

Smithers Minor Hockey Association

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EXECUTIVE MEETING

Date: October 12, 2022

Executive Present:

Matt Bruintjes	X	Darcie Frocklage	X	Alysia Tashoots	
Nick Murray		Ian Meier		Ted Owens	
Amanda Green	X	Kristen Pederson	X	Danielle Stevens	X
Heather Trigiani	X	Sandra Mellace	X	Dan Vinnish	
Brendan Hutchinson	X	Shirley White	X	Kirsten Seymour	X
Amanda Bruintjes	X				

Call to Order: 7:00 pm

Errors or Omissions:

Motion to Accept the Minutes: Sandra makes a motion. Darcie seconds it. All in favor. Carried.

Correspondence

- Nothing to report.

REPORTS

President:

- We did not get U13 Championships. They were awarded to North Vancouver.

Past President:

- Nothing to report.

Vice President:

- Nothing to report.

Head Coach/Technical Director:

- U13 recreation has 22 skaters and one goalie.
- U9 is looking to send two teams to a PG tournament. They have a Tier 1 and Tier 2 division. Could divide them by first year and second year.

- Reached out to Ty Edmunds about goalie instruction. Still don't have anything back from him.
- I am still keen to do a skills comp and a development day.
- Would be nice to do a coach development session in December and maybe another one in March.
- All coaches are in place. Most coach support that we've had in years.

Ice Coordinator:

- As of September 30th, ice is confirmed until December 31st. Teams will be the hook for any ice cancellations. We should enforce this.
- Asked for some leeway with the Town on tournament weekends.
- League schedules are out. Managers are aware of the schedule. Division managers should be aware that there is a fine if you don't show up for league games.
- I have sent tournament ice to U7 and U11.

Registrar:

- 253 registrants
- Female - 25 returning and 11 new players
- Schedule is set for photo night
- T3 tournament went fine.

Bookkeeper:

- \$108,000 for registration fees, includes bags and skills.
- All signs in the new arena are not being paid for. We are going to work with the figure skating club. Will ask sign sponsors if they want to sponsor figure skating or minor hockey.
- We got the insurance quote for the executive room \$1100.
- We received a check from the Rotary club for \$1500.
- \$11,437 for the first ice bill.
- Bank balance \$234,924

BC Gaming Coordinator:

- Submitted the application for the online raffle. Should start on November 22.
- Also submitted the raffles for the first half of the season. Still needing to do the raffles for rep league games.
- We can't have unclaimed raffle money. We will use a big board for raffles going forward instead of tickets.

Head Referee:

- Nothing to report.

Equipment Manager:

- Pucks are about 2 weeks away.
- Jerseys are ordered but haven't hear back when they will be in.
- Socks have been ordered.
- White goalie pucks are in the new rink.
- Post covers are in new and old rink. Coaches can grab them for practice.

Tournament Coordinator/Statistician:

- Nothing to report.

Female Coordinator:

- Female ice starts Thursday, October 13th. Jerseys are here. We have lots of 2015-2017 kids.

Safety and Risk Manager:

- I am waiting for HCR and then we will upload EPACT.

Volunteer Coordinator:

- Nothing to report.

Sponsorship:

- Safeway shafted us for the T3 tournament. In the past we have received \$360 but this year \$100.
- Tim Hortons is giving me a hard time. Haven't heard back from them.
- I have been on a quest to find some silver sponsors (\$350 in swag). We have 6 tournaments that don't have sponsors.
- Skeena Resources have committed to sponsoring U15 rec. Tyhee Dental picked up U9 sponsorship.

Old Business:

- Nothing to report.

New Business:

- Will reach out to Troy Larden. \$1800 to go to a female jamboree.
- Lots of discussion on hockey culture and where we want to go as an association. Ian to put together a statement that we can share with the membership.

Meeting Adjourned: 9:40 pm

Next meeting: November 9, 2022 @ 7pm