

**Escanaba Area Junior Hockey Association**  
**Regular Monthly Meeting**  
**January 8, 2025**  
**HIT Concession Area**

- I. Call to Order – The meeting was called to order by President Trevor Sholten at 6:04pm.
- II. Roll Call
  - a. Board Members – Present: Trevor Sholten, Andy Wilson, David Spilling, Holly Seidenstucker, Michelle Freel, Amanda Knuth, Korinne Lamoreaux, Caley Corbett, Chris Korpi and Matt Hughes.  
Not Present: Jennifer Blickham
  - b. General Membership – Mike Lasecki, Cassie Lanaville, Jordi Maloney and Josh Lancour.
- III. Approval of the Agenda – Motion made by Michelle Freel and seconded by Korinne Lamoreaux. Motion carried.
- IV. Board Reports
  - a. Secretary’s Report – Minutes from the December 11<sup>th</sup> meeting presented as written. Motion made by Michelle Freel to approve the Secretary’s Report. Motion supported by Amanda Knuth. Motion carried.
  - b. Treasurer’s Report – David Spilling presented the financials. Motion made to accept the Treasurer’s Report by Holly Seidenstucker. Motion supported by Andy Wilson. Motion carried.
  - c. Division Director's Report
    - i. IP (Maki/Blickham) – Nothing new to report.
    - ii. Mites (Open) – Parent meeting went well.
    - iii. Squirts (Lanaville) – Nothing new to report.
    - iv. PeeWees (Lasecki) – Nothing new to report.
    - v. Bantams (Lasecki) – Behavior issue at the last game, player benched.
  - d. Standing Committee Reports
    - i. Complex (Fisher) – Joe Silta graded the parking lot for us. Jay Hayes may be able to do it in the future.
    - ii. Sponsors (Vertz) – New sign up by the office. Also signs ready to go above team pictures.
    - iii. Coaches (Hughes) – Everyone now has met all requirements.
    - iv. EAJHA Growth Coordinator (Blickham) – Nothing new to report.

- v. Scheduling (Korpi) – Nothing new to report. Next meeting work on spring schedule. Contact Hannahville Indian Community to see if they are keeping their ice time slot.
  - vi. Concession (Corbett) – Five families have not completed their DIBS. Emailing David and Trevor the names to be invoiced. Need to post procedures on closing and cleaning the concession stand.
  - vii. Equipment (Lamoreaux) – Cannot find small referee shirts. Would like to set out old equipment for free at the jamboree.
  - viii. Fundraising (Vertz) – Nothing new to report.
  - ix. Referees (Johnson) – We only have 3 high schoolers and 2 PeeWee’s. We need a few more. Michelle Freel to reach out to her contacts.
  - x. Sportsmanship & Behavior (Knuth) – Bantam incident.
  - xi. Safe Sport (Hughes) – Nothing new to report.
  - xii. Registration (Freel) – Two families still owe for the season. Getting the 6U and 8U birth certificates. Michelle will be stepping down and need someone to fill her spot.
  - xiii. Tournaments (Lamoreaux) – Schedule and sign-up sheets for In the Sticks are complete. District hotels listing is ready. The Chamber is putting together goodie bags and we will add to them. Asking Bink’s for donation of Gatorade. Local businesses will also be putting the event on their signs. Looking for more score box workers and referees to help. Started the brochure for districts. Looking for each team to donate a basket for the raffle.
  - e. CUP Report – Nothing new to report.
  - f. NIHL Report – Nothing new to report.
- V. Correspondence
- a. Email – None.
  - b. Mail – EMP sponsor check, IRS letter, P.O. Box bill and Kirsten Scholarship contribution.
- VI. Action Items Follow Up
- a. Trevor to post in the Mite chat about parents’ behavior – Done
  - b. Caley to send email to parents that do not have their dibs hours in – Done
  - c. Korinne getting information ready for districts – Done
  - d. Monday, December 16<sup>th</sup> player evaluations for move-ups – Done
  - e. 8U Plus roster completed – Done
- VII. Old Business
- a. None.

VIII. New Business

- a. Mom of the Year – nominees due the weekend before the meeting.
- b. Coach of the Year – nominees due the weekend before the meeting.
- c. HS Scholarship application requests – 3 seniors, applicants due the weekend before the next meeting.
- d. EAJHA Recruitment – the following members will have their terms ending after this season, Treavor Sholten, Andy Wilson, Jennifer Blickham, Matt Hughes, Chris Korpi and Michelle Freel. If you know anyone interested, please have the start to come to meetings.

IX. Public Comments/Concerns of the General Membership – None.

X. Action Items –

- a. Invoice the 5 families that did not complete their hours.
- b. Email team managers about donating a basket for districts
- c. Michelle contacting more referees
- d. Concession procedures printed and put back in the concession stand
- e. Contact Hannahville Indian Community to see if they wanted to continue their open skate time
- f. Contact AJ to see if he will make banners for In the Sticks, Regionals and Districts.
- g. Contact Bink's to see if they would donate Gatorade for the jamboree and districts

XI. Next Meeting – February 12, 2025, at 6:00pm in the HIT Concessions Area

XII. Adjourn – The meeting was motioned to adjourned by David Spilling and supported by Matt Hughes. Motion carried and meeting adjourned at 7:06p.m.