

NHYHA Board Meeting Minutes
11/14/17
Cavallo's Restaurant 7pm

Board members present: Susan Campbell, Phil DeFazio, Elizabeth De Simone, Chris Moran
Others present: Jamie Neale, Peter De Simone, Shaun Brennan, Brad Campbell

Call to order: 7:24pm

Peewee travel:

Doing well. Q game this weekend and a scrimmage in Schenectady

Squirts:

Playing games. First time we've had a squirts team in a few years.

Bantams:

Have played a few games, are doing well

Peewee house:

Doing well. They have been winning against other house teams, but aren't quite playing at the state bound level.

They are having problems finding teams to play. Chris will help Brad find teams to play.

Peewee tournament will not be happening, not enough teams available

Power skates:

Chris will talk to Jon about possible changing who has power skating when. Can't change day as high school team will be practicing on Wednesdays.

Secretary report:

Minutes will be sent to Chris who will have Alex post them to the website. I will also pin them in the glass case in the warming room.

Treasurer report:

Registration funds still coming in. The last payment for those on the payment plan will download 11/15/17.

First payment made for ice time: \$16,062

Payment made for jerseys for Mites, LTS, and Squirts

Jersey invoice received for Peewees

Concessions

People have been volunteering and getting their money back

The Malloys have been buying 45th anniversary cakes for each level

John Ambrose has been helping with stocking and scheduling

Donations to local organizations

Bobby T. Ciccotti Memorial Hockey Tournament

The high school team participates each year and has won the last four years. The winner gets \$1,000. The team has been giving it to us. We want to donate

something back to the tournament. Phil and Chris will come up with something and send email to board members to vote on.

High School team away tournament

The boosters usually pay for this, but don't have enough money to cover it this year. We are looking to help them, maybe donate some money. An email will be sent to the board to vote on this.

Give backs to members

Power skating, clinics, warm up suits, mite jackets

(Shaun did send email to Mark Kotary 1.5 weeks ago about mite jackets)

3 Bantams haven't been sized for warm ups yet

Going to try to set up a meet and greet with a Comets player

Membership numbers: 168 (with one potential LTS)

3 raffle ticket books left. A few more have been printed.

They are due February 1st. Drop off is at the concession stand.

Can a volunteer require reimbursement from players for expenses?

Like for meals, hotels, etc

If parents are willing to help with the expenses, they can, but it can't be mandated.

Gifts are okay

Chris will address this with coaches.

Mite/Squirt Tournament

Will be held on the 2/2-2/4

Blue Mites round robin

White Mites championship game

Squirts championship game

Liz and Susan will be meeting next month to work on planning

Liz will have flyer ready for by weekend and send to Chris for website and

Susan/coaches for distribution

LTS: doing well, not all kids coming to all practices. 78 skaters.

Mites: communication between coaches and parents with Mite Coordinator in place. Teams have been separated.

Squirts: Need to have December game slots verified by John

Chris is working with photographer for pictures during the first week of December. Order forms will be available soon.