

**Present:** Wade Chiodo, Matt Menne, Tracy Pogue, Scott Andersen, Neil Huewe, Tony Mannausau, Tom Kuesel

**Absent:** Dave Larson

1. HDC Committee welcomes Tom Kuesel as new member of the HDC. Tom is the Presidents designee to the committee and Tracy will stay on as a secretary and liaison to the BYHA Board.
2. Mite Program
  - a. Tony Mannausau is the Mite Representative on the HDC and will serve as the conduit between the Mite Coordinator (Craig Larson) and the HDC.
  - b. HDC understands that acceptance by some in the membership regarding ADM principles and cross ice hockey has been slow, but is committed to this program from USA Hockey.
  - c. USA Hockey has agreed to provide a on ice seminar and off-ice clinic to members and coaches of BYHA. More info to follow.
  - d. Reminder to all, ADM can be further studied at [www.admkids.com](http://www.admkids.com)
  - e. Mentor program for parents was discussed and more info to follow
  - f. Goalie rotation at Mite level must include 8u girls as the girls need to develop goalies as well.
3. 14U and JV
  - a. Coach Menne will be researching this topic and announcing which way the HS will go for 2011-12.
  - b. Only three 14U teams in the district this year and it appears less next year.
  - c. Numbers at each level are a concern
  - d. More to follow as plan from HS is announced this Spring.
4. Squirt Coordinator for 2011-12 will be Chris Justice. Chris is former Bemidji High School coach and a teacher at BHS.
5. Quantity of each age group level for 2011-12 were discussed and a sketch is in place for number of teams, number of coaches needed, etc. This is a moving target and cannot fully be completed until end of registration, but HDC has good grip on this at this time.
6. Coaches Evaluations for this year will once again go out the last few weeks of the season or shortly after.
7. Next meeting will be scheduled after season as District, Regions and High School playoffs are looming. Good luck JACKS!