

RWD Yeti's Youth Hockey
Meeting Agenda October 22, 2025
Location: Brewsters 6PM
Address: 121 Viking Dr, Reedsburg, WI 53959

1. Call to Order 6:03 p.m. by John Krus.
 - A. Board Members in attendance: John Krus, Brad Lee, Carl Vick, Megan Spears, Becky Spencer, Jeff Kaminski, Mallory Belk, Richie Strutz, Brittany Dempsey.
 - B. Guests in attendance: Brad Drose, Jamie Brandt, Joe Stando, Coach Billy Oakes, Erin Lee.

2. Presidents Report: I attended the United Fund in Dells. Thank you Carl & Brad for getting information together.

* If any board members are getting complaints or have had members calling and harassing you, please let me know. If they want to talk about the building project, this is a matter that is handled between the board, City of Reedsburg, and the donor. RWD Youth Hockey members should attend a board meeting and will need to present themselves in front of the board in an official manner. The board is a 9-member team that will address these actions and comments or concerns together in an appropriate manner of organization business.

3. Guest: Joe Stando, Brad Droste, Jamie Brandt, Coach Billy Oakes, Erin Lee
 - A. Joe Stando – Attention and questions were presented regarding the process of the pending new building and current structure. Current building conditions were discussed, and some concerns were brought to board attention. Guests made recommendations for areas of evaluation for updates prior to or during the pending building. Discussed necessary Zamboni room updates including mechanicals and replacing concrete amongst others. Reported current hydraulic line leak on the Zamboni, discussed appropriate servicing and options for servicing. Mr. Stando actively participated in overall guest discussions.
 - B. Brad Droste - informed board of Wisconsin Dept of Administration's Non-State Grant. In process of filling out application for new RWD Youth Hockey building. Mr. Droste actively participated in overall guest discussions.
 - C. Jamie Brandt – Reviewed new bid increase by Holtz Builders. Plan to request a meeting regarding bid which would include the builders, donor, and RWD board representative(s). Mr. Brandt actively participated in overall guest discussions.
 - D. Coach Billy Oakes – Expressed that he thought PeeWee and Squirt try-outs went well. Reviewed commitment of 2 H.S. players attend LTP practices every Saturday morning unless the team is traveling out of town.

Discussed potential youth camp in Spring 2026. Brad Droste and Coach Oakes encouraged advertising for H.S. game dates events:

- November 25th Teddy Bear Toss
- November 29th Alumni Weekend
- December 11th Teacher Appreciation Night – Lake Delton
- January 6th NHL Fight Cancer
- January 9th Youth Night / Culvers Night
- January 29th Senior Night

4. Secretary's Report:

- A. Minutes approved 10/8/2025. Motion by Brad Lee, Second to Motion by Becky Spencer. Motion carried.

5. Treasures Report

- A. Financial statements reviewed.
B. CD – Royal Bank next month.
C. Received grant for goalie equipment.
D. Motion to approve treasurer's report by Jeff Kaminski, Second to Motion by Richie Strutz. Motion carried.

6. Region 4 Council-

- A. Reminder of due dates for Safe Sport Certifications.
B. Council emphasized no cell phones in locker room policy.

7. Forward Planning:

- A. Building Update
B. All American Contract
C. TV For Locker Room Assignments – Motion to purchase a TV and mount in the amount up to \$300 was made by Mallory Belk, Second to Motion by Brittany Dempsey. Motion carried.

8. Fundraising:

- A. Sportsman's Raffle: Almost all out of raffle tickets, Brittany Dempsey will place order for 500 more tickets.
B. Golf Outing: Approve Trappers Contract
C. Pizza Raffle: November 6th – pick up at Viking. Distribution at RACA.
D. Brat Feed
E. Brewster Lanes Bowling Fundraiser

9. Membership:

- A. Release - Parker Schweda, Malik and Khawia Strong - Motion to sign player releases by Jeff Kaminski, Second to Motion by Brad Lee. Motion carried.
B. Aria Gada Bantam Goalie – Motion to wave registration fee for Aria and family service hours made by Megan Spears, Second to Motion by Richie Strutz. Motion carried.

10. Rink

- A. We had to order more Glycol to finish getting the amount we needed. Everything is looking good around the Rink for this weekend Tournament
- B. Auto Fryer: Big Thank to Damion Pulchny for helping setup Auto Fryer yesterday and we did taste testing on the French fries and chicken strips. Thank you for donation of \$1000 of fries and chicken strips.
- C. Slushie Machine: Continue to check on Holiday Wholesale pricing. Motion to replace slushie machines valued up to \$2500 made by Richie Strutz, Second to Motion by Carl Vick. Motion carried.
- D. Shooting Room: Fall
- E. Brandon Clark (Rink Master Position): Derek Bennett, Jason Mathis, Austin Phillips. Setup them up for “When I Work” app) to help see who is available for Rink Master Duties.
- F. Keys: Brad Lee – Need keys for rink master(s). Coach Oakes request keys.

11. Equipment:

- A.

12. Ref & Ice Scheduling:

- A. Brad Lee sends schedules out to have open referee availability spaces filled. Looking for assistance in management of referee scheduling. Discussion regarding use of the “When I Work” app for referee schedules. Motion to approve \$4/referee/month “When I Work” app fee made by Jeff Kaminski, Second to Motion by Richie Strutz. Motion carried.
- B. Referees pay rates per game: L1 \$37.50, L1 \$42.50, L3 \$47.50, L4 \$52.50. Motion to approve pay rates at current rate made by Carl Vick, Second to Motion by Mallory Belk. Motion carried.

13. Ace Coordinator:

- A. Goalie practices are scheduled, and I will be consulting with goalie coach regarding fee.
- B. Dane County Mite League Schedule will require adjustments. Coaches Tom Tylka and Jake Dorow attended meeting.

14. Coaches:

- A. Committee Members – Currently 4 coaches with certifications at each level of Squirts, Peewee and Bantams. Mites –there are 8 names who applied as coaches, and 2 LTP. Noted there are 4 LTP players of Squirt age.
- B. Ice Hockey System: Most coaches have been given information login. Coach Oakes will put a practice together every 2 weeks.
- C. All Coaches have Safe Sport current.

15. Committee Reports:

- A. Rink -
- B. Fundraising -

- C. Coaches -
- D. Concessions -
- E. Tournaments -
- F. DIBS -

16. Old Business

- A. Director VS Rink Master (Update on what the city can do for full time position) city has approved this in 2027 budget.
- B. Sportsman Raffle Kayak need to get yet

17. Closed Session meeting:

- A. Roster Approval
- B. Coaches Approval

18. Resume Open Session – Unanimous vote roster approval.

19. Next Meeting Place & Time: November 12th @ 6pm Monks Downtown

20. Adjourn

- A. Time: 9:27 p.m. Motion to Adjourn by Brad Lee, Second to Motion by Mallory Belk