

BOD Minutes 11/3/14

Present – Kevin Burch, Jeff Ivey, David Fishman, Jodi McDermott, Kaki Schmidt, Joe DeNoiyer, Joe Ayers, Don Hill, Pat Wildman

Kevin Burch-

- Approve minutes from the 9/8 and 10/6 Meetings. All in favor.
- Review action items from 10/6 Meeting:
 - Pat to communicate at December meeting that late house registrations will not be accepted if a division is full (Pat)
 - Pat to take House numbers to HDB (Pat)
 - Discuss whether referees are needed for House Jamboree (Pat)
 - Send a note to the House coaches to emphasize their help is needed to train and mentor youth refs (Pat)
 - Don to write-up goalie discussion from HDB meeting (Don)
 - HDB recommendation for Spring programs by November board meeting (Pat)

Club Ops-

- Met end of October, scheduling looking pretty good. Most teams are at their budgeted amounts. Kelly was working to finalize the Select teams game schedules
- Capital Christmas Classic – registrations not great despite a great job of marketing – website still getting lots of new visitors to the site, but not translating into registrations – will most likely have to cut down on the number of divisions – released the ice holds at Ashburn and Rockville rinks so any divisions to be held will be at Skatequest

Jeff Ivey -

Travel:

- Mite cross ice boards arrived and are in use.
- 1 suspension, U16 Black player.
- Discussed making sure parents bring issues to the Coaches, Managers, Travel Director prior to engaging with CBHL or SHOA. Any issues received by non-club officials will be ignored by CBHL and SHOA, please use proper channels. We had a parent engage the CBHL directly to complain about an incident, it was sent back to the clubs and not acted upon by the CBHL.
- 3 season ending injuries have caused us to look for replacement players, U18 Blue (no replacement available), U16 Blue (no moves made), Pee Wee 2002 Blue (player moved up from Silver).
- Discussed structure of Spring Development/Tournament Teams, further discussion to take place in December.

Kaki Schmidt- House Referees

- Ken does not want house coaches talking directly to youth refs w/ feedback, criticism, commentary. Feedback should be in writing and Ken will circle back himself to the refs of concern. Will send email to House Coaches on that soon.

** So prior action item for Pat to email coaches has been nullified **

- Coordinated a "watch from the stands game review" for new referees. Hosted by Henry White, another SHOA representative and Kerrigan. 8 new refs attended and was well received. Might do another one.

Safety:

-35 injuries to date, including 10 concussions as of 10/30 (last month was 26 total, w/ 6 concussions)

-Visits to Athletic Trainer consistently full on Mondays now.

-Travel Midgets lead the club overall and in concussions.

-Injuries from tournaments up.

-Injuries at practice slightly up.

-Stats are current and online, with a running list of on-ice descriptions. HDB should review.

Jodi McDermott -

House:

Discussed a complaint issued by a parent about whether a referee called a correct penalty. In particular should there be an additional game misconduct when there is head contact that is neither intentional nor malicious. The coach was informed that there is no such rule. It was also stressed that even though it is the official's duty to call the penalties for all violations, it is also incumbent upon our coaches to assist in teaching our players the rules and helping to keep our players safe. So if a coach sees that a player has committed a foul that wasn't called, the coach should pull the player aside and advise them of what occurred and consider sitting them for shift, or advise them that if they did the same thing again they would sit.

Select Teams:

Select Teams have been chosen and already started practices. They are as follows:

Squirts: John Kemprowski

Jacob Alford

Alex Ayers

Aidan Bunnell

Nick Cooper

Ben Cowell

Malachi Hamill

Harlan Jackson

Noah Johnson

Ethan Kemprowski

Logan Kemprowski

Parker Knowlton

Daniel McGaughey

Sidney Oh

Gavin Rieger

Shane Spadetti

Lexi Sung

Will Thompson

Nolan Wilson

Alston Zhang

Peewees: Ralph Rinaldi

Ben D'Haiti (G)

Caelen Grange

Brennan Hall

Savanna Hornstein

Joseph Jafari

Adam Klumpp

Justin Machovina

Robert Newton

Dillon Nguyen

Matt Prame

Carrick Randall

Jacob Rose

Alex Rinaldi

Josh Scurlock

Bohdan Sidor (G)

Robby Spadetti

Matt Sperry
Bridgit Terry

Bantams: Todd Thompson
Evan Chang
Vincent Chouinard
Trevor Fee
Garrett Hall
Will Hanson
Geoffrey Henderson
Jacob Jafari
Kyle Leverone
James Li
Ari Loggia
Thomas Newberry
Ethan Nguyen
Luke Pohlman
Adam Rapp
Thomas Santaniello
Casey Schoff
Jake Seybold (Goalie)
Sammy Thompson
Jared Wal (Goalie)
Miller Williams

Joe DeNoyior-

- Thomas Meloy refund for injured player.
- Goalie clinic numbers
- 6/30 Tax filing

Don Hill-

Goalies-

Goalie Clinics:

Discussed goalie clinic attendance and decided consolidate the house and travel goalie clinics going forward. Dates will remain the same as scheduled and the time will be 5:50-7:10 for all dates. Travel goalies will have priority registration until 1 week before the clinic when registration will open to House goalies. The maximum attendance will be 24 goalies. Registration will close 24 hours prior to the clinic to allow for the correct number of goalie coaches to be coordinated.

Weeknight House Goalie practices:

- Signup sheet has been successful -- Other house goalies are filling slots not taken by the teams on the ice and this has increased participation overall.
- Participation is at 72% of open slots (based on 2 openings per team on the ice).
- Squirt slots popular -- Mites taking many openings.
- Signup has an additional benefit of being able to track visitors so Don can target families showing some interest by visiting the signup.

Pat Wildman-

Hockey Development-

Dave Fishman-

CBHL-

Joe Ayers-

Sponsorships – We have raised over \$5,000 thus far this year and we are still looking for new corporate sponsors. Glory Days is our newest sponsor and is represented on our website.

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Girls – Updated the board on the progress of our Girls Blue and Girls Silver teams this year. Our Girls Blue is 8-0 in the 19U division with 44 goals for and only 7 against. Our Girls Silver team is a very young 14U team and is currently in the middle of the back of their division with a record of 2-5. The games are close and the Silver team even beat the top team, Montgomery, 1-0 in an exhibition game.

CSC – Reviewed the House Select Coaches. The board discussed leveraging the CSC for future select coach selections. Building the Spring House coach list now.