

Minutes 2.20.14

Members Present:

John Laliberte, Rob Young, Julie Miller-Johnson, Dan Forcier, Gerry Cincotta, Bruce Garrapy, Jenn McFaul, Matt Clark, Patrick Burke, Laura Zambarano

Visitors:

Missy Barnier, Jackie Palmer

Call to Order: 7:12

Minutes approved, Rob made motion, Laura seconded.

VISITOR DISCUSSIONS

None

TREASURERS REPORT

None - Fraser not present

ICE

- All is good
- Rob thinks we might be under budget

FUNDRAISING

- Gerry has confirmed that if we can sell dasher boards at a cost of \$750 to EYHA, plus production costs (so we net the sales revenue over these costs) and is working on getting speck sheet created by working with Noel.
- Discussion had about dividing up fundraising into multiple people. It is something to consider.
- Snack cart, one person did contact John about parking a food truck in the lot. John gave him Noel's information. John never heard anything further.

VSAHA

- Vice President wants to form a committee on how to make state tournament better. Matt will make a sub committee to gather feedback to bring to state. Matt will email folks once he has a date.
- Bruins 1 on 1 information will be posted on the website.

REFEREES

- All good.

REGISTRAR

- Dan needs everyone's books in his hands to do credentialing.
- Dan will work on projections for next year.
- Rob would like #'s on '99 and above
- We will have a Midget program. Everyone MUST sign up through EYHA. We will welcome who ever wants in, but if you don't register through EYHA you will not play.

TRAVEL

- Matt will put out a note to coaches on tournaments.
- Discussion had regarding evaluations. Lot said about character and attitude. It was suggested that we strengthen our "tool kit" for coaches to make sure that all EHYA policies are followed. It was suggested that EYHA work on creating common language for coaches by revisiting the coaching handbook.

HOUSE

- Jen gave trophy boxes to John
- Fraser will send Jen a check to cover cost of trophies.

WOMEN

- 2.22 Try Hockey for Free event, Carney and John on ice.
- 6/24-26 Taste of Hockey through EJRP
- Essex Parks Lady Hornets camp for middle grades 7/20, 7/27, 8/3 and 8/10. One hour on ice each day 4-5. Cost only \$40
- Discussion had about configuration for girls program next year. Julie and Bruce both prefer to keep girls in house. Select programs are killing girls programs. The plan is to move forward with U10, U12 and U14.
- Jackie Palmer came to share thoughts on the coop and girls hockey.
- Missy Barnier suggested more opportunities to have all girls on ice together through out season.

HEAD COACH

None

NEW BUSINESS

- Small discussion around making a donation to Harwood Youth Hockey Association. Discussion to continue.
- Weston Lee award discussed and voted on. John will share results later.
- Gerry working on the sportsmanship award
- Open positions include: President, Tournament Director, Head Coach, Fundraising, Ice-Coordinator. John will put a letter out to the association regarding open positions.

NEXT MEETING, March 20th, 7pm @ EHS

MEETING ADJOURNED

9:56