

New England District Meeting  
Tournament Committee Meeting

Thursday, March 22, 2018  
Start time 7:00pm

Conference Call

Attendees: Maurice Rosales (NED), Ray St Pierre (NED), Keith Barrett (NED), John Cioffi (VT), Bob Larence (RI), Paul Comeau (NH): Richard Oliver (NED), Gerry Rasmussen (CT); Mike Keaney (ME); Chris Washburn (NED)

Absent: Tom Regan (NED), Cheri Bonawitz (NED)

Topics

Approval of minutes from 12-15-18 conference call. Motion to approve Bob Larence, second by Gerry Rasmussen. All in favor.

Girls Select weekend is coming this coming weekend – March 23-25<sup>th</sup>  
158 skaters registered. Per Keith - Strong evaluation staff of DI and DIII coaches will be involved. Very strong practice plans. Two practices and two games for each player, will have ADM National model. Maurice will be attending on Sunday morning. Financially, with 158 female skaters, Maurice advised he feels we should be ok.

Keith advised that Jason Guerrero (Brown) and Chris Davidson will be running the Boys 16/17 camp

For the Boys camp currently has 86 - Select 16 and 92 - Select 17 players registered. Last year we had 82 Select 16's and 84 Select 17 players. Keith advised that second round of invites just went out today. Maurice will be there to help with registration in Marlborough.

Keith mentioned that the Girls 14/15 camp is going to be held in St Anslem's College on June 24-28<sup>th</sup>. The staff is almost complete, though there will be less to save on costs. Looking for 104 players for the camp. Possible visit from Megan Duggan, from the gold medal winning US Women's Olympic team.

Chris Washburn looking for budgets for the camps, so that we can ensure we do not lose money. Gerry is recommending that we have budgets for the camps, to be discussed at the April meeting in Nashua.

Select 12, 13, and 14 camps for boys. Girls 12 & 13

Are we going to have 3 age groups for the boys? Answer is yes

Per Richard - Single birth years and 6 teams for each age group, 17 players per team, with an at large pool. On the girls side there would be 5 teams. Richard said we need 4 ice sheets so we could start at 2:30pm on a Friday and would not have to play late at night. Teams will be divided equally and not play by state.

For Vermont the best week would be March 29-31, 2019. They are the only Affiliate that offered to host and has ice time availability

US Hockey Nationals are April 4-9<sup>th</sup>, 2019

We will discuss further at the April meeting

For Annual Congress we will have a Friday morning meeting for NED District in Colorado Springs.

Topics for April Meeting

Budgets

Further discussion about Select 12/13/14 boys and Select 12/13 girls camps

Registrars will be meeting

Tournament Directors will be meeting

Elections – Maurice Rosales, NED managing director, Ray St Pierre, NED Secretary, and Richard Oliver, NED Director

Meeting adjourned at 8:01 pm by Bob and second by Paul