

# FLAGSTAFF YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

## FYHA BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MONTHLY MEETING AGENDA

**Meeting Date:** Mar 18, 2026 6:00 PM **Location:** 214 E. Birch Ave.

Teams Link: <https://tinyurl.com/FYHA-BOD-Meeting>



### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Review and approval of February's meeting minutes.

### MEMBER PARTICIPATION

Time is set aside at every meeting for public participation so that members can bring any issues, concerns, and questions to the attention of the Board. Members are encouraged to attend the meetings, participate, and become involved.

### REPORTS

#### President's Report (Travis Joralmon)

- Congratulations to all of the teams who competed in the AAHA/AZYHL State Playoffs. We are proud to announce that our 10U Navy Northstars and 14U Navy Northstars are STATE CHAMPIONS. Our 12U Navy team battled hard in the championship game and earned a strong second place finish. Every Flagstaff team went undefeated in pool play—an incredible testament to their effort, discipline, and commitment throughout the season. Thank you for representing Flagstaff with pride. GO NORTHSTARS!
- I look forward to seeing all members of the association at the upcoming President's Banquet on April 2 at the Orpheum Theatre.

#### Vice President's Report (Chris Whitney)

- No report.

#### Treasurer's Report (Gina Nabours)

- No report (covered in agenda)

#### Secretary's Report (Tiffany Abbott)

- Spring Stick Time will now be split into two age groups to better manage players on the ice. Additionally, we've added a second Stick Time on Sundays to accommodate the separate age groups. This is a new change we are trialing in the spring. If all goes well, we will implement the same schedule for the summer. Coach coverage is needed for both age groups during these sessions. If you are willing to help serve as an ice monitor, [please sign up in DIBS](#). FYHA will pay \$25 per session for the first two coaches who sign up in DIBS. If you plan to attend, but do not wish to be paid, please notify Tiffany at [secretary@fyha.org](mailto:secretary@fyha.org) so we do not have to cancel sessions due to a lack of coaches. Thank you for helping support these opportunities for players to get extra ice time this spring!

- Reminder: in order to participate in on-ice activities (Stick Time) with players, you must be an approved volunteer with FYHA, complete your SafeSport and background check, and have a Player/Coach USA Hockey membership. Visit [fyha.org/volunteers](https://fyha.org/volunteers) for a list of requirements.
- Our 2026 Board of Directors Election will take place in April. We have six candidates for four open positions on the board. The candidates are Travis Joralmon, Leigh Mathias, Katie Kendall, Eric Weidinger, Andrea Kurelowech-Griffith, and Mike Darby. Meet the candidates here: [fyha.org/bod-candidates](https://fyha.org/bod-candidates). More information about voting will be sent via email.
- Our End of Year Program and Coaching Surveys will be sent via email following the conclusion of the season (Week of 3/16 for travel, 3/30 for club). We want to hear about your experience with FYHA this year so we can continue to improve. The survey is anonymous and will take 5-10 mins to complete.

#### **AAHA Hockey Director's Report (Travis Joralmon)**

- The directors had their monthly meeting and recapped the 8U tournament in Flagstaff. Everyone had great things to say and a big shout out to Jilleen Alessi and Tiffany Abbott for making sure everything was on point.
- We also discussed proposed policy changes at the state level. That will be voted on at an upcoming AAHA Board meeting.
- The hockey directors also approved Flagstaff to hold their tryouts prior to the approved date due to the rink closure in May. Travel tryouts for 10-14U Travel will be held at the end of April.

#### **Club Hockey Director's Report (Leigh Mathias)**

- Great turnout for Try Hockey for Free Event, 25 new skaters. Currently 3 has converted to the end of season club slots. Thank you to the many coaches, players, and volunteers that helped make this event successful.
- End of Year Gifts are in.

#### **Coaching Coordinator's Report (Chris Whitney)**

- 26/27 Head Coach Application is open: <https://fyha.sportngin.com/register/form/241147280>

#### **Equipment Manager's Report (Jilleen Alessi)**

- Team association gifts are here and handed out to all team managers.
- Water bottles have not come in – refund request?
- Waiting on shipment of bumpers.

#### **Fundraising's Report (Mike Darby)**

- Hats for players that sold 30+ discount cards have been ordered.
- Fry's community rewards account was approved.

#### **Ice Scheduler's Report (Brad Mihalik)**

- Spring/Summer:
  - Open ice has been forfeited back to the city through April.
  - If you are trying to schedule something, the Master Ice Calendar (Ice Scheduler's Ice Calendar) that team managers have access to is up to date. If you are trying to schedule within the next couple of months, check with me so I can ensure we can re-acquire the ice from the city.
  - Stick Time on Sundays will be split into age appropriate groups beginning this Sunday 3/22 (6,8,10U 9-10am & 12,14,16U 10:15-11:15am) with some exceptions. There are several weeks in late April into May that weekend ice is not available but this Stick

Time Schedule will resume on 5/17 through 7/12. There will also be age appropriate Stick Time on Tuesdays and Thursdays through the spring but the schedule is sporadic so check the FYHA calendar!

- Summer Pond Hockey on Tuesday evenings (6,8,10U) and Thursday evenings (12,14,16U) will begin on 5/19 and run through 7/30. Registration will be open soon.
- Key dates:
  - Week of March 16th - Last travel practices are scheduled
  - March 23rd - Coaches game - 5:30pm
  - March 28th - Last day of Club hockey
  - March 22nd - Age appropriate Stick Time begins Sundays, Tuesdays & Thursdays (check the calendar because there are some exceptions)
  - April - A new Ice Scheduler 😊
  - April 2nd - FYHA Banquet at the Orpheum
  - April 18th & 19th Robby Glantz Power Skating Clinic
  - April 21st & 27th 10, 12, 14U Travel Tryouts
  - Rink Closure - May 4th - May 15th
  - June 15th-19th Rocky Mountain Hockey School
  - July 20th-24th Northwestern Hockey Camp
  - July 24th-26th Dark Sky 3v3 Tournament
  - August - September TBD - Schott's Tots Program
  - August 10th - Travel Practice Begins / 8U Travel Tryouts
  - August 22nd & 23rd Christian Grunnah (GPS) Skating Clinic
  - September 5th-7th Travel Seeding Tournament
  - September 14th Club Season Begins

#### **Webmaster's Report (Tiffany Abbott)**

- Registration links have been updated for our Spring/Summer Camps & Clinics: [fyha.org/camps-clinics](http://fyha.org/camps-clinics)

#### **Registrar's Report (Charlie Knotts)**

- No report.

#### **Manager Coordinator's Report (Molly Joralmon)**

- I will collect all of the iPads, chargers, projectors, and stands from the managers.

#### **Goalie Coordinator's Report (Mark Del Giorgio)**

- No report.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- FYHA President's Banquet, Thursday, 4/2
- Robby Glantz Power Skating, 4/18-19 ([Register here](#))
- FYHA Travel Tryouts, 4/21 and 4/27 ([Register here](#))
- Rocky Mountain Hockey School Summer Camp, 6/15-19 ([Register here](#))
- Snowman Goaltending Summer Camp, 7/9-12 ([Register here](#))
- Northwestern Hockey Camp, 7/20-24 ([Register here](#))

## **OLD BUSINESS**

AAHA Grant Update/Disbursement

Team Store Options (Flag Ts)

2026-2027 Season Travel Tryouts

EOY Gifts

President's Banquet

EOY Program/Coaching Survey

Club Mini Skills Clinic

BOD Election Committee

Program Committee

Dark Sky Committee

Coaching Selection Committee

## **NEW BUSINESS**

8U and 10U State Debrief

Tryout Concerns

Development Teams

Info Night

Parent Sponsored Jerseys

Present 2026-2027 Budget

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Scholarship Hours Update

*Please note: all agenda items are subject to change up until the meeting.*