

EMHA Board Meeting

February 5, 2024

Called to Order 6:33pm

Present: Matt Bendall, Jon Cook, Cory Abramson, Katie Hoffmeyer, Teri Chambers, Jeremy Cook, Bryan Hall, Eric Lemieux

Secretary's Report

Spring 8 weeks Week of April 1st-week of May 20th \$225

March 17th draft skate 4:30pm

Try hockey- February 24th 4:45pm

13 kids currently signed up- Teri will share it out on social media groups

Banquet

Banquet- look at week of April 6-7th Matt will call Circus Park

Report cards have been requested- due to Katie 2/24

Teri needs to order more certificates- approved by Jeremy Cook

Coach/Manager of the year ballots will go out Wednesday, 2/7. Responses due 3/1

Player awards will go out to head coaches Wed. 2/7. Responses due 3/1

Coaching Applications will be sent out 2/7 and are due 3/1. Board will selected 2024 coaches at next board meeting.

Jeremy, Matt B., and Teri are up for reelection. Will accept letters of intent until the month of March. Coaches will vote on board positions the week after the banquet. Exact date TBD.

50/50 Firebirds Games- Presidents weekend has been filled by Mite families. 2011 Blue will be present for 2/7 game.

Treasurer's Report

Current Balance- \$26,839.41

Outstanding expenses for this season:

Last years taxes

Banquet costs

Mcclaren check

USA registration for Flint Inner City Youth Hockey Program

Other Information

- Livebarn- IT was back on Sunday. Still working to get it up and running. When new wifi access points were switched over we lost it connection.
- Ice will be taken out after Memorial Day. Need to fix a spot at the end of the ice and also a new evaporator.

- Locker rooms-planning to keep them but will be reconfigured.
- Need to clean out the EMHA storage shed as it will be taken down at the end of March-look to get bins and clean/organize during Try Hockey for Free
- ELGA sponsorship- ELGA is interested in more of a partnership with Jr. Firebirds. B. Hall will loop the board in with ELGA representatives to begin discussions on what that may look like.
- Firebirds partnership- Still working to get Firebirds players at each of the team's practices. Matt will follow up.
- Ice price increases: \$305 2024 season \$320 for 2025 season
- Sheet of ice to highest basket at Pink Out- 2014 team approved by E. Lemieux
- Liquor license- all paperwork has been submitted just waiting for approval
- Alumni tournament- last weekend of April

Next meeting- March 4th 6:30pm

Adjourned 7:55pm