

**MINNESOTA HOCKEY OFFICIALS ASSOCIATION
FALL MEETING**

September 26, 1992 at Grand Rapids, Minnesota

The meeting was called to order at 1:03 p.m. by President Leslie.

Meeting Roll Call

Present:

M.H.O.A. President.....	Bill Leslie
M.H.O.A. Vice President/South.....	Ted Olson
Twin Cities District.....	Mike Maloney
District 2.....	Dean Nybakke
District 3.....	Darrell Gedney (for Gregg Wohlers)
District 4.....	Mike Wallace
District 5.....	"Skip" Trumble
District 6.....	Brad Trumble
District 8.....	Paul Moen
District 10.....	Bruce Carlson
District 16.....	"Buzz" Olson

Absent:

M.H.O.A. Vice President/North.....	"Butch" Glesner
MinnKota Referee-In-Chief.....	Dick Haney
Iron Range District.....	Mike Riley
District 15.....	Matt Brenk

Secretary's Report

The minutes of the 1992 Spring Meeting were reviewed. Paul Moen, seconded by "Buzz" Olson, moved to accept the minutes as written. The motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report

The Financial Report for the period of April 25, 1992, through September 26, 1992, was distributed. A balance of \$6,337.79 was reported. Ted Olson, seconded by "Buzz" Olson, moved to accept the Financial Report as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

President's Report

- ♦ Bill was pleased to report that M.A.H.A. now recognizes the president of M.H.O.A. as the M.A.H.A. Referee-In-Chief - - another indication of the acceptance that we are gaining with M.A.H.A.

President's Report (continued)

- ♦ The USA Hockey National Bantam "A" Tournament will be held in Grand Forks and the National Junior "B" Tournament will be held in Bloomington during April 1993.
- ♦ Bill talked about the first M.H.O.A. Summer Officials Camp held at St. Cloud. It was huge a success and thanked the instructors; "Butch" Glesner, "Buzz" Olson, Ted Olson and "Skip" Trumble.

MinnKota Referee-In-Chief Report

Bill presented the report in Dick's absence.

- ♦ There were 1,535 registered officials in Minnesota in 1991/1992 out of a total of 1,849 registered in the USA Hockey MinnKota District.
- ♦ If you have any playing rules changes for the next rule book, please give to Bill by the end of January 1993.
- ♦ The official's social security number will be required on your application.
- ♦ New warm up suits for Supervisors/Seminar Staff will be coming from USA Hockey. The cost will be approximately \$30.00 per person.
- ♦ A national official's evaluation program has been developed by USA Hockey and should be implemented in 1993.
- ♦ If you are invited to speak at a CAP Seminar, explain "Zero Tolerance for Verbal Abuse" and what it means for players and coaches.
- ♦ The seminar attendance sheets must be sent in! Send to Bill for all south seminars and send to "Butch" for all north seminars.
- ♦ The MinnKota District Officials Seminar is being held this weekend in Duluth.

Old Business

The membership complimented Bill for his organization of the first M.H.O.A. Summer Officials Camp.

Ted Olson, seconded by Brad Trumble, moved to accept the changes to the M.H.O.A. by-laws as presented at the April 1992 meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

New Business

Discussion - 1993 M.H.O.A. Camp. Should we have a camp next year? Who should be selected to attend? Who can instruct? Where will it be?

The membership suggested that Bill work with M.A.H.A. and work toward holding another camp next summer.

Motion by Ted Olson, seconded by "Skip" Trumble, to host another camp in the summer of 1993. Motion passed unanimously.

Discussion - M.H.O.A. Dues. USA Hockey will be registering all officials through the national office next year. How do we collect our dues? Collect at the seminars? Do we need a membership card?

Discussion - Next Year's Seminars. How will we distribute the seminar dates? Bill directed all Supervisors to set up ice time and meeting rooms early so Dick can get this information to USA Hockey to be included in the registration mailing.

Discussion - Game Reports. Many examples were related about game reports not being sent to the home district of an offending player or coach. The supervisors must ensure that all incidents are reported!

Discussion - Racial Remarks. Mike Maloney related the increasing problem of racial slurs directed at players on the ice. Be aware and apply "Zero Tolerance" whenever there are racial, religious and/or gender slurs directed at players.

There being no further business, "Buzz" Olson, seconded by Ted Olson, moved to adjourn.

The meeting adjourned at 3:34 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Dean Nybakke

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