

Jr. Blue Hens Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, October 16, 2024, 7:00pm-9:00pm Fred Rust Ice Arena

Attendees: Bruce Morris, Katie Heffington, Todd Kinkus, Megan Shannon, Mitch Broadbent, Katie Longwell, Jim Persolo, Morgan Weibke, Mike Swift, Dan Schindlar

Guests: B. Mellon, A. Johnson, L. Solimini, and JT Wisnieski

- 1. Welcome guests!**
- 2. Approve past meeting minutes - approved**
- 3. President-Dan Schindler - will share throughout**
- 4. Vice President-Todd Kinkus**
 - a. Skill clinic update**
 - b. New coaches update - Paul will begin working with 10U B**
 - c. Goalie enrichment - Got in touch with Defending the Crease and will be setting that up**
 - d. Coaches meeting - Met with all coaches and Mayville, emails will be sent to families with the evaluations.**
 - i. May have some opportunities for UD players to help with coaching.**
 - e. Coaches will provide each player a progress report**
 - f. Meet the Blue Hens night November 12 - will invite 10U B and 12U B along with the full ice inhouse programs. Planned to have Captains from 16U teams to come out. Will run from 5:30-6:30 where players will be on the ice with JBH**
- 5. Treasurer-Katie Heffington**
 - a. Tuition payments - due by 12/1 and have families reach out with any issues. Will include in the next Chicken Wire.**
- 6. Registrar-Bruce Morris - Looking at next year to build better way of reading reports, also trying to include the contract and \$ online**
- 7. Club Scheduler-Mitch Broadbent - Schedule is done for the Mites, it is not in the DVHL, but has been added to SE, have Jill Forcade (mite Manager) double check that both match.**
- 8. Public Relations/Webmaster-Jim Persoleo - may look at adjusting the site to make it more "user friendly" and easier to find things.**
- 9. DVHL Representative-Ian MacKenzie**
 - a. DVHL Updates - No updates**
- 10. Event Coordinator-Katie Longwell - pictures will be in BLue uniforms, will send Megan and email to send to all managers with directions, times and ordering links.**
 - a. Holiday Party - skating and skills or coaches game??**
 - b. MLK tournament shirts - ideas for shirts for the organization, list of all kids names on the back, we would be looking to do long sleeve shirts**
- 11. Team Manager Liaison-Megan Shannon - Auction basket update and ball drop tickets being collected, Haven't received emails about games running over, but they still are - planned to reach out to refs and be out for games on time, and ensure all upper teams are wearing mouthguards and neck guards.**
- 12. Player Development Coordinator-Mat Gooch - all was ready to go with the Golf outing.**

- 13. In-house Coordinator - Morgan - coaches will be keeping an eye out for players who may be interested in JBH**
- 14. Hockey Director-Chris Mayville - LRM - someone needs to be in the locker room at all times for games, practices and skills clinics, new coaches Paul for 10UB and some UD players that will begin to help out.**
- 15. Skills Director-Mike Swift - skills are going well, will be switching from skills to more situational practices.**
- 16. Executive Session** (*See executive session agenda*)