

BHA Board

September meeting minutes

1. Green Mountain Tournament – Stacy Metzger and Larry Doucette

January 5th-6th, \$780 per team, U-12 and U-14, A/B and B teams only

Tournament committee starting to form to meet every 3 weeks or so

Needs: Advertising coordinator, Reme and Steev are working on the logo and will show board

Need new big white board for posting scores, etc. – BHA will buy it for Larry to use

Working on more options for food – people wanted food last year, talk to Carol and the snack bar lady.

Larry to schedule refs w/Rick Sullivan

Possibly put a page in the program to highlight area food/activities for guest teams

2. Approved 7/31 and 8/14 minutes

3. Registration info – low #s early

TAT was a success, but not many registrations, Learn to Skate numbers look good.

Learn to play hockey flyer says Free for Novice also – we had planned to charge for novice but advertised it as free.

LTS – Saturdays 9:15-10:15, seems to be plenty of manpower to begin season to make LTS run well, as well as the novice side of the ice.

4. Practice Schedule

Main issue is what to do with the Wednesday ice from 7-8?? Andy will work with Chris McLaughlin to figure this out more.

5. Team Numbers so far

Mites – 17 (2 teams? For sure if we can move some novice along)

Squirts – 12

PeeWee – 11

Bantam – 12 (was thought during meeting, real numbers are down around 9)

Much work has been done since to try and recruit more Bantam players, not sure of progress

6. New Business

-2 on 2 challenge with USA Hockey presented by Elizabeth. For all girls as a recruiting tool for girls hockey, intro them to the rink and to hockey. Will be pushed to the same day as Try Hockey for Free.

-Reports of scores, etc. to Reformer sports roundup to get more publicity in the community. Send info to Shane Covey at the Reformer and he will print it.

Team publicist for each team?

Tom will check with Shane to see if they might be willing to do story on BHA

7. Next meeting October 23rd, 6:30-8:00, hospital