

Moses Lake Youth Hockey Association

Board Meeting Minutes

7/11/2023, 5:30pm

2609 West Broadway Ave, Moses Lake



Attendance: Troy Wiley, Ryan Porter, Alyssa Barlow, Dan Niehenke, Mike Meetsma, Courtney Russell, Kelli Hesse, Jill Solders, Scott McKinsey

Call to Order: 5:31

Meeting Minutes Approval: Alyssa motioned to approve the June minutes; Troy seconded it. All are in favor.

Old Business:

1. Sponsorship Update-How many?

Hockey Source has called to ask for info, Culligan water also called inquiring. We have 2 committed sponsors as of today.

2. Budget

Rink prices will be \$130 per hour. This will be about a \$3,000 increase in our costs for this year.

We discussed the Lodging Tax Grant Application as a means to pay for new bleachers. The idea is if we buy one and BMX buys one, they can be at the rink in the winter and the BMX Track in the summer.

Troy presented 2 budget options, one with raising registration and one without.

We talked about ways to keep the registration cost down. We are removing the budget for team gifts/party and Coach reimbursement (hotel) are being removed from the budget for now.

We decided to keep registration costs the same this year because there was money carried over from last year. The sponsorship committee is working hard to bring in money to offset the increase in ice fees.'

We discussed if we could have a Venmo or similar method to accept payments. Troy will look into it.

There were some questions about the coaching requirements and how this works with fall practices as the trainings aren't available until after the start of fall practices. Courtney is going to double check with Jeremy about what happens if we bring a new coach in and these aren't available.

3. Fall Practices

We discussed the fall practices in length. Having a small cost will help offset the costs. We decided on \$50. This works out to \$5 a session if you make all practices.

4. Hockey Tournaments- Is 12u committed to this?

Scott Freidig will organize/run this tournament under the guidance of Jill, our current Tournament director.

5. Recruitment Flyer-Did someone want to volunteer to create this?

Alyssa and Troy both have copies of this and will update it. They will either email it to everyone or share at the next meeting so we can approve it for distribution in September.

6. Account Signers- Melanie Strevy needs to be removed from the bank account. Troy Wiley (treasurer) will replace her on the account. We voted to also add Alyssa Barlow (Scheduler) to the account so she can pay for tournaments.

Meeting Adjourned: 6:40 pm

Next Meeting 8/8/2023 5:30pm