

## **Westfield Youth Hockey February 2016 Minutes Meeting began: 6:35pm**

**Aaron Michelucci, Chris Bard and Kerri Tymeson**

Attendance: of team reps

Novice: Ankstitus

M1: Balsler

M2:

M3: Pinney & Corlis

S1:

S2: Roselli

S3R: Trzepacz

S3B: Tymeson

PW1: Collins

PW2: Rowbotham

PW3:

B1:

### **Approve January 2016 Minutes**

#### **President Report – Aaron Michelucci**

- Recognitions and Miscellaneous Updates: Bruins game Sunday March 13,2016 for mite squirt peewee and bantam. Game will be 5:00pm. Clinic will be at 3:00-4:45 for \$30.00
- Evaluation Committee Update: Have met 4 times. Hoping to approve final recommendations early next week and post the schedule. Open forums are scheduled
  - o Schedule: Will be posted
  - o Open forums scheduled: Goal is to try to have three sessions. Friday Feb. 19th 5-6pm, Monday Feb. 22nd 7-8pm and Tuesday Feb. 23rd 6-7pm. To go over the changes in the evaluation procedure and allow for questions and feedback. Encourage the families to attend. Mandatory coaches meeting to review the evaluation changes and inform them involved in the evaluation process. Coach applications will also be available for interested in coaching next year.
- Parent Evaluations: Please have parents fill these out to provide the organization with feedback.

- Coaches Evaluations: Will be asking for coaches to evaluate their players.
- E-Board Nominations: Will be solicited in the following days. Positions open include: Director of finance, Communication director and 1st Vice President. Once nominations are in will notify of elections.
- State Playdowns – Congratulations Bantams! Won district 6 play downs will be going to state play downs.

### **1<sup>st</sup> Vice President Report – Chris Bard**

- LTS / LTP Update: Has been successful. 75 LTS/43 LTP 2 moved up to mini mites.
- Novice Update: 8 participants
- Had to cancel house league due to lack of interest

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Report – Shane Collins (unable to attend)**

- Ice schedule update: Will have eval schedule posted after Monday. Monday March 14-17th will be evals.
- Fire and Ice tournament follow up: details TBA but very successful
- Goalie training feedback: In progress. Looking at how to incentivize goalie position.

### **Financial Director Report– Meg Bacon (unable to attend)**

- Financial update: Reconciled balance as of 1-20-2016 \$86,934.71

### **Communications Report – Tim McMahon**

- Registration for 2016-2017 season
- Blazing speed at Olympia: during Feb, Vacation. 3 days.
- Falcons night: Falcon have offered a hockey night for a GSL player who has been diagnosed with brain cancer as a fundraiser for the family. Feb. 27th, 2016.

### **Fundraiser Report – Dan McKellick**

Wrapped up fundraising efforts. \$65.00 earned from Schwans. went well but low participation. Can look into next year with more advertising.

Exploring opportunities with Whip City candle for a customized candle for the organization. Golf tournament planning will be in progress. Looking for donations.

### **GSL Report –Aaron Michelucci (For Bill Rodgers):**

- GSL Update: Playoff schedule is set. It is posted on the GSL website and on our website. Novice jamboree is march 13th at Ludlow. Plea for game sheets. Missing about 20 game sheets. 2 applications for available scholarships. Please inform your player and encourage them to apply. GSL is looking at schedule process and guidelines for scheduling. Looking at bylaws and rules to update and be current with USA hockey. Also around statistician process for more efficient game sheets and keeping track of stats.

### **USA Hockey Report – Jennifer Ondrick**

### **Merchandise Report – John Millard**

- Equipment update: no news

### **Miscellaneous / Open Forum – ALL**

- Would like to have challenge coins as a league fund raiser. Have kids design a back for the coin.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:08