



Orangeville Minor Hockey Association
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Executive Meeting: Monday December 5, 2016, 7:00pm Credit Union Room, Alder Street Rec. Centre

Attendees: Rick Stevens, Joanne Wilson, Les Kent, Natasha Hussey, Chris Critchley, Keenan Sheppard, Brad Glaka, Jaime Swainson, Jacque Wilson, Michelle Douglas, Steve Sumka, Scott Lawson, Peter Quinlan, Angela VanderByl

Regrets: Terry Sheppard, Chris Ockenden, Cheryl MacDonald

Call to order 7:00pm.

Keenan Motions to accept the minutes from November meeting, Les 2nd, motion carried.

Financial Update

Tangerine Account: \$231,049.01 TD Account: \$166,701.99

President's Update

Rick received an email complaint from one of our Rep. parents on December 3, 2016. The parent says that another parent from their team became upset with the refereeing and was quite vocal about their dissatisfaction. They were yelling at the one ref and made threats. Peter and Scott will be contacting this parent to address the issue.

Rep. Update

Keenan advises that a rep. parent has been suspended. They have been exemplifying the behaviour we do not want to see from our parents. Their behaviour was an issue last season as well which led to a meeting with the coaches and executive. The suspension is for the rest of the regular season. If this person shows up at either of the Orangeville arenas before the regular season is complete, reception is to be notified, the police will be called and they will be escorted from the premises.

An anonymous person from last year's Novice AA team wants to be sent the financials for this team from last season. This person will need to step up and identify specifically what they feel the issue is as the budget has been checked and all seems to be in order.

There was a suspension recorded incorrectly on the game sheet by the ref. The coach didn't realize and the player did not serve their suspension. Now that this has been brought to light the player will serve his suspension and the coach is now suspended as well.

IC/Rostered Select Update

No issues to report.

There has been some talk of a Peewee select team, but no one has officially asked.

Suggestion was made to move IC tryouts to the fall, however this would create issues with getting the jerseys in time. Ice comes back in August 1. Another suggestion is made to hold them at Teen Ranch in June.

House League Update

Brad asks if house league teams can AP/borrow players from other house league teams if they are short. Some of the benches are short already and coming into the holidays having enough players could be an issue. Consensus was yes, players can be borrowed from other teams.

Michelle says she still has 6 or 7 families who have yet to complete the repeat in sport program. They have been reminded and Michelle will continue to follow up.

Goalie Sessions

The first session for rep. was 2 weeks ago and was free for those who participated as it was paid for out of the development budget.

There was also a goalie clinic December 4, 2016 done by Steve Sumka. There were 3 rep, 1 IC and 10 house league goalies present ranging from Tyke to Bantam. There were 5 stations and the clinic lasted 90 minutes. So far, Steve has had only positive feedback.

Equipment Update

Steve advises that if there are any house league teams who need more socks to let him know as he still has some. They will be free of charge as they are already bought and paid for.

There are also 2 teams worth of the Scotia Bank hockey kits left (toques, clipboard, backpack etc) that need to be distributed. It was suggested they be given to the 2 youngest IC teams.

Steve also needs to get one extra jersey from each team to give to the sponsors.

Jerseys

Ongoing issues and we are only in year one of a three year contract. Bauer sized each kid and many jerseys don't fit properly and the black ones are smaller than the white ones.

A suggestion was made that each team order at least one extra jersey of each colour just in case. Most teams don't do this, most likely due to cost.

Scott suggests we ask for some jerseys to come back, remove the numbers, names and sponsor bars and put uncommon numbers on them and keep them for spares.

Board will be requesting a meeting with Bauer rep. before the season ends.

Tournament update

Les has 32 teams for the house league tournament and only 6 of those are Orangeville teams. There is no Tyke or Novice division. Numbers are low this year.

IC Tournament is January 7 & 8 and is full. Chris Ockenden will be running this tournament and will be looking for volunteers to help run it.

Coach Applications

Deadline is December 15, 2016.

Coach evaluations will be posted on the website.

Suggestion was made to have a quick online form for house league parents to complete to collect feedback on house league coaches. Joanne suggested maybe Survey Monkey.

In Camera

Playoffs

Rep. playoffs begin January 9. Not sure when IC playoffs start. House League will be worked backwards from The Day of Champs which is March 25.

Out of town refs are used from the 2nd round of playoffs onwards.

Bylaws

Are done and ready to be sent to the executive for review. If there is any feed back, email Scott. They will be ready for the AGM which has been the 1st Sunday after The Day of Champs, but will likely be moved to sometime in May after tryouts.

Natasha motions to adjourn, Scott seconds, meeting adjourned at 8:32pm.