



## August 19th, 2014 PDC Meeting Minutes

**Ice Schedulers-** Ice Schedulers Kevin Mooney and Marsha Meed came to meeting to assist for the upcoming season.

1. Fall Clinic clinics will begin around Mid September. Groups will be Bantams, PeeWees, Squirts and 10U/12U
2. Goalie Clinic will be October 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup>.
3. Practice times for season will utilize 1.5 hour blocks with Dryland schedule either on the front or Back end of practice with 30 min shared ice.
4. Skills night will be grouped in both rinks. Alternating rinks. Based on numbers this season we will not break up groups based on rink for peewee, bantam or 12U/10U the Mites and the squirts will skate at the same time in the closest rink to the player. Goalies will alternate Rinks weekly to mirror the High School Boys team. The Goalie skills night will be facilitated by the High School Goalie Coach/ River Lakes Goalie coordinator Brent Waldermarsen.

**Fall Clinic Planning-** Coaches in charge of Fall Clinic are:

10U/ 12U- Mitch Sweep and Rand Roeske  
Squirts- Kevin Mooney and Jeremy McDonough  
PeeWeess- Aaron Stellmach and Henry Blattner  
Bantams- Dave Johnson and Steve Lemke

All coaches in Charge will be responsible for written practice plans for approximately 7 fall clinic sessions. Each session will have a minimum of 15 mins dedicated to Power Skating and 15 mins dedicated to puck handling and passing. The remainder of the session can cover the other aspects of the game they feel necessary to prepare players for the upcoming season.

**Girls Coordinator replacement:** Mitch Sweep gave his formal resignation as Girls coordinator. Rand Roeske was present at the PDC meeting and expressed interest in the open position. Because the position is a voting position on the PDC it will be opened to any eligible member of the association it will be posted after the upcoming board meeting. The goal is to have the position filled by Tryouts weekend October 11 and 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Preliminary Tryout plans and organization:**

Final dates of October 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> are on the Web for tryouts. Each group will have 3 sessions and one Goalie specific session. There will be 2 sessions on the 1<sup>st</sup> the 1<sup>st</sup> session will be a skills session and the second will be a controlled scrimmage. After the sessions on the 1<sup>st</sup> players will be re-grouped based on evaluations for the final session on Sunday October 11<sup>th</sup>. The new groups will be posted on the WEB page as soon as possible Saturday evening. Results of the Tryouts will be posted Sunday evening. Outside evaluators Jack Freeman and Todd Bjork will be at all sessions. PDC members will make up the remainder of the evaluators. As always evaluators may not evaluate at the level of their son/daughter.

**Squirt team declaration discussion and decision:** At the request of D5 we discussed tiered squads at the squirt level. D5 is offering A, B1, B2, and C levels this season. After discussion a unanimous decision was made to field B1 and B2 squads this season.. That decision will be relayed to D5 through Henry Blattner. Away tournament selections will be adjusted between the ACE and Kimberly Cremers.

**Mite program-** Preliminary- Mike Tangen will be the IP Coordinator this season with Noah Brunlett as Mite coordinator in Paynesville and Kevein Mooney as the Mite Coordinator in Richmond. The focus this season will be communication and consistency between both rinks to continue with the development of our mites through the ADM Model.

**D5 question for River Lakes: How many district games do we want for Squirt – Bantam:**

After significant discussion it was decided that River lakes would like between 12-16 games scheduled by D% for the 2014-15 season.