

SRIYHA

Meeting Minutes

10/23/14, 8:10PM – 9:20PM

Attendees: Keith Labrecque, Dino Rizzi, Greg Gonsalves, Greg Cox, Sean Lyons, Bill Brew, Jack McGreen, Toby Gibbons, and Joe Gately

Not in attendance: Jeff Peltier, Pete Chabot, Sharon McGreen and Mike Natalizia

Quorum: YES

- *Acceptance of 10/2/2014 minutes*

Discussion of whether to accept the meeting minutes from the meeting held on 10/2/2014 for posting on the website.

VOTE: SRI will post 10/2/2014 meeting minutes on the SRIYHA website.

AYES: 9 NAYS: 0 **Status: PASSED**

- *Discussion topics*

1. Mid season Bantams:
 - We anticipate having enough players to field 3 teams
 - We will field 1 Smythe team and 2 Wales teams (evenly matched)
 - As in past no official tryout/teams selected by coaches during in between season skates
 - Registration will be open by end of October
 - Games will begin around 12/1

2. Picture day:
 - Greg Cox is main point of contact for pictures
 - Picture day for travel players will be 11/13/14 during skills night
 - Order forms to be distributed to teams prior to picture day
 - Goal is to have pictures to ready for holiday season
 - House/Instructional pictures will be taken some time in February

3. Mite divider boards:
 - New Mite rink divider boards are awesome
 - Average time to install/remove is under 6-7 minutes
 - Positive feedback from Mite coaches/parents about boards
 - Positive feedback from opponents about Mite game protocols at Boss

4. Equipment Swap
 - Collection of hockey equipment donations occurring tonight 10/23
 - Swap to take place on Saturday morning 10/25 at Boss 8-11am

- Event planned and organized by volunteers Kim Palmer and Jen Krekorian
- Toby, Greg Cox and Keith will be there to help and other board members are encouraged to attend
- After keeping a small supply for our storage room, excess equipment will be donated to 2nd Time Around Sports

5. House/Instructional programs

- Programs will start skating on Saturday 11/1
- Volunteers needed to help out for opening day (check-ins, jerseys, t-shirts etc)
- An email will be sent to all registered skaters in the week preceding the first skate about what to expect, how to find schedule on site, etc.
- To date there are 85 kids registered for house/instructional programs with more expected to join during the final week of registration

6. Other business

- Pond hockey event committee still in planning stages
- Friendship Cup games are 11/15 or 11/16 for Squirt/Peewee Smythe and Wales teams
- Greg Cox taking over game jersey inventory management
- Toby notified board of his intention to step down as President in the spring
- URI players helping with teams still in planning with URI reps
- Midget playing format discussion needed before next season
- Current standings show 5 of 6 SRI teams will qualify for 1st half season playoffs

Submitted 10/26/14

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