

Hinsdale Central Red Devil Hockey Board Meeting February 16, 2019

Attendees: Pat Montroy, Peter Cook, Bill Naphin, Greg Johnson, Tim Romberger, Mike Dimitriou, Alex Laskowski, Dan Merz, Jim Swoyer

Agenda:

Suspensions:

- Jack Ferrino received a match penalty for kicking.
- Clay Cutinelli received a match penalty for kicking.
- Cade Sweeney was suspended for one week by the Rules & Ethics committee for a Level 1 infraction of insubordination.
- The board emphasized to the Hockey Director that retaliation penalties must be addressed promptly.

Coaching staff:

- The current coaching staff will remain intact for the spring season and the 2019-2020 season to follow.
- Coaching salaries are estimated to be within 10%-15% of the best clubs in the state.

Video:

- Both the varsity and JV team managers have complained this season of parent unwillingness to engage in their video duties.

Spring Program:

- \$400 per player for 13 sessions.
- Two showcases will be held at the Willowbrook facility with HCHC, St. Rita, Benet, and OPRF.
- Two tournaments will be played: 1) JV LT at Willowbrook; and 2) Chitown Shootout.
- Drop-ins will be welcome for the players who are playing a spring sport.

Summer program:

- Weight training conducted by coach Kruse at the HC facility.
- Summer skates and programs led by coach Swoyer and Hockey Biomechanics: 1) 6 sessions in June; 2) forwards and defensemen camps in late July; 3) 3 v 3 sessions on Sunday nights from June to August; and 4) Privates on demand.
- Third party programs designed by Cross-Fit etc per Greg Johnson.

Recruiting:

—The coaching staff has reached out to ~25 players at the 7th grade level up to junior year.

—Currently ~10-11 players are considered sure to participate next year, more than adequately replacing the graduating seniors.

—The board has determined for next year that one board member be in charge of recruiting, acting as liaison to the coaching staff.

Delinquencies:

—The club has made great strides on collection, yet there is still an outstanding balance of ~\$12k from this past season.