

# **State Playoff Committee Minutes**

***July 8, 2022***

## **Summer Meeting**

Meeting time: 6:30pm

Joe Barone, VP Youth called the meeting to order at 6:30pm Attending the meeting were Don Wright, James Cosgrove, Mickey Jesue, AL Wakeham, Bob Yohe, Roger Mauritho, Julie Becker-Myers, Jon Hosking, Tom Berry, Jean Laxton, Frank Layman, Dorothy Ballard, Kevin Kaslatas, Dave Toth, Kitti Loukus, Judy Niemi, Grant Helms, Craig Staskowski, George Atkinson, Nick Zajas, Doug Diroff, Dave Rainier, Jerry Ruskowski, Mike, F., Bard L., John Tomaseitus, Gerald Ralko, Bob DeSPirit, Alicia Hopkins, Jasen Dockter, Joe Barone, Kevin Wood, Greg Nehra, Bj McCabe, Shane Brown, Amanda Gobert, Paul Osborn, Bob Mantha, Joe Spedowski.

Split season committee: 18 U Midget aa state tournament to be conducted at the end of October. Pilot program was approved this am by the executive committee. Full season/split season can roster 7/15 with games beginning August 1. Regional weekends either the 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> weekend of October. All paperwork will be sent via email. WE are hoping this grows a lot more teams going forward.

Championship weekend last weekend of October, # of team sin regions (8) per region. The survey regarding this was very positive only one team was not in favor of this plan. If a player goes to Tier 1-he or she can not come back down- motion Tom Berry second Nick Zajas, Motion carries.

Over all state playoffs-

38 email responses

we need hosts to get hotel sponsorships

Runner up banner

Hockey TV-4 year contract Tier 1-2-3 will be broadcasted of the state playoffs

State Playoffs:

State tournaments locations-

mites needs 3-4 sheets

Bids: Dearborn-Girls Tier 2 Jim motion K. Wood second 3 year contract Motion Carries one opposed.

Novi Ice Arena Tier 1-Max `6 teams

Taylor all girls Tier 1 divisions 3 year bid \$235 per hour-motion Tom B. second Mickey, Accept Taylor bid, Motion Carries one opposed.

Taylor Boys Tier 1 all divisions- Tom Motion Mickey second Motion to approve carries.

State tournament fees-we would be better off to start offsetting some of the tournament expenses.

Midget aa- Trophies, medals, banners only for this 2022-23 season go back to bb trophy's for purchase. Motion Julie second Kwood Motion to approve carries.

Tournament Guidebook for 2022-2023: Any update or changes send to Dan P.

JV Tournament: 16 teams total, all teams play together no matter if you register Division 1 or 2, 2 divisions of 8-upper and lower divisions. Committee of 5(selected by MAHA), play an 8 team style tournament. Motion for approval Jim, Second Micki. Motion carries..

Ref Rates for State Playoffs: We will not pay scheduling fees for any state tournament to the ref scheduler for state playoffs-No Exceptions. Motion by Micki, second Tom Motion passed.. There was a lot of open discussion regarding referee fees and 2, 3 or 4 referee systems, including mite half ice. Ref fees were tabled for more information to the August meeting.

Dates for the SPC zoom dates for the 2022-2023 season were emailed out.

Player exceptions: Must be resubmitted online if they were already submitted early, the system was cleared out prior to this meeting.

Rule interpretation: district/state-rule change to remove the league aspect of the majority of your games..

Age Category Division Classification:

Age(10u, etc), Category(tier1,2 or 3), Division(NA), Classification (a,aa, tier 3)

Motion to adjourn: 9:29pm

Next Meeting: August 3, 2022 TEAMS zoom 8:00pm

Kevin Wood  
Secretary