SPYHA Board Meeting Date 4/19/2020

Called to order: @6pm via zoom due to Quarantine "Safer at Home" order

#### Attendance

**Board Members Present** 

President - Chris LaRowe

Past President - Brian Sullivan

President Elect - Suzanne Doody

Secretary - Laura Smith

Treasurer - Anne Marie Malkovitch

Midget Rep - Melissa Olson (absent)

Bantam Rep - Eric Seidl

PeeWee Rep - Julie Wetmore

Squirt Rep - Erika Kott

Mite Rep - Brandon Schmidt

Mini-Mite Rep - Scott VandeBerg

Coaches Rep - Steve Tubbs

## **SPYHA Members Present**

Brandy Lea

Jennifer Billings - Fundraising Committee

Adam Billings

Luke Rollins

- 1. Public Comments
  - a. none
- 2. Executive Committee Reports
  - a. Secretary Laura Smith
    - i. Approval of January and February/March 2020 Minutes
    - ii. I will continue the process to get patches to the skaters from the 2019-2020 season.
    - iii. 2020 state bids are submitted
  - b. Treasurer Anne Marie Malkovich
    - 5 people still owe dues this season (some may pay next year or over the summer). This is a usual amount.
    - ii. Account balances as of today:

iii. Operating: \$41,505.88

iv. Savings: \$109,062.36

v. Equipment: \$7091.09

vi. Capital: \$2675.82

vii. Scholarship: \$5570.12

- viii. PayPal: \$14.22
- ix. We will continue to make regular payments to SPICE. We are currently all caught up in our payments to SPICE.
- x. Brian Sullivan will check with Gary from SPICE to confirm we are all caught up.
- xi. SPICE reports that cancelation of events due to COVID-19 is money not collected.
- xii. Erika Kott made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report, Tubbs second, all in favor, motion carried.
- c. President Elect Suzanne Doody no report
- d. Past President Brian Sullivan
  - i. Brian will check with SP Ice to confirm we are up to date on payments
  - ii. Brian will check with SP Ice on work days
- e. President Chris LaRowe
  - i. Wants to thank everyone for their support in this journey together.

## 3. Committee Reports

- a. Volunteer
  - i. Eric Seidel is putting together volunteer hours that only request 1-2 people at a time for maintenance around the rink. In this way, members will be able to get a few more volunteer hours before the window closes or for next season.
  - ii. We need to make a decision when to close out the year.
    - 1. Sullivan made a motion for April 30th to close out the year and to reopen for next season on May 1st. Anne Marie can move forward with invoices at that point.
    - 2. Brandon second, all approved, motion carried.
- b. Annual Fundraising
  - i. Raffle was pulled in March. Checks were sent out.
  - ii. This is Angie's last year and she is recommending her predecessor (no name given at this time).
- c. Communications no report
- d. Equipment Managers
  - i. Waiting for COVID bans to be liften to continue collecting equipment.
  - ii. Cleaning will be a potential issue.
- e. Cardinal Cup no report
- f. Concession Stand no report
- g. ACE Directors no report
- h. Registrar no report
- i. Region 4 Meeting no report/postponed due to COVID
- 4. Level Rep Reports
  - a. Mini-Mite no report
  - b. Mite no report
  - c. Squirt no report

#### d. PeeWee

- i. PWB State tournament refund check was not received for not attending the tournament (canceled due to COVID).
- ii. SPICE is having us pay ½
- iii. Mail the pins to players from the state tournament (complete).

#### e. Bantam

- i. They went to a free tournament at the end of the season in the Dells. It was very clean.
- ii. Coach Lee will be opening hockey in the summer. Numbers should be better than last year.
- f. Midget no report
- g. Coaches' Rep
  - i. Evals are complete and turned in to Tubbs.
  - ii. Skills idea from Eric to Tubbs: Lots of coaches doing videos online for kids. Do we want Zoom year round? Eric will pay for a subscription if needed. (No final decision at this time.)

### 5. Old Business

- a. 2020-2021 Cardinal Cup
  - i. Gobbler Games: Nov. 28
  - ii. Squirt A/B: Dec. 5-6
  - iii. Squirt B/PeeWeeB: Dec 12-13
  - iv. Squirt C/PeeWeeC: Jan 2-3 (decision final)
  - v. Bantam A/B: Jan. 22-24

## b. Jerseys

- i. Maggie is working to get new jerseys
- ii. 3 options were presented, discussed, and suggestions were made
- iii. They will be personalized next year, most likely
- iv. Board would like to know the current price of options.
- v. To be discussed: Are parents paying for jerseys next year?
- vi. There will be a system in place so that there is no confusion over numbers and players will be able to keep their jerseys in play for 2 seasons.
- vii. Eric suggested a logo change in the future.

# c. Scheduler

- i. Teams numbers for next year
  - 1. Minimites: 1 sheet
  - 2. Mites: ~42 mites/2 sheets
- ii. Starting dates for next season
  - 1. Sept 21, 24, 30 (evaluations)
  - 2. Bantam practice ice
    - a. Starting evals later
    - b. Practice ice starts the same day as everyone else's evaluation date.

- c. Travel Teams
  - i. Home games starting first week in November.
- d. Mites: Oct 14th
- e. Minimites: November 4th
- 3. Adding Policy Manual language regarding tournaments/jamborees/invitationals
  - Looking at rolling out a gradual amount of tournaments as the kids age. The development of the players is gradual so the schedule should reflect that.
  - b. Eric made a motion to approve the refund policy. Suzanne second, all in favor, motion carried.
- iii. Corn Fest Parade: Carrie Rose will be in charge.

## 6. New Business

- a. Concession hours next year
  - i. Mini mites: 5 hours, 5 hours in concessions
  - ii. Mites: 15 total volunteer hours, 10 hours in concessions
  - iii. Travel: 40 total volunteer hours, 15 in concessions
  - iv. Exemptions are gone in the future except for coaches.
    - 1. Eric made a motion that travel coaches should be exempt from concessions hours. Julie second, 10 voted yes, motion carries.
- b. Annual Meeting
  - 1. June 7th
  - 2. Zoom meeting most likely (unknown when COVID Ban will be lifted at this time).
  - 3. Tubbs motioned for the meeting to be June 7th at 5pm. Sullivan second, passed with 9 votes.
  - 4. The nominations committee will post what will be voted on ahead of time: Suzanne, Sullivan.
    - a. Email notifications to the committee
    - b. Verify the nominees want to be on the ballot
- c. Next board meeting
  - i. May 17th
- d. Adjourn the meeting
  - i. Suzanne made the motion to adjourn at 8:31pm, Sullivan 2nd, all in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.