



Greensboro Youth Hockey Association

Minutes of Meeting Monthly Board Meeting 11/18/13

Board Members Attendance;

Chris Hudson – Present
Wendy Connor - Present
Pam Willoughby-Ray – Present
Angie Barr - Absent
Keith Spours – Present
Kelly Curl – Present
Don Johnson – Present
Gidget Stevens – Present
Paul Bilodeau - Present (Minutes)

Guests in Attendance;

Chris Bathgate
Matt Weiland
Rick Lyon

Please report any errors or omissions

ITEM	REPORT	Pg1 of 2
U16 Parent Request/Concern	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requested National Championship Rings May be subsidized by parents of players, estimated \$200-300/ring 22 rings needed Amendment to a by-law so that any National Championship team will receive a ring Bauer/Nike/Easton for possible sponsorship? Perhaps rings + option Kelly to check with Canes organization Paul will talk to ring manufacturer for cost and direction 	
Election Feedback	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paul, Wendy commented that process went smoothly Wendy – perhaps annual meeting would have been a better venue. Chris – Vote in April would have been stronger if voter participation if conducted in April, when arrears parents are not left out. Has new election process been approved as a new by-law? YES. 	
Registrar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pam will send registrars report to CHL. 	
Non-Profit Organization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pam – Transferring contact information to Pam for not-for-profit status 	
Try Hockey for Free	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 22 kids participated Learn to Skate Program Learn to Play Program 	
Referee Feedback	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Board and Guests --- positive feedback Saw improvement over last year Closing gap on referee shortage with Hillsboro Refs...paired up with GSO refs to develop the skills needed. 	
Open Ice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> December 21st 7:30am is open 	

Coaches Meeting Camps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ TBA at later date ▪ Kelly to contact Shane Willis with Carolina Canes to arrange a Canes Camp in GSO during the free ice time slots
NEW BUSINESS	
Committess	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Wendy recommended that several association committees be created in order to effectively manage areas such as; communications, sponsorship, compliance, coaching development, etc. ▪ Paul suggested that each committee be sponsored by an individual Board member ▪ All board members agreed
Safe Sport	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Safe Sport coordinator is Kelly Curl. Will be completing the online module.
Meeting Notes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Wednesday, November 20th is posting date. Minutes to be reviewed/amended for errors/omissions prior to date.
Next Meeting	3 rd Monday, December 16th
Hockey Director Position – Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pam requested that the board develop criteria for evaluating the value received from that position • Chris mentioned that he was receiving a 'coaches corner' piece from Steve and was reviewing the content before posting • Criteria/process unresolved
Closing	10:20 pm