

Board of Directors

Massachusetts Youth Rugby Organization, Inc. (MYRO) is looking to add a number of at-large Directors to its Board of Directors (BOD). The new roles have been created due to two members of MYRO's existing board having reached their term limits and two new roles being created to reflect the increased need for focus on fundraising, without overly burdening any given Director.

The BOD will consist of 9 Directors, two of whom, the President and Treasurer, are from the leadership of MYRO itself, the other 7 are at-large directors, the open roles are at-large director roles.

History

MYRO was founded in 2010 with a twofold mission: to grow youth rugby in MA by being an overseeing organization that promotes youth rugby and provides help and support to youth rugby clubs, both established and new in MA. And to make rugby a Varsity sport in conjunction with the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletics Association, this being achieved in 2016. The first State, and only to date, in the country to recognize rugby as a varsity sport.

MYRO is the state youth rugby organization for MA in the USA Youth and High School Rugby and as such is responsible for all youth rugby and, in partnership with MIAA all High School rugby sanctioned by USA Rugby in MA.

MYRO continues to serve new and established youth and high school clubs with approximately 25 clubs and 550 players registered in 2019 (there were no clubs or players registered in 2020 due to COVID-19).

Responsibilities

The BOD of MYRO are responsible for:

1. Developing revenue and marketing plans to maintain the fiscal health of MYRO
2. Arranging, implementing and managing fundraising activities
3. Assisting the MYRO officers with long term, strategic planning
4. Ensuring that MYRO remains focused on its mission; and
5. Working with the MYRO officers to align annual operations with long term goals.
6. Attend online meetings held approximately every 12 weeks, and as required to address more urgent or unexpected matters.

Term

Directors terms are for two years, and may be extended for an additional two terms as agreed by the BOD and start on January 1.

Submission

Submit resume and letter of interest to President@myrugby.org. Email or call 978 206 1006 for more information.