**Dallastown High School Girls Lacrosse Club**

**By-Laws**

**MISSION STATEMENT:**

Our primary goal is to develop student-athletes of character and integrity who will serve as positive members of the school community and the greater society. This program has a strong foundation built on the values of family, community, and positive attitudes. All members of the program will strive to uphold this tradition through hard work, professionalism, and loyalty.

**1. ORGANIZATION**

1. The name of the organization shall be Dallastown High School Girls Lacrosse Club (otherwise known as DHSGLC).
2. The organization may at its pleasure by a vote of the Dallastown High School Girls Lacrosse Club Officers change its name.

**2. PURPOSES**

1. The main principle of funding by a nonprofit is that the booster club may not discriminate in making grants to students on the basis of their family’s membership in or funding to the club, or the family’s fund-raising or time put into club activities**.**
2. Its main function is to develop support for the student program.
3. The purpose of the DHSGLC is to provide support and encouragement to our coaches and student athletes in the DHSGLC. To promote school spirit, athletic excellence, and quality sportsmanship while representing DHSGL at home and away games.

**3. MEMBERSHIP**

1. Membership in this organization shall be open to all Dallastown High School Girls Lacrosse Team Coaches, Officers, Players and Team Managers.

**4. OFFICER POSITIONS**

The initial officers of the organization shall be as follows:

President - Student Athlete Vice-President - Student Athlete

Secretary - Student Athlete Treasurer - Adult Only

1. Officer positions will be decided by DHSGLC Coaching Staff. Nominations will be voluntary and be decided by the team/athletes at the first practice after team selection.
2. Term Limits will be coordinated with the current Girls Lacrosse Season (March – June of the current school year).

**The President shall:**

1. Preside at all meetings of the club.
2. Perform such other duties as may be prescribed in these by-laws or assigned by the

Coaches.

1. Be a member of all committees.

**The Vice-President shall:**

1. Act as an aide to the President.
2. Perform the duties of the president in the absence or inability of that officer to serve.

**The Secretary shall:**

1. Record the minutes of all meetings of the club and made available on the Dallastown Girls Lacrosse Moodle Site.
2. Keep a current copy of the by-laws.
3. Maintain a membership list.
4. Handle all correspondence.
5. Perform other delegated duties as assigned.

**The Treasurer position will be held by an adult. He/She shall:**

1. Have custody of all funds of the club, and keep a full and accurate account of all receipts and expenditures.
2. Make disbursements as authorized by the Head Coach.
3. Present a financial statement at every meeting of the club and at other times when requested by the Head Coach.
4. Have accounts examined annually or upon change of officer by an auditor. If satisfied that the treasurer’s annual report is correct, the auditor shall sign a statement of that fact at the end of the report.

Head Coach will oversee all DHSGLC Officers. JV Asst. Head Coach will oversee all DHSGLC Officers in Head Coaches’ absence.

**5. MEETINGS**

Meetings will take place bi-monthly during the regular lacrosse season. Dates will be determined pending game schedule for current season.

**6. VOTING**

Any matter deemed necessary to be voted on as per the DHSGLC Coaching Staff, will be subject to a majority vote by the club members.

**7. FUNDRAISERS**

1. ALL fundraising monies raised will benefit all team athletes equally (excluding any Scholarship funds offered which will have their own requirements).
2. Any committee(s) needed will be appointed by DHSGLC Coaching Staff.
3. Any fundraising/charity events using the Dallastown Girls Lacrosse Team/Name to raise funds must be approved by the Head Coach.
4. Any items designed to be sold for such events or to team/club members must be approved by the Head Coach.

**8. SCHOLARSHIPS**

1. A portion of fundraising monies will be set aside for a scholarship fund.
2. The scholarship amount, if any, will be determined based on the financial situation of the club.
3. The qualifications/requirements for the scholarship will be added to the by-laws by March 5, 2012 and will be determined by the Coaching Staff.

**9. ORDER OF BUSINESS**

1. Roll Call.
2. Reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting.
3. Reports of Officers/Committees.
4. Old and Unfinished Business.
5. New Business.
6. Adjournments.

**PRESIDENT** **VICE-PRESIDENT**

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**SECRETARY** **TREASURER**

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