Present: Tracy Pogue, Neil Huewe, Tom Kuesel, Dan Alto, Wade Chiodo,

Absent: Dave Larson, Tony Mannausau, Scott Andersen

1. USA Hockey & MN Hockey ADM Clinic

a. ADM Clinic will be presented to BYHA Mite parents on October 14th at the BCA

- b. One hour of on the ice instructions with the kids
- c. One hour in the class room
- d. Special speakers will be coming to Bemidji to present this program and answer questions
- e. Form much more info click here http://www.admkids.com/

2. Coaches 2011-12

- a. Watch BYHA website for coach announcements
- b. Training and registration online info coming this week and will be posted online.

3. All Coaches Meeting

- a. Tentative date is September 29th
- b. Time and location pending
- c. This will be MANDATORY MEETING as there are many new registrations, background checks, etc. that must be learned, filled out and gathered.

4. Scheduling

- a. October Hockey schedule is completed and is posted on BYHA site here.
- b. D16 scheduling is in process
- c. Watch BYHA website for your schedule

5. "Sweet Hockey" has arrived!

- a. Included in membership this year is the all new SWEET HOCKEY video library.
- b. Click on the tab at the top of the BYHA Website titled SWEET HOCKEY and follow the instructions for your age group or <u>click here</u>.
- c. We believe off-ice training makes the player better. Players have to learn how to train to be a hockey player and understand the importance of off-ice training. If you think of the best shooters on a team, they didn't develop that skill only from on-ice coaching or practice. They have a place to shoot off the ice and they do it regularly, on a consistent basis.
- d. Our on-line stick handling program gives the player the structure and purpose, but the success of the program comes down to their self-motivation and time spent on getting better.
- e. The video library is broken down into weekly drills. Watch each of the drills, print the training plan, practice and become a better hockey player!

6. Parent Meetings for Squirt & Peewee

- a. MANDATORY parent meetings for each age groups will be held by HDC
- b. Date is October 17, 2011
 - i. ALL Squirt parents –BHS Lumberjack room 5:30PM-6:30PM
 - ii. ALL Peewee parents –BHS Lumberjack room 7:000PM-8:00PM
 - iii. These meetings will go over the tryout process and team make up process in detail to inform parents ahead of time of how this all works.
 - iv. One parent or guardian of each player is required to attend this meeting
 - v. More info will be coming to all members once registration is completed

7. Goalie Coach/Coordinator

- a. New goalie coach/helper is on board and Tom Kuesel will coordinate
- b. HDC passionate about having extra coaching for all BYHA goalies

8. Mite Program

- a. Mite coordinator Craig Larson is working season
- b. Important dates/events will be part of his duties
- c. Coaches should contact Craig Larson ASAP to start getting info craig.Larson@ihs.gov

9. Tournaments

- a. Each coach will have to coordinate their own out of town tournaments
- b. Each coach is also asked to help fill their specific home tournament
- c. This is off to a bit of a slow start on both and extra help is needed.
- d. Much more info on tournaments can be found <u>here</u>

10. Upcoming Meetings & Dates

- a. Sep 29th (All coaches meeting time and place TBD)
- b. Oct 3rd (Hockey begins at BCA!)
- c. Oct 9th 7PM (HDC Meeting Kuesel Law Office Downtown Bemidji)
- d. Oct 14th (ADM clinic and classroom meeting) time TBD
- e. Oct 17th (Squirt and Peewee parent meeting)