

The Pas Minor Hockey Executive Meeting

Thursday, February 4, 2010

Attendance:	Angie Quiring	Marju Hagborg	Cherise Despins	Lori Hanson
	Patti Hayes	Wayne Yaremko	Vince Ogradnick	Jolene Salisbury
	Todd Rambow	Robert Haukaas	Nancy Haukaas	Ron LaRocque
Regrets:	Andre Murphy	Holly Bertholet	Carolyn Hiebert	

Meeting started @ 7:40 pm.

Squirts

- There is a player that the coaches do not feel comfortable coaching. A couple of incidents have happened where the youth in question lashes out at other players ie. Swinging his stick, etc. The parents are aware of the problem.
- SOLUTION: The parents are to assign an adult (coaching certificate optional) to supervise the youth during squirt practices at their expense. If this doesn't work and the other players safety is still compromised and the coaches are not satisfied, the youth will be asked to leave The Pas Minor Hockey Association.

- An incident that took place a few weeks ago where there was a sign up for a hockey tournament and a parent placed her 6 year son's name on the sheet. As a prank, another 7 year old player crossed out the signed up players name. The parent found the crossed out name and proceeded to make threats at other parents, yell and swear in the arena lobby. She openly blamed other parents and when it was found who the player was, she yelled at him as well.
- A private meeting was held with the parent, her husband and Andre and Vince to rectify this event. In this meeting it was stated she was not remorseful for making accusations and she defended her position.
- A private meeting was also held with the other concerned parents who brought forward the complaint and witnessed the event.
- SUGGESTIONS FROM THIS MEETING: Discussion on suspension of the player who crossed out the players (suggested one week) and the parent to be suspended for the rest of the season. It was found that the player had already apologized to parent and was still yelled at by her. Suggested not punishing the player because he has already apologized. It was suggested that Vince meet with parent and player who crossed out the name on the signup sheet at a later date to ensure incident was documented. It was also suggested to look into getting a plexiglass cover for the bulletin board to curb future graffiti and to send a memo to the coaches regarding this matter.

A motion was placed forth to suspend the parent for a month from all hockey related activities through The Pas Minor Hockey Association that takes place in the Roy H. Johnston arena. Before returning from suspension, the parent will have to schedule a meeting through the executive to meet with the parent who brought forth the written complaint and two executive members to apologize. If the parent is not prepared to participate in the meeting, a suspension will be issued for the remainder of the season. This suspension is effective Monday, Feb. 8, 2010 to Monday, March 8, 2010.

First to Motion: Todd Rambow

Second to Motion: Wayne Yaremko

Unanimous decision from all present at meeting

Motion carried

Meeting adjourned @ 8:18 pm