



OPRF Huskies Hockey

Oak Park River Forest High School

Agenda & Minutes

Date	July 5, 2016	Location	Skirine Chops	Time	7:30pm - 9:00pm
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In Attendance	Board members attendance: D.Bell, D.Schmidt, R.Roy, M.Smith, T.Guerino, R.Johnson, F. Pospicil
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Item	Dialog/Action
Call to Order	<p>7:40 pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May Minutes – Approved • No notes were taken for the June meeting, Tasha was absent.
Presidents Report (Jason Malley)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · IL West has lost York to N. Shore · Picked up Maine in the Interim (Combined team) · IL West in encouraging student to skate with their HS teams as opposed to club teams. · League is promoting their Zero Tolerance policy. Families need to read the policy and become familiar with what is expected from players and parents. · Looking to adopt Rules and Ethics that the HS is currently using. This will be voted on by Board. · League is hosting a Goalie clinic from July 25 – 28 at All Seasons Rink in Naperville. Clinic from 6:00pm to 7:30pm. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ League is looking for shooters, club to send survey for those players who are interested in participating as a shooter. · Considering dropping the Rat Hockey program due to low participation. Still in talks over the 3v3 summer tournament. Looking for available dates, may use ice currently reserved for Rat Hockey.



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Season will run from Last week of August , 2016 (approx.. 24, 25, 26) and end in February 2017. The season will end prior to State starting. ○ Playoff format may change this year. TBD ○ League fees will remain in tact. There will be no increase for the 2016 – 2017 season. ○ Try-out schedule will be posted by end of July. <p>§ Early registration will open in July as well.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Forms needed for participation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Player Physical ○ USA Hockey Waiver ○ USA Hockey Player Number <p>Post try-out parent meeting to be planned. Date and meeting space TBD.</p>
<p>Coaches Report (Dave Dyson)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 2016 – 2017 coaching line up: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Dave Dyson - Varsity ○ Steve Meagher – Varsity ○ Karl Hayes – JV ○ Matt Bonoccorsi – JV ○ Dave Solouman – Skills ○ Stan Dubicki – Goalies · As everyone is aware the excitement around our program is continuing to grow. We once again expect to have more players trying out in August for our Varsity and Junior Varsity teams than we have spots available for those teams. Competition for all spots will be fierce. Every single spot in the program is open as of right now, be ready to compete to earn the spot you want.
<p>Registrar Report (Rob Johnson)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Currently researching tournaments for the season for both the Varsity and JV Teams. · Player Jerseys and accessories will be handled by Gunzo's this year. Rob has spoken with the owner/Manager regarding what is needed for the season.



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<p>Rules & Ethics (Suzanne Malley)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · The board has agreed to have Suzanne Malley chair the Rules & Ethics department. Suzanne will be looking in to policies covering officers & directors as well as insurance policies for the club and finances. · Provide contracts for coaching staff.
<p>Marketing (Frank Pospicil)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Would like to increase the order for promotional t-shirts passed out at games. · Ad Book – Board has agreed to continue to print team as book. Board will agree to printing only one version of the book. · Webpage has been updated and will continue to be updated as information is received. · Social Media is currently in place. Reporters provide game dates, data and club information via Facebook, Instagram and Twitter. · Club Events schedule for the 2016 – 2017 season <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Blanket Drive ○ Hornets Sled Hockey Game ○ Alumni Game ○ Spirit Night ○ Hockey Checks ○ Toys for Tots Hunger (TBD – looking for another team to participate since York has left the league) ○ Senior Night ○ End of Year Banquet (Families will be responsible to dinner fees as league fees were not increased this season)
	<p>Meeting Adjourned</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · 8:55pm <p>Next meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ August 2nd, 7:30pm @ RCRC