

MCAHA Town Hall Meeting Minutes

Date: November 18, 2020

Location: Meeting Conducted Via Zoom

Attendees: Josh Culbertson, Doug Schrock, Shaun Seedhouse, Dan Wagner, Brandon Smith, John Arce, Jim Thomas-deJongh, Ester Weis

Meeting called to order: 5:30

Meeting adjourned: 6:07

Agenda Items

Covid 19

- New restrictions implemented by Governor Bullock take effect Friday, but it should not impact the rink.
- Nationally, rinks in Massachusetts, Minnesota, Michigan, and Vermont will be closing for the next 2-3 weeks.
- Regionally, the rink in Jackson Hole is closed indefinitely, and rinks in North Dakota are closed thru mid-December.
- Some rinks are adopting the following practices: requiring face coverings for everyone, even while playing; contact tracing; prohibiting locker room use
- Board will adopt contingency plans in case the rink temporarily closes.
- A request was made that we implement a mandatory mask policy, including time on the ice. The board will discuss this issue at the next board meeting.

Sports Engine

- Shaun Seedhouse is working with SportsEngine to resolve issues such as accessibility on mobile app and duplicate entries in our league database. There were almost 250 duplicates found and the process will take time to correct, Some cases will require assistance from affected players as well as SportsEngine tech dept.

Grant Opportunity

- Doug Schrock and Robbie Davis from the rink board will be collaborating to apply for a grant that would allow the rink to obtain a new/newer compressor.

A Supplementary Note to Captains and Players

We have heard from a couple captains concerned about lopsided teams. We will continue to monitor the games and standings to see if this needs to be addressed in our next executive board meeting planned for December 4th.

Going forward, please email anyone on the board with any and all concerns rather than approaching us at the rink or in passing (all of our emails are on the website). This provides us with complete documentation of your concerns (rather than trying to recall what someone told us days or weeks ago), and also allows us to enjoy our time at the rink as a participant.