



## TYSA Semi-Annual Meeting Minutes

January 8, 2013 - General Meeting

7:00p East St. Baseball Building

Web: <http://www.tysaredmen.com/>

### Attendees

Joe Breen, Sean O'Keefe, John Shreenan, Mark Duquette, David Williams, Diane Morris, Anthony Grieco, Herb Post, Kristen Andrea, Cindy Paolillo

### General Discussion

- There are some mite players who will be in their third year next year. Questions regarding them needing to play a full year of cross-ice after having played 2 years of full ice at this level.
  - Joe: Those players should not need to repeat with cross ice. May possibly move up to squirts given the time spent at the mite level
- Skills: There are too many kids at the skills session. When I-Mites are participating there are close to 50 on the ice
  - TYSA will look to see what they can do to alleviate the numbers at each skill session. Typically the numbers dwindle towards the end of the season which is not happening this year.
- Player skills: What leverage does TYSA have for kids developing at different rates? Concern that some kids might be better suited staying at a lower level
  - Kids must play at the level specified by USA hockey. Kids can not be moved down but are encouraged to attend LTS 2<sup>nd</sup> hour sessions and skills as much as they can.

### General Agenda

- President – Joe
  - Tri-state hockey will be run by Valley league and will consist of full-ice mite games. If TYSA is to participate we must notify them by Feb 1.
- LTS – Marty
  - Having issues with Janas game times. LTS is consistently getting bumped
- Treasurer – Cindy
  - Account balances for 2012/2013 are higher than they were at this time last year
  - Collection of outstanding tuition is making progress
- VP – Anthony
  - JR Redmen are owed a game as the referees did not show for a previous game
  - They have been using a former Jr hockey player to work with goalies. He'd like to help TYSA if possible. Anthony to ask him to send an email to Herb for followup.
- Events – Kristen
  - Plunkett tickets are on sale now.
- Head Coach – Herb
  - Realigned I-mites into 3 teams for remainder of the season. New team consists of squirt aged kids
  - Motion: Do not charge the balance of the I-Mite season to new players: Approved
  - Motion: Players moving to new levels at this time will not be charged the balance of the new division: Approved
  - Motion: Move I-Mite player to Squirt 2 team: Approved

- Discussion on coaches who have not completed the CEP or age appropriate modules for the season
  - Those coaches may help at practices but should not be on the bench during games
- Player Agent – Sean
  - Need final rosters by end of the week
- League Rep – David
  - Waiting for the latest valley schedule
  - TYSA does not owe for any game cancellations. TYSA is owed games that have been canceled.