



**Minnesota Hockey District 3**  
**Monthly Board Meeting – Minutes**  
**Plymouth Community Center - Aspen Room**  
**June 11th, 2025**

	<b>Executive Committee &amp; Associates</b>			<b>Association Reps</b>	
X	Paul Steenerson	District Director	X	Kevin Pote	ACYHA
X	Gina Hansen	President/Scheduling	X	Kristi Duis	Delano Area
X	Michelle Jirik	Administrator	X	Tim Klenz	Hopkins
	Josh Hicks	Hockey Operations	X	Matt Marsh	Minneapolis
X	Machel Whitmore	Registrar		Mike Walsh	Westonka
	Kendra Verbeten	Treasurer	X	Gina Hansen	Orono
	Neil Olson	BHRA President		Nick Rice	OMG
X	Matt Olsonoski	BHRA Supervisor	X	Charlie McChesney	St Louis Park
	Mike Anderson	BHRA Scheduler	X	Ben Norton	Wayzata
X	Michelle Jirik	Tourney Coord.			
	Chad Wieneke	HP/Tier 1 Program Dir.			
	Josh Hicks	Coach-in-Chief		<b>Guests/Alternates Present:</b>	
	Tim Przybyski	Disciplinary Chair	X	Dan Eveland	
X	Todd Sherner	Girls Coordinator	X	Colin Steen - OMGHA	
	<b>Open Position</b>	Membership Devel.			
	Greg Gibson	JGHSL			
	Todd Larson	JGHSL			
	Andy Treno	Goalie Coordinator			

**Call to order TIME: 7:02pm**

Approval of May 2025 Meeting Minutes:

- Time: 7:03pm
- Motion to approve: Matt
- Seconded: Kristi
- Minutes Approved: yes

Approval of Special Meeting Minutes from May 28th:

- Time: 7:04pm
- Motion to approve: Kevin
- Seconded: Kristi
- Minutes Approved: yes



**District 3 Director Report:** Thank you for your support. President's Meeting scheduled June 23rd at Pub 42 at 7pm in New Hope. Competition committee meeting prior to the regular meeting and Kevin Pote will be sending out emails to presidents to get a little more explanation regarding team declarations. Asking the board to think about as we move forward through this next season is to consider for the season 2026-27 to make the team declarations in the rules and regs and look at making these rules. Season notes. The 2025-2027 ref contract was approved. Squirts and 10U will be going back to full complement of games for this coming season 2025-26 and looking at getting 16 league games at this point.

**District 3 President Report:** The following dates are the tentative start dates for League Game Scheduling for the different levels: Bantams September 16, with League play starting Nov 1. Pee Wee and 12U Girls September 23, with League play starting Nov 1. S squirt and 10U Girls October 7, with League play starting on November 15. 15U Girls is a TBD (likely early November). The start date of scheduling is an important date. Tournaments or other events cannot be added to a team's schedule after that date until the teams League Game schedule is available. If there is a tournament or some other event added within that time period that conflicts with a league game there will be a rescheduling fee and/or fine to pay. Please make sure that your Association scheduler is aware of tournaments and other block out dates for the teams prior to the start of scheduling. NO RESCHEDULES FOR ADDED TOURNAMENTS OR ROAD TRIPS!!! Get your black out dates to your ice scheduler now (look at next seasons school calendars, etc). Dec 22nd, 2025 through Jan 1st, 2026, we will have NO LEAGUE GAMES except for JG. League will resume on Jan 2nd, 2026. JG will only break 12/23-12/26 and 12/31-1/1. Super Bowl Sunday there will be no games scheduled after 3 pm. D3 is not hosting any Region or State Tournaments this season but we will be hosting:

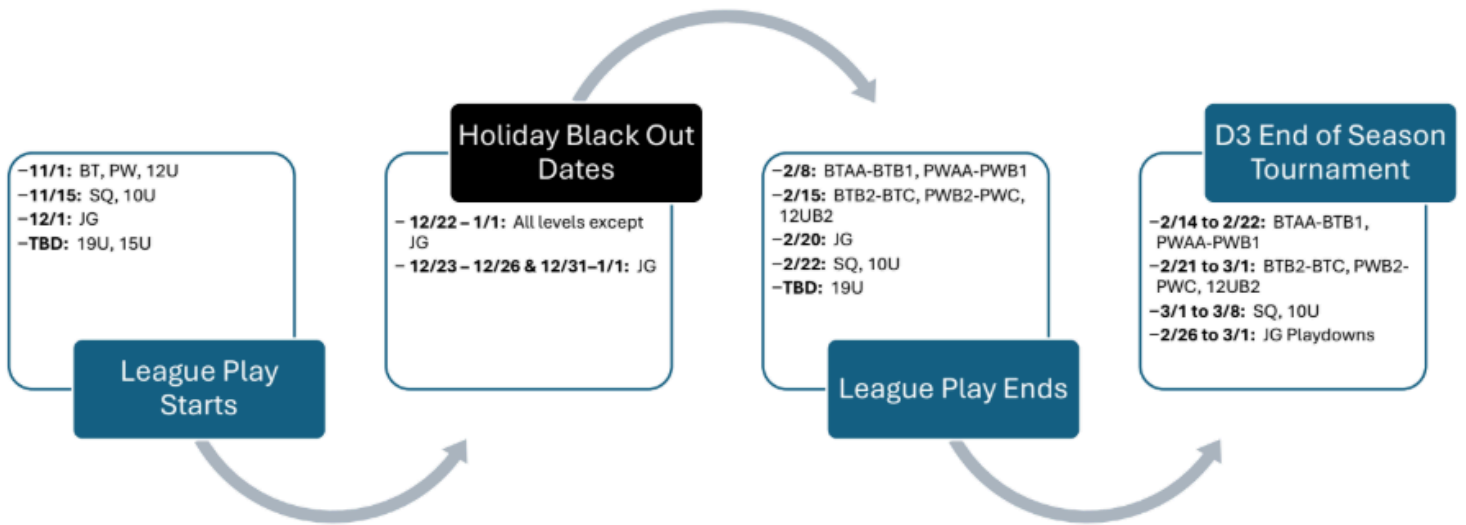
- - World Junior Supplemental Tournament - SLP and Hopkins
- - JG Playdowns (all levels) - Wayzata and OMG
- - National High School Tournament - Wayzata

Michelle is working hard to get the calendar on the website updated. We will continue to update in the next few weeks.

- Please be working toward final team declarations which will be due no later than our August meeting (8/11).
- Please complete the tryout completion document that was sent earlier this week.



# Important Dates for Scheduling



## Scheduling Timeline (Tentative)

- Scheduling Meeting
- Tournament Dates Finalized
- Scheduling Start Date
- Scheduling Review Period
- Final Schedule Released

Level	Scheduling Meeting	Tournament Dates Finalized	Scheduling Start Date	Scheduling Review Period	Final Schedule Released
19U	See Kendra for all dates				
JG	N/A	09/01	11/15	11/19 – 11/23	11/30
BT	Mid August	09/01	<a href="#">09/16</a>	9/26 – 10/3	10/15
PW, 12U	Mid August	09/01	<a href="#">09/23</a>	10/3 – 10/10	10/15
SQ, 10U	Mid August	09/01	<a href="#">10/07</a>	10/17 – 10/24	11/1
15U	Mid August	09/01	<a href="#">11/04</a>	11/14 – 11/21	11/30



# D3 Tournament Hosts

Count of D3 Host	Column Labels	Armstrong	Delano	Hopkins	Minneapolis	Mound	Orono	Osseo MG	St. Louis Park	Wayzata	N/A	Grand Total
10U A										1		1
10U B1							1					1
10U B2					1							1
12U A					1							1
12U B1							1					1
12U B2								1				1
15U A					1							1
15U B								1				1
19U											1	1
Bantam AA		1										1
Bantam A										1		1
Bantam B1				1								1
Bantam B2			1									1
Bantam C										1		1
Junior Gold 16											1	1
Junior Gold A											1	1
Junior Gold B											1	1
PeeWee AA										1		1
PeeWee A								1				1
PeeWee B1		1										1
PeeWee B2						1						1
PeeWee C							1					1
Squirt A										1		1
Squirt B1			1									1
Squirt B2									1			1
Squirt C								1				1
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>26</b>

**District 3 Administrator Report:** Calendar, Bylaws, Rules and Regs(Handbook), contact list, reports - .

**District 3 Registrar Report:** I attended the USA hockey annual meeting in Denver last week. I'll be scheduling our season kick off meeting soon.

**District 3 Treasurer Report:**

**GameSheet Report:**

**Associates Reports:**

Supervisor of Officials: BHRA has a good returning referees and has a good group of trained officials for this next season.

Coach in Chief: Nothing to report

Membership and Development: Have interest from Dan Eveland.

Jr. Gold/JGHSL: 25/26 JrGold Team Declarations:

\*Delano: 1-JGB?

\*Mound: 1-JGB?

\*Mpls: 1-JGB

\*OMG: 1-JGA, 2-JGB, 1-JG16

\*Orono: 2-JGB

\*SLP: 1-JGA, 1-JGB

\*Wayzata: 1-JGA, 2-JGB, 1-JG16

Disciplinary Committee: No report

Tier 1/HP Director: The HP team met to debrief on the spring HP season, plan for the fall Tier 1 & 2 season and to review/confirm roles and responsibilities for 2025.



Girls Coordinator: Nothing new at this time.

Hockey Operations: Nothing to report

Tournament Coordinator: June 16th Sanctioned tournament meeting for all associations. Email has been sent and it will be at Plymouth Community Center at 6:30pm.

Goalie Coordinator: no updates

### **D3 Association Representatives:**

Armstrong Cooper: Announced our 2 new Varsity programs last week! STP summer programs are off and running! Really light board meeting on Monday.

Delano: Working with the city for 2nd sheet planning

Summer training started this week - adding some open skate and open hockey times at night as requested by families. Hosted tourneys are both full - working on getting all tourneys for travel teams. Delano was selected as a "skate it forward" site with the Wild.

Hopkins: We have moved up some things this year to get a better jump on them. Registration is set to begin June 16th and tryouts have been moved up a little earlier (Sept 24-27) to better align with other nearby associations. Preparing for the upcoming season with a paint and cleanup day and the Hopkins Pavilion, as well as World Showdown and tournament planning in full swing!

Minneapolis: Minneapolis is excited for the upcoming season. After submitting our level declarations, level directors are working on tournaments, coordinating with our ice scheduler to prepare ice schedules and working on completion dates for tryouts.

Mound Westonka:

Orono: no report

Osseo Maple Grove: Kicking off another season of "try hockey for free" and "skate it forward" with the Wild.

St Louis Park: Annual meeting took place 6/2, minor turnover. Ramping up recruitment via Rookie Camp, working on greater involvement with HP girls this year. Added SQB/B2 tournaments this season (outdoor game included).

Wayzata: Wondering about which cities created the 19U Frost team.

### **New Business:**

Delano: 1. Looking to confirm some scheduling related items - start date of league games for all levels, SQA game count (we have historically added a tourney as we've struggled with scrimmage coordination so would like to know if a 4th tourney is needed). 2. Would like to begin the discussion of adding term limits to the Director and President positions.

Armstrong: Do we know the date that we can begin "exhibitions" this year? Yes, other than the fact that rosters must be registered with USA Hockey. - More to come on this as we get closer to Aug and finalize the calendar dates for starting the season.

### **Old Business:**

**Adjourn TIME:** 8:18 pm

→ Motion to Approve: Ben - Wayzata

→ Seconded: Kristi - Delano

