

Western New York High School Club Hockey League Meeting Report December 11, 2018

Board Members Present: (indicated by an “x”)

X	Steve Ferrentino	X	Sue Koral
X	Paul Galgovich	X	Marge Michalowski
	Roger Gmerek	X	Tom Paradowski

Teams Represented: (Indicated by an “X”)

Varsity

X	Canisius	X	Iroquois/Alden	X	St Joe’s - White
X	City Honors/O’Hara	X	Jamestown	X	St. Joe’s - Maroon
X	Depew	X	Lancaster	X	St. Mary’s
	Dunkirk/Fredonia	X	Olean	X	Team Buffalo
X	East Aurora/Holland	X	Orchard Park	X	Wilson/Newfane
	Eden/Lake Shore/Pioneer	X	Royal-Hartland		

JUNIOR VARSITY

	Canisius	X	Grand Island	X	Orchard Park - A	X	Timon
X	City Honors/O’Hara	X	Hamburg	X	Orchard Park - B		TNT
X	Cleve Hill/JFK/ Cheektowaga	X	Iroquois/Alden	X	St. Francis - White	X	West Seneca East
X	Depew	X	Jamestown	X	St. Francis - Red	X	West Seneca West
	Dunkirk/Fredonia	X	Kenmore East/Sweet Home	X	St. Joe’s White	X	Williamsville South
X	East Aurora/Holland	X	Kenmore West	X	St. Joe’s Black	X	Wilson/Newfane
	Eden/Lakeshore/Pion	X	Lew Port	X	St. Mary’s		
	Frontier	X	Olean	X	Starpoint		

Referees

X	Chuck Sieber		John Jarvis
X	Mark Brennan		

Meeting was called to order by Fonz at 7:01 PM.

Fonz apologized for the Harbor Center Parking Pass issue for the first couple teams that played. It was Harbor Center’s fault and they have offered to reimburse anyone who presents a receipt. He indicated that so far teams are doing well in terms of discipline, parents, etc.) and he thanked all for that.

Security – No problems reported.

Trainers – No problems reported.

ANY PROBLEMS WITH EITHER OF THE ABOVE – LET THE BOARD KNOW ASAP.

JV Treasurers Report – Given by Marge. Report available for all. She indicated she received many payments tonight and the next report will be updated to reflect those. She indicated if anyone has any questions – please discuss with her. Motion to accept the report by Jamestown with a second by Olean. All in favor.

Varsity Treasurers Report – Fonz reported that there is a check made out to him as he had to make a fast payment to pay for our website domain to remain up and running. Payments are in pretty good shape. Report done by Roger and available to all.

Referee Report

- Given by Chuck.

- Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all. Thanked the League for our business.
- He indicated a poor scoresheet was their fault.
- There was an issue with City Honors/O'Hara and it was communicated and handled.
- The Cattaraugus Ice is being improperly billed. It has to be repriced as they were unaware of EDLS using the ice.
- All else is good.

In general:

- Per Fonz – please check for refs 20 minutes before the start of a game. If they are not present – call Mike or Chuck.
- If the ice is clear and both teams agree – start the game early.

Website

- Is now up to date.
- Power Rankings are there and one can start to look at play offs.
- Top 10 Scorers are on the site.

Playoffs and States – Varsity

- **PLAY OFF ICE IS NEEDED BY 1/1/19.** Best to get 2 to be safe.
- Proposals handed out.
- Be ready to play for the period from 2/10/19-2/17/19.
- **If ice is needed – GET IT NOW.**
- 2/20/19 – Media Day, Chef's, and Skills Competition.
- Sup Sunday with be Super Monday.
- States – Fonz has heard nothing from the East.

Christmas Tournament – Varsity

- Pizza and Pop are provided after games. **SOMEONE HAS TO STAY AND CLEAN UP AFTER. YOUR TEAM.**
- **BRING YOUR OWN PUCKS.**
- Scoresheets will be at the front table.
- No clock or scorekeepers needed.

Tom Reports – JV

- Playoffs handed out and ice is on the second page. Some teams have not yet handed in.
- He explained the Playoff and divisions to all.
- **GET ICE INTO HIM.**
- Pizza and Pop will be at front table. These are to be picked up **AFTER THE GAME IS PLAYED.**

J.T. Conte Scholarship – Varsity coaches need to start thinking about eligible Seniors for this as nominations will need to be handed in 2/19.

All Stars – Coaches need to start thinking about these.

Harbor Center – The Sabres do want some ice back. As a result we may be going back to Cheektowaga Rec for finals. Fonz will update as this is clarified.

Fines – The League is fining for scoresheet issues and lateness. Send the score to your VP after a game ASAP and then get the scoresheet in the next day via email or a picture.

Scoresheet Issues – Paul and Tom

- The Goaltender needs to be ID'ed – this can be via putting a “G” next to the name or number for that game. If not ID'ed – no credit for playing.
- Coach has to sign the scoresheet.
- Remember accuracy is important as a player needs 9 games or an MD note to participate in playoffs.
- No new players can be added after 12/28/18.
- If a JV player is on a JV team and also playing Fed – no playoffs but can participate in States. Need to discuss these cases with Tom.
- Varsity Player eligibility – Please check against scoresheet and website. If there is an issue – Paul has to be notified ASAP!

Modified – There will be a meeting probably next month.

January Lottery Tickets – Handed out.
Meeting adjourned for Christmas Party.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan M. Koral