

## **WYSA Meeting Minutes**

**2/8/21**

**Attendees:** Amy Blain, Brian Casey, Mike Morel, Rick Morris, Steve Rubman, Adam Krass, Michele Kelly, Eileen Colleran, Justin Santerre, Lisa Stewart, Lindsay Rocca, Sara Eriksen, Kara Simoneau, Eric Hubert, Rob Ettinger, Bill Welch, Ryan Burns, Jeff Timmins, Don Collins

Meeting called to order at 7:52 pm

Motion to accept January minutes. Correct two typos. Motion accepted.

### **Financials**

Steve to join the meeting late and email his reports.

### **COVID**

There was a positive case on the Squirt 1s last weekend. Brian went directly to the Board of Health and within an hour received information to communicate to parents. All squirt 1s went into quarantine as of Tuesday. Late Wednesday, we learned of two more positive cases from the team. One of the positive cases had also participated in both 5/6 grade middle school games. The Pothier middle school team did not have a positive player but had played the Rizzuto team which did have a positive player. Brian got in touch with each of these teams. It was also discovered that one Squirt 1 parent believed their child may have had a symptom as early as Saturday - nasal congestion. The Board of Health directed everyone on the ice to quarantine. Reading, Wilmington and Beverly teams all had to quarantine as well. Brian sent all of the rosters to the town nurse. On late Thursday, Brian sent another note to Squirt 1 parents letting them know we had additional players test positive. This past Sunday, we discovered that the U10 girls team were also impacted but had not been notified. Brian then got in touch with U10 girls parents to let them know they also had to test/quarantine.

Questions: What are we doing about collecting negative test results? All of Pothier's team has turned in there results – all negative. If there are no symptoms by day 11, all kids can return to the ice/school.

According to Brian there are quite a few parents who said their kids have actually already had Covid within the last 60 days, so they don't have to test. Brian sent all those names to Kerri Melanson.

We will add a reminder to the newsletter for parents to continue to be cautious when dealing with potential cases. Coaches and parents need to be vigilant about mask wearing.

### **Schedule**

Updated games are on the website through the end of March. Mites through Bantams are scheduled through the end of March. Brian has sent a note to the Valley League asking if they're still planning to do playoffs but has not received a response yet.

### **Tryouts**

Normally we would do tryouts the third and fourth week in March. However, this year we should spread them out over three weeks. We need to stress to parents to keep kids home if they don't feel well. They will still have a chance to try out.

Age directors – we need to push on getting all coach evaluations returned.

### **Tryout Evaluators**

A motion was made to approve the following for Mite evaluators: Tommy Diprizio, Rick Morris, Greg Wollner, and Jeff Timmins. Motion approved.

A motion was made to approve the following squirt evaluators: Mike DeLelys, Dave Rizzuto, Marc Simoneau and Chris Defeo. Motion passed.

A motion was made to approve peewee evaluators by electronic vote. Motion passed.

A motion was made to approve the following bantam evaluators: Drew Palmer, David Rocca (son is a goalie so won't be evaluating goalies). Motion passed. Any other Bantam evaluators will be approved by electronic vote.

### **LTP**

We have gotten through the waitlist. Everyone is participating. We are within state guidelines for the number of kids on the ice.

### **Mites**

Nothing to report.

### **Squirts.**

Squirt 1s are 6-13-1, 7<sup>th</sup> place out of 8.

Squirt 2s are 7-10-1, 8<sup>th</sup> place out of 10.

Squirt 3s are 5-13-1, 6<sup>th</sup> place out of 8.

### **Pee Wees**

Nothing to report.

### **Bantams**

Have had a couple of wins recently, trending in the right direction.

### **U18 Girls**

There hasn't been any interest in coaching yet. Lisa Stewart will go back to the girls HS coaches to see if they have suggestions/leads.

### **Middle School**

Two middle school teams had to quarantine. 7/8 teams have been struggling. Mostly 7<sup>th</sup> graders. Playoffs are first two weekends in March for middle school league.

### **Valley League**

Squirt 2s had to cancel a game this weekend due to snow. Will try to reschedule.

### **Finances**

If anyone has expenses between now and year end please get them to Steve ASAP so we can forecast how we will end up for the year. We should be in good shape this year.

Meeting adjourned at 10:40 pm