

Minnesota River Bulldog Hockey Association  
May14, 2025 @6:30pm

Board Members Present: Eric, Crystal, Dani, Brielle, Kari, Brittany, Alyssa, Jill, Leslie, Laura, Greg

Non- Board Members Present: Clara, Sarah, April, Kim

List of individuals that vote on gambling items:

Brielle Swenson, Andy Burns, Noah Rassmussen, Leslie Heilman, , Greg Westerman, John Laura Hulsebus, Danielle Syverson, Alyssa Baker, Kari Braun, April Slager

Call to Order and Roll Call-

- Approval of Agenda/Minute- Jill/Dani

Committees Reports

- Association Team Coordinator- see below
- Registrar- see update below. Looking at possibly having a try hockey for free before summer ice. Friday June 13<sup>th</sup> 5:30pm-7:30pm.
- Fundraising- no update.
- Volunteer- Need decision on how to proceed with cashing checks and notifying families.
- Marketing- no update.
- Sponsorship- See update below
- Concessions- no update
- Referee Coordinator- no update
- Ice Scheduler- no update.
- District Rep- no update.
  
- Tournament Committee Chair- no update
- Equipment- no update
- Clothing- Clothing window will open 5/16-5/23. Second window 6/9-6/16. The first 25-26 season clothing order will open in August. Looking at moving up the Christmas order this year. Will be starting on the project for parents of assigning numbers and getting jerseys ordered or name plated depending on size.
- Website- no update.

Old Business-Volunteer Hours

New Business-

- Vote for officers
- Vote for committee positions that have been applied for

Officers

- President- see update

- Treasurer- Report reviewed. Motion to approve report. Greg/Dani.
- Gambling- Gambling Manager Kari Braun presented report form LG1004 page 1 for April 2025. The membership reviewed items 1-7 and all related documents and a motion made by \_\_\_Dani and a second by \_\_\_Laura\_ was made to approve the report as read, Motion passed unanimously. Gambling manager Kari Braun presented completed and signed report form LG1004 page 2 for authorization of preapproval of allowable and lawful purpose expenditures for May 2025. The membership reviewed and approved the expenditures with a motion by \_\_\_Dani\_ and second by \_\_\_Laura\_. Motion passed. Motion to approve shelving unit. Laura made motion/Dani second. Motion to approve Laura Hulsebus to replace Lindsay Wachal as check signer. Leslie Heilman and Kari Braun will remain as signers on the account. Brittany motion/ Alyssa second. Motion approved.
- Hockey Operations Committee – no new update.
- Open Forum- Will have a summer camp June 14<sup>th</sup>. Hughlen?  
-Need to put \$35,000 into escrow account for summer ice.  
- Looking at raising ice costs about 5% for the 25-26 season.

#### OFFICERS:

President- Brielle

Vice President- Laura

Secretary- Leslie

#### COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Fundraising- Crystal

Volunteer-Leslie

Equipment- Alyssa

Concessions- Eric

Ice Scheduler- Andy

Marketing- Brittany

Website- Greg

Clothing- Dani

Tournament- Andy

Association Coordinator- Dani

Treasurer- Laura

District Rep- Greg

Referee Coordinator- Greg

HOC liaison- Andy

#### Committee Position Applications:

Volunteer Assistant: Clara Email Emily on Website re: DIBS access.

Summer Hockey Director: Tom/Jenny

Ice Scheduler- Jasmine Wagner

Mite Jamboree Coordinator-

Mite Director- Will ask HOC to fill.

## Next Meeting Date and Adjournment- Greg/Laura.

### MONTHLY RECAP

#### Committee Activities

Committee Name: Association Coordinator

For Month End: April \_\_\_\_\_

The biggest 'win' for your committee last month

(ie. Every volunteer showed up for their shift, All equipment was returned, etc..)

- Golf and Summer Ice opportunities have been communicated
- Tournament hotels have started getting booked

What can be improved for next month

N/A

What is your focus for next month

- Golf reminder emails
- Summer Ice reminder emails
- July 4th Parade info out to association
- Continue to book tournament hotels

What are the revenue & expenses for last month

\*if applicable

N/A

Do you have any requests for your committee, or items that need approval?

Sponsorships:

The biggest 'win' for your committee last month

We have our first in-ice advertiser. This is brand new this year and I am hopeful once others see the advertising in real life - they will want the opportunity to also be in-ice advertisers.

Two additional Team Sponsors sold (total Team Sponsors as of 5.13.25 = 3)

1. KRI Roofing
2. River's Edge Hospital

What can be improved for next month

What is your focus for next month

Gear Up for MN grant is due on June 1. I have started the application process and have sent it to Brielle, Equipment and Marketing to review. Since this is my first time applying for a grant we have successfully received in the past, I want to ensure we have the best possible chance of receiving these dollars again.

What are the revenue & expenses for last month

Do you have any requests for your committee, or items that need approval?

N/A

## MONTHLY RECAP

Committee Activities

Committee Name: Registrar

For Month End: May \_\_\_\_\_

The biggest 'win' for your committee last month

(ie. Every volunteer showed up for their shift, All equipment was returned, etc..)

- SUMMER ICE: registration is open. We have 96 kids registered.
- o Mite- 29
- o SQ- 10
- o PW- 10
- o BT- 13
- o 10U- 3
- o 12U- 3
- o HS- 28
  
- Need to inquire with Laura regarding possibly summer camps registrations – bulldogs or program; who does it?
- Summer ice schedule – a select few who would be new parents to the association are asking for the schedule. I've given them the basics; June-August, evenings. I don't know, that we want to give it out if they have not registered yet. Other associations would not.
  
- June – need to get information gathered for season registration