chair Kitty reminded all to email chapter if unable to attend our October Business Meeting, asked members to please read the minutes on the website as they are posted there, spoke about concerns raised by assignor, coaches, other chapters and partners and will email all the concerns she spoke about. Kitty asked all Seniors to please complete ratings and send to chapter email.
6. Cadet/Junior Chair: Nora reminded all cadets/juniors to complete all ratings and speak about saying No to a game from the assignor if a Varsity game or a game unsure they should be on. Ongoing shortage of officials created a shortage for games but keep in mind our constitution states Juniors can accept any level under Varsity, discussed with Carol, plus other assignors have asked Nora about who can do a Varsity game. Feedback has been given to all. Nora will share with anyone who wishes to hear what has been given to assignors. Sr/Jr partnerships have worked out well. Some negative feedback from juniors, ad, coaches and partners, Constitution requires radios, strongly recommended for all other but is mandated for Varsity games. Very similar with concerns Sr. chair spoke about...reflect on self and finish better than earlier this season. Aspire higher-best place to be successful even if a lop sided game.
7. Rules Interpretation: Lesley had JoAnn send all a copy of the OT procedures, plus Table Side official duties, and wish all to be aware of having a good pre-game and including aials in discussion

question/answers from members if time permits

Rita commented on day of rain, apple watch died, while Neil reached out to membership for nominees or even nominate self.

motion adjourn Sanjay, Cheryl 2nd

November will be the final and will decide on date.