

MBA Storm Joint Operations Committee
Meeting minutes
December 4, 2006
Benson Civic Center

Attending: Attending: Jodi Crandall, Steve Delehanty, Sue Helberg, Mike Lee, Jim Rentz, Barb Schwarz, Dan Aarhus, Juanita Staples, Scott Schwendemann, Troy Kennedy

November meeting minutes distributed and reviewed, no changes

Financial report was provided by Ann Vipond. There was no request for additional funds for the joint account.

Subcommittee reports:

a. Registration –

Mike asked a question about charging High School players from outside the school district for ice time. There was considerable discussion about the difference in fees from both schools. Juanita suggested that they just be held accountable for the fee that they are billed by the respective high school and the jersey use fee.

Mike moved that MBA Storm will not charge players from outside the school district additional fees for ice time, however, if they are willing to make a donation to the program it will be deposited directly into the MBA Storm Account. Juanita amended the motion to include the jersey use fee clause and a note stating that the player(s) will be responsible for all fees charged by the respective high school(s).

The amended motion read: The MBA Storm hockey program will not charge player(s) from outside the school district additional fees for ice time, however, they will still be charged a jersey use fee and will be responsible for all fees charged by the respective high school(s). If they are willing to make a donation to the program it will be accepted and will be deposited directly into the MBA Storm Account. Jim seconded. Motion carried.

b. Hockey operations

There was some discussion on coaching conduct (helmets, throwing equipment, etc.). Jim Kennedy has expressed interest in setting up a meeting with the coaches during the week of the 18th. Jim Rentz will work with Jim K. It was decided that coaches conduct issues would be discussed at the meeting.

Mike said he has also received a new video for coaches to watch.

Mike asked about purchasing water bottles for the teams, it was decided that all players would be on their own for water bottles this year. Mike did note that he had purchased bottles for the high school teams.

c. Scheduling – nothing to report

d. Communication – nothing to report

e. Grievance – no grievances

New Business

Barb S will be contacting all new coaches and getting sweatshirts or pants ordered for them.

Coach Lowe had submitted a proposal for the Storm to purchase equipment for the high school teams and warm ups the Bantams. After considerable discussion, the boards consensus was that most schools do not buy equipment for their teams and we have other issues that need addressing first.

Troy Kennedy said that he had purchased a bag for goalie equipment for the Squirt team and wondered if the Association would be interested in keeping the bag after the season. Scott moved that we purchase the bag to keep the Goalie equipment in permanently. Sue seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Troy will need to get a receipt to Ann for reimbursement.

Next meeting January 2th 5:30pm at Morris

Submitted by Jodi Crandall