

RHA 8-22-17 Meeting Minutes

Present Board members: Chris Dietrich, Tim Brady, Raelyn Herman, Mike Bartling, Greg Chisolm, Gordon Merchen, Mark Benson.

- 1.) Chris called meeting to order
- 2.) July Meeting minutes will be emailed out.
- 3.) Raelyn Herman added the girls team to the agenda under fundraising.
- 4.) Financial Update: Benson—donations made numbers on budget skewed from the city monies and Hockeyville winnings. Updates to the rink cost around \$700,000.00. The city gave us \$200,000.00 towards the water project. Hockeyville monies were used for locker room upgrades, and second scoreboard. Bring any updates to budget items to next meeting so adjustments can be made.
- 5.) Girl's program—Raelyn Herman, Chris Dietrich—Coach Brady would like to do fundraising for travel girls tournaments. Per bylaws 20% of funds raised come back to the RHA general fund. Raelyn asked if a bake sale would be ok for girls fundraising at the Early bird Pee wee and Varsity tournaments in November. Concession was fine with the idea and board approved the bake sales.
- 6.) SDHAA—Chris Dietrich-- September 16th meeting was requested to discuss Varsity, JV and JR Gold leagues. 3rd team would play JV league. If team was kept U16 could go and play other tournaments, but not 17-18 year olds. If no JR Gold league there will be 2 JV teams. Split teams do not have to be equal at JV.
- 7.) Boys Varsity—Vern Buress—Not present. No schedule until after the Sept 16th meeting. Registrations numbers as of this meeting: 24 V/JV boys, 9 V/JV Girls, 11 bantams, 19 Pee wee, 19 Squirts, 11 house, 29 mites.
- 8.) Building: Ben Nelson—Zamboni was in need of %1000--\$1500 in repairs, he has located parts and will repair. Ice will be in by Oct 13th for Riley camp dates of Oct 16-20th. Tryouts will be held Oct 23rd—27th. Tryouts will be 1 hour long and times will be decided in near future. Board members will volunteer for try-outs at non-connected levels, tryout process will stay the same. Riley camp fee \$50 per skater. M-Th for camp, Chris will follow up with Riley.
Varsity Tournament will be held November 17th, 18th and 19th.
Early bird Pee wee tournament November 10th-12th
Team SD vs. Montana—Nov 4th and 5th after try hockey for free.
- 9.) Fundraising—Ronda Simmons—Jam for the Zam is being advertised on Midco. Tickets are \$15 and will be sold at Revolution Spa and Ron's café. Will be talking to Eagle Sales about beverage pricing. Submitted application for beer license to Rapid City Auditor, will go to council meeting on Sept 19th for approval. No other fundraising at this time until Jam is complete.

10.) Proshop—Ronda Simmons, Raelyn Herman, Chris Dietrich--\$9000 budget, Raelyn and Ronda will use \$4000 for the proshop at the rink, will follow up with Hollie about online proshop through Real Deal.

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12.) Jam for The Zam—Sept 19th -8:00 pm, dinner at the dome from 4:30 -7:00. No children to attend Jam event.

End of Road tournament and Men's league at Roosevelt tournament discussed about use of thunderdome ice in March. Members present felt it was not cost effective to hold either tournament for cost of operation of ice at thunderdome.

Discussed that Sean O'Connor will have a coaches 2 & 3 clinic in early October, Level 1 late November.

Meeting adjourned: called by Chris Dietrich. Second by Ben Nelson