

RWD Yeti's Youth Hockey
Meeting Agenda January 14, 2026
Location: Brewster Lanes Reedsburg 6PM
Address: 121 Viking Dr, Reedsburg WI, 53959

1. Call to Order – 6:00 p.m.
 - A. Members in attendance: John Krus, Brad Lee, Carl Vick, Megan Spears, Becky Spencer, Brittany Dempsey, Richie Strutz, Mallory Belk
2. Presidents Report: Saputo paperwork turned in and we will have an answer soon regarding donation. Meetings with City are continued and I am on the council meeting agenda for 1/12/26.
3. Guest: Tim Becker of Friede Associates, Brad Droste, Jamie Brandt, Crystal Dotts, Jesse Kalepp, Alex Bergenske, Derek Bennett.
 - A. Tim Becker – Friede Associates. Presented RWD board with potential new rink building site option. An estimated rendering layout presented, reviewed, and discussed. Preliminary budget estimates similar to prior build plan, \$4 million estimations for building, however does not include rink specifics. Discussed flexibility of building options. Proposed \$90,750 to receive a formal full site plan with RWD ownership of the plans. Mr. Becker indicated that he had presented rink to the city council, no formal action was taken at the time. Other forms of fundraising were discussed with Mr. Becker who provided RWD board with recommendations.
4. Secretary's Report:
 - A. December Minutes approved. No other updates.
5. Treasures Report
 - A. CD December Edward Jones 6 month \$150,000
 - B. Culvers Share Night check \$18,521
 - C. Motion to approve treasurer's report by Becky Spencer. Second to Motion by Richie Strutz. Motion carried.
6. Region 4 Council:
 - A. Playoff Brackets have been released
 - B. Submit any recommendations for rule changes by April 1st
 - C. Do coaches have to have proof of birth certificate available on them? If questioned regarding a player's eligibility, must the coach be able to physically present proof of birth certificate? Topic to be followed up on with Region 4 Council.
7. Forward Planning:
 - A. Building Update: Friede information
 - B. John: Spoke to Jeb Scott about Marketing – he declined. Reaching back out to previously – hire a marketing company that works with non-profits.

- C. Annual Banquet – March 22nd, March 29th, or April 12th dates to be proposed to host site.
- D. Future for kids moving into high school hockey program, we have worried parents on the bantam level, with NO JV team. Work on ideas of getting a JV Team / or Midgets Team. Discussion re: Baraboo/RWD JV co-op.
- E. Ice Rental: Ice rental discussed to be \$100/hr for off regularly scheduled hours. Applicable to all members. Ice must be resurfaced after use by a participating member. Motion to rent ice off hours \$100/hr made by Brad Lee. Second to Motion by Brittany Dempsey. Motion Carried.
- F. Crysttal Dots: Needs Master Key.
- G. Parents and Crowd Control during intense situations. We need to tighten this up as an association. There are too many problems this year. Players that use foul language or gestures to other players, coaches, parents or visiting teams. Discussion resulting in scheduling of a coaches meeting to improve upholding Code of Conduct.

8. Fundraising:

- A. Sportsman's Raffle:
- B. Golf Outing: May 3rd, 2026
- C. Pizza Raffle:
- D. Brat Feed: Sept 21st 12pm at RACA
- E. Brewster Lanes Bowling Fundraiser -
- F. Cancer Benefit

9. Membership:

- A. Briar Messer (1/10/26) 30 days suspension, USA hockey rule 601e3

10. Rink

- A. Shooting Room: Fall
- B. Brandon Clark (Rink Master Position) Derek Bennett, Jason Mathis, Austin Phillips, pay have been split with hours clocked in.
- C. Rink Master Positions will need SafeSport. I will push out a message to the 3 guys telling them they will need safe sport.
- D. Blades Brandon found a company here in Reedsburg to sharpen the Zamboni blades. No more Chicago. Update by Derek Bennett – Rink Master. Need blades sharpened soon, limited blades available.
- E. Derek Bennett Power tools for Zamboni room. Requested funds to update tool supply in Zamboni room.

11. Equipment:

- A. Heaters above bleachers – to be monitored.
- B. Sink in concession stand – fixed – Top Tier.
- C. Skates – Adrienne requesting skates for open skate. Size 10, 11, and 12. Requesting 3 pairs of each. Motion to approve purchase made by Brad Lee. Second to motion by Richie Strutz. Motion Carried.

12. Ref & Ice Scheduling:

A. No Updates.

13. Ace Coordinator:

A. No Updates.

14. Committee Reports:

A. Rink-

B. Fundraising -

C. Coaches -

D. Concessions -

E. Tournaments -

F. DIBS:

15. Old Business

A. Director VS Rink Master (Update on what the city can Do for Full Time Position) City has approved this in 2027 budget

B. Sportsman Raffle Kayak need to get yet

16. Closed Session meeting:

A. Motion to approve up to \$75,000 payment to Friede & Associates for Architectural & Structural Design. Motion made by Richie Strutz. Second to Motion by Brad Lee. Motion carried.

17. Next Meeting Place & Time:

February 11th @ 6pm

Monk's Downtown

220 Broadway

WI Dells WI, 53965

18. Adjourn

A. Time: 8:22 p.m.

B. Motion by Mallory Belk. Second to Motion by Richie Strutz. Motion Carried.