

BYHA Hockey Development Committee Meeting

3-11-15

Present: Corey Rupp, Wade Chiodo, Tom Kuesel, Kurt Knott, Neil Huewe, Scott Anderson, Tony Mannausau

Absent: Jackie Robertson, Amber Fryklund

- Wade Chiodo 2014-15 MN State High School Coach of the Year! – Congrats Coach Chiodo
- 2015-16 Player Projections – Discussed Projections for next year for players and teams. Projections are as follows:
 - Bantam – 29 players – 2 teams
 - Peewee – 38 players – 3 teams
 - 12U – 7 players – Need work to do to get team
 - 10U – 9 players – 1 teams
 - Squirts – 41 players – 4 teams
 - Mites – 82 players returning
- Coaches – Need to start looking for coaches. S squirt group could be light and will need at least a couple additional peewee coaches
- Coach's feedback – HDC is working to schedule a post-season meeting with all head coaches. Need their feedback on season and program changes for next year.
- Coach Evaluations – Working to send out. Will require person to put name on them and will be shared with the coaches.
- Program Changes – Need to have dedicated goalie nights. We were 40 hours over on ice rent at City need to debrief and stay to budget. May need additional ice for termites & mites if registration is large this year.
- State Tournament Team – Discussion around why this team had success. Core to why is the commitment level from the parents and kids. They all loved outdoor and did the off-season work to get there. Also was a group that was very committed to skill development through careers. We are going to record a video with Lietner, Forseth, Eickstadt, Heller and Serratore to educate parents. These players are all likely D1 kids and what did they do?
- Mite & Squirt Travel – Discussion on if there is too much travel for mites and squirts. Everyone felt this year was strong and appropriate amount of travel happened.
- Squirt B2 – Discussed season due to feedback of frustrations. Ideal plan would be 4 squirt teams even if had to move mites up and do A, B1 and two equal B2 teams. If not need to classify and schedule as C team. Will increase travel.
- Next meeting April 13, 2015 6:30am - BCA