

MAHA District 6 Council

September 11, 2018

Wings West Ice Arena

Minutes

Welcome:

Attendance and guests: Carly Costello-Guest

Absent: Adrian, Grand Rapids Blades, Grand Valley, Rockford,

Approval of August Minutes- Approved, Brian/Tom

Financial Report- Tom Berry

Checking-\$964.36 Paid mileage and August kick-off meeting. Outstanding-need to pay Patty for June and July, about \$100.

Budget meeting in Detroit this weekend.

Savings \$2759.48

Kevin had questions about grant money, no answers yet? Maybe this weekend at financial meeting, Tom will ask at the meeting.

Registrar- Amanda, rosters are coming through quickly. Background checks are very slow. Amanda has no control over backgrounds. Bantam AA-have the option to be listed as National Bound or non-National Bound, if ANY interest in going to Nationals, please fix on roster, asap. Coaches must have background, Safesport, and modules done before being put on the roster. Make sure coaches do all 3 sections of Safesport.

Reminder-Birth Certificates are mandatory!! At the older ages, USA usually asks for BC's because of parent error in registration.

Backgrounds are taking 7-10 days.

Referee-in-Chief- Art K./Frank

Seminar season, Jackson is this weekend, Kalamazoo next weekend, last seminar is 9/30 in Battle Creek. Level 4 is 9/23 in Patterson Ice Center. Number attending is up this year, 183

Match penalties-hearing 9/11. Haven't had any others yet.

One carry over Match penalty from last winter, being handled by MAHA legal.

Safesport/STAR

Nothing to report.

Coaching Director-Brian B

Expand contact clinics to do multiple throughout the year. (Bob Mancini- hopefully leading multiple in D6), aiming for 12/1 and 2, at West Michigan Aviation Academy.

Clinics are in full swing and posted on website. Still room in most.

Adults-Many arenas in our area that are not USA Hockey adult registered leagues. Arenas without USA registered leagues, players are not covered by USA Hockey insurance.

Technology Update-

Kevin talked with Steve Miller, Steve will open registration for Districts. The hope was to open and collect money on-line this year. This won't happen until next year.

This year, we still need to print out form and send to Tom Berry, with payment by November 1.

New Business:

September 30th is the deadline to send bids to Kevin for t-shirts. Get logo's to Steve.

District Tournament Sites: 2018/19

Travel-

Fox Motors-Squirt A, Bantam AA

GRAHA- Bantam A

KOHA-Pee Wee A, Squirt AA

Jackson-

Chelsea-Pee Wee AA

Berrien-

House-

Lakeshore- Squirt B

Westshore-Pee Wee B

Berrien-

Battle Creek-

Jackson-Bantam B

Make sure bids are in for Districts by September 1, 2019.

Team and player exceptions are OPEN on the MAHA.org website. Include as many details as possible. on-line only. Voting is done in December.

District 6 Rules-Brian Bellgraph

Rules for this year's tournament:

(Attach hand out)

Play-in Games Cost:

See agenda-

Correction on Bantam AA length of period should be 17 minutes

Old Business:

MAHA Reps need to provide Brian B with background check.

Book Checks will be at Patterson Ice Center on Tuesday January 15th, and Thursday January 17th at Suburban East Lansing.

Next meeting-Griffs Ice House October 9th.

Motion to adjourn 8:15 pm.