

**Grafton Youth Hockey Association
Special Meeting Agenda
10-14-13
6:30 PM Centennial Center**

- I. Call to order**
- II. Roll Call**
- III. New Business**
 - a. Bantams-1 or 2 teams**
 - b. Pee Wee B coach**
 - c. Squirt coach**
- IV. Adjournment**

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President Moe called the meeting to order.

Members Present were Brad Moe, Kristy Jelinek, Susan Suda, Troy Sangrait and Brad Janikowski

Members Absent were Hans Halvorson and Dean Woinarowicz

New Business

Discussion was had on how to split up the Bantam team. There are 18 skaters and 1 goalie. Travis Bell from the Park River Board contacted Susan and told her he spoke with the Park River parents and they wanted two teams and had another goalie. Susan contacted the Grafton area parents and the majority of those parents would like two teams as well.

The benefits of having two teams is that kids would be more playing time, kids would be playing at the right levels. The cons of two teams would be only 9 skaters on each team and if one or two kids couldn't play at any given time it would make it difficult for the whole team. In order to have 9 skaters per team the oldest Pee Wee would be asked to join the team.

The benefits of one team is more skaters and less worry about not having enough kids to compete and the cons would be not a lot of playing time for everyone.

Susan moved to create two bantam teams with each team having a goalie and 9 skaters by moving up the oldest Pee Wee player.

Motion passed with Troy abstaining from the vote because the eldest Pee Wee would be his son.

Board members have been in contact with a number of people to coach the Pee Wee B team. We are waiting to hear back from a couple of past coaches.

Squirt coaches were discussed with Troy offering to coach or asking Casey and Dillan Moe to move up.