

# Moses Lake Youth Hockey Association

## Board Meeting Minutes

1/13/2026, 5:00pm  
2609 West Broadway Ave, Moses Lake



**Attendance:** Mike Meetsma, Scott Freidig, Troy Wiley, Todd Gregory, Kelli Hesse, Alyssa Barlow, Dan Niehenke, Courtney Russell, Ryan Porter, Kathleen Ranjan

**Call to Order:** 5:02

**Approve Minutes:** Dan motioned to approve the minutes. Alyssa seconded. All were in favor.

### **Treasurer's Report: Troy**

Full treasurer's report is attached. Troy is wondering if we want to pause any expenses in case we need to use the money to pay to extend the chiller. Alyssa motioned to pause all team building expenses until we know about the status of our ice rink. We may need to use that money to pay for more ice time. Dan seconded the motion. The vote passed 5-1.

### **Old Business**

#### **1. Tournament Status**

12u tournament went great. Scott received a few bits of constructive criticism, but overall people were very pleased.

#### **2. Ref Development/Training**

We added 2 games to totals for refs over the weekend. Njell and Andrew picked up an extra game so that Njell could do some training with our younger refs. Tonight all of the new refs will be helping to ref a practice game and Njell is overseeing it.

#### **3. Team Pictures**

Any person doing business on city property must fill out the appropriate paperwork with the city. We asked Michelle if she would be willing to take and distribute a digital product only for this year. We would keep her off of the ice. She will either shoot through the door or shoot photos on land.

#### **4. Senior Banners/Recognition**

Kathleen Ranjan came and talked to us about her plans for a senior night. We are in support of this but this year is hard. Once we know a date the rink will close, we will know what options we have. If the rink closes early we will lose the ability to do this at a regular home game and may need to try to squeeze it into the tournament opening ceremonies.

#### **5. Jersey Update/Decision**

We've had a lot of problems with inconsistent sizing with the new jerseys. Rob wants to make it right for us. He has switched vendors as the vendor he was using wasn't working out. He ordered new red jerseys already and they will be here in a few weeks. We are going to order just black and white ones only for players whose new jerseys didn't fit.

## **New Business:**

### **6. Coaches Jacket (8u)**

Mike is asking for permission to buy a coach jacket for the 8u coach. All were in favor. Mike will move forward with this.

### **7. Bobble Head/Tri-Cities Tickets**

We will give this away during Beginning Hockey.

### **8. City Council Meeting**

Scott F. is heading to the city council meeting tonight. He is asking for them to keep the ice going until March 1st. He wants to know how much it will cost and how we can work together to keep the ice open longer. We also want to start the process of how the rink gets fixed for next year. We won't have an answer tonight but he wants to start the process.

**Adjourn:** 6:18pm

**Next Meeting:** February 10th, 5:30pm