

Hello,

My name is Ryan Curry, and I am notifying you of my intent to run for the Treasurer position on the LCAHA BOD.

Following my retirement from the U.S. Coast Guard, my family and I have lived in the LC Valley for three years now and have been welcomed into the LCAHA Hockey family. We have four LCAHA players in our family and we are eager to continue to be involved in our new hockey home and contribute to the development and expansion of the LCAHA.

I am a social person who enjoys being around others and would thoroughly enjoy the challenges and rewards of working alongside those organizing, completing, and seeing the fruits of our labors in fundraising and financial management for both the general LCAHA fund as well as for individual teams.

I would like to see our organization represented in other areas of our community from Round Up, to Hot August Nights, and NIAA World Series to name a few. There is a TON of opportunities out there to raise money and I feel I can provide input to the Director of Fundraising, Coaches, Players, and Parents to guide us in that direction.

I have several ideas I would like to see come to realization during both the off season and during our extremely busy hockey season. With the new and more demanding volunteer requirements within the LCAHA Bylaws my intention is assist the Director of Fundraising in developing an ever-expanding list of opportunities for family members and players to get involved on and off the ice and avoid the financial penalties associated with not meeting the volunteer requirements.

I volunteered to head up the rewriting of the LCAHA Bylaws and worked with coaches and parents from all age groups along with consulting with members from the BOD of Moscow, CDA, and McCall and as a result our team was able to produce a set of Bylaws which passed by a 70% margin. Understanding we cannot make everyone happy, we organized, negotiated, and compromised to produce a quality product that was designed for the overall benefit of the association which, is why we are all here.

Thanks to my heavy involvement with the LCAHA Bylaws I am well versed in USA Hockey, IAHA, and LCAHA rules, regulations, and requirements. We can operate within these rules and use them for our benefit.

My goal is to accelerate LCAHA's transition to a growing and sustainable hockey association by:

1. Managing funds to ensure the continuation of LCAHA.
2. Continue to raise capital and the prioritization of the relocation and/or drastic improvement to LCAHA facilities.
3. Create a surplus to provide financial assistance outside of current scholarships to those players less fortunate than others enabling them to enjoy the greatest game on earth. (Registration fees, equipment purchase, etc.)
4. Alleviate the financial costs to our parents associated with our sport through the offset of tournament fees, team parties, private skates, and professional instruction on and off the ice.

I hope I can earn your support,

V/r

Ryan Curry

Freedom is not doing what you want, when you want.
Freedom is going without what you want and being OK with it.
-Pastor Caleb Anderson-

