

HDC Meeting Minutes – May 13th, 2019

Attendance: Neil Huewe, Kurt Knott, Tony Manaussau, Corey Rupp, Mike Johnson, Pete Stahnke, Bob Brink, Andy Haskell, Becky Adams

Absent: NA

Summer Shooting Program – We are still trying to arrange this for the summer. A HDC couple members will have some conversations and see if we can pull together and get organized for the summer but been difficult in planning this season. Corey will also send out the puck shooting log with the summer goals so that kids are shooting pucks for that and will work on posting Board over the summer.

Appoint Pete Stahnke to HDC – The HDC approved Pete Stahnke who is the new Boys High School coach to the HDC. Board will motion for approval Tuesday night at meeting.

Mini Lumberjack Learn to Plan – Corey is working to get the program finalized. This program is the Learn to Play program in place of the previous Little Wild Program we have. Ice is booked at Sanford Center for Sunday September 9th, 16th, 23rd, and 30th from 5 to 6pm. Working on brochure to get into the schools and also registration session for kids to sign up but hoping to have registration open May 20th.

Sanford Ice Available August/Sept – We have the opportunity to book ice from last week of August through September at the Sanford Center. We are exploring options to program low costs preseason options to give kids opportunities to stay in Bemidji and skate. We will keep separate than the normal October Hockey as well. Expectations will also be that kids play and attend Fall sports over doing this program fully and get to this ice when you are able to.

Walker Kids for Next Year – Players that live in the Walker district will not be allowed to play in Bemidji by the District Directors. Walker and Park Rapids are meeting to work on solutions so that they can work together to play in Walker/Park Rapids. So unless things change the Walker kids will need to play in their district next season.

Respectfully submitted: Corey Rupp