

SARTELL YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING

August 11, 2025 - 8pm

MINUTES:

Call to Order - 8:01 pm

Board Members Present: Beth Edelbrock, Samantha Huber, Jackie Barber, Ann Scott, Chris Jensen, Brian Fasen, Kayla Epsen, Amy Peterson, Sara DeVos

Board Members Absent: None

Others in Attendance: Jaime Burris, Sarah Maloney, Brian Zimny

Request for Agenda Items: None

Consent Agenda:

- **Minutes** (posted to the website)
- **Treasurer's Report** (Kayla)

TREASURER REPORT
August 2025

Account Balances as of 7/31/2025
General Fund Checking \$ 18,794.35
General Fund CD
General Fund Savings
TOTAL
Notes
\$ 300,000.00
\$ 357,136.78
\$ 675,931.13

- Registration in full swing, closing later this week for returning players.
- Working to collect from 4 families with outstanding dues from last season and 5 families with DIBs invoices for unfulfilled hours.
- Finalizing new budget.

- **Gambling Report** (Pam)

August Meeting Gambling Report

Approve July expenses in the amount of \$48,716.21

Pre-approve expenses for Sept in the amount of \$73,700.00

Sartell Youth Hockey donation \$30,000.00

Paperwork sent to Gambling Control Board for gambling license at Mr. D's in Sartell

Calendar Raffle – Usually order these beginning of September, need an estimate on

how many to order and when they will be handed out to the players.
Year end audit – Schlenner Wenner – All files have been delivered, proposed fee of \$10,750

Paper pulltab deposits

Feb 2024 \$18,356 vs Feb 2025 \$12,546

Mar 2024 \$20,580 vs Mar 2025 \$17,846

Apr 2024 \$12,031 vs Apr 2025 \$17,298

May 2024 \$14,216 vs May 2025 \$11,500

Jun 2024 \$14,939 vs Jun 2025 \$14,476

Update from last month July 2024 \$10,635 vs July 2025 \$9,917.00

001 - GREAT RIVER BOWL

E-tabs/E-bingo – Revenue for July was \$4,805.79

002 - RIVER BOAT DEPOT

Saturday afternoon meat raffles – Done for the season

Bar Bingo – Tuesday nights –

E-tabs/E-bingo – Revenue for July \$18,497.11

006 - BLUE LINE

Meat Raffles – Sled Hockey to get set up for Jul-Sept

Blue Line horse race pulltab games –

Bar Bingo - Wednesday nights –

E-tabs/E-bingo – Revenue for July was \$7,344.62

010 - UPPER DECK

Bar bingo – Thursday nights –

E-tabs/E-bingo – Revenue for July was \$2,938.71

015 – ANEJOS

E-tabs/E-bingo – Revenue for July was \$2,080.78

013 – THREE TEES GOLF SOCIAL

E-tabs/E-bingo – Revenue for July was \$593.47

Brian motioned to approve the consent agenda, Amy second. All present in favor, motion passes.

UPDATES:

Committees

- **HOC** (Burris) - See Attachment A

- **Recruiting**
 - Registered for “Try Hockey for Free” in September. Working with Marie Thompson to get volunteers.

- **Sponsorships/Fundraising**
 - Discussed the donor wall. Reaching out for sponsors for Mite jerseys and practice jerseys.

- **Registrar**
 - Making sure volunteer forms are completed. Getting parents cleared for locker room monitors. Need to clear 3v3 coaches now and season coaches soon. Jaime reached out to coaches two weeks ago for a reminder.

- **Tournaments**
 - No change to Battle by the River. No regions this year in Sartell. Bantam AA State tournament in March.

- **Equipment**
 - No updates

District 5 (Burris): Chris and Ann Attended. See Attachment B.

Arena Board (Zimny): Turf is pulled out of Bernicks. 2-3 days of board maintenance, flooding will start Monday. A little dripping in RDR. Still making adjustments with Legacy. We are on the right track. Bantam AA state tournament March 13-15. No regions, just districts.

Riverblades Co-Op (Ann S): Reversible jerseys approved for U8. Pictures will be the 1st week of November. Hosting a back to ice event on Thursday. Working on recruitment and retention. Husky Pups for recruitment event scheduled with SCSU.

Level Coordinators

- **Mite** (Emily): None

- **Squirt** (open): None

- **PeeWee** (open): None

- **Bantam** (Sarah): No updates. Requesting parent emails once registration is closed to send out pre-season updates. Willing to send the first email for other levels until open coordinator spots are filled.

- **Junior Gold** (Casey): None

NEW BUSINESS:

- Sara moved to approve contracts for Sailer for Dryland training and for Stommen as Skills Director, Kayla second, all approved, motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS: None

OPEN FLOOR: None

Adjourn - 8:35 pm

EMAIL/OTHER VOTES:

- **8/20/25** Pam Brookins forwarded quote from Berne Scale Company of \$785 for counting scale and \$500 from Triple Crown for two pull tab boxes, for set up for gambling at Mr. D's. Amy motioned to approve, Kayla second, all approved, motion passed.
- **8/26/25** Sara motioned to approve \$500 sponsorship for Husky Pups for 25-26 season (St. Cloud and Sauk Rapids to also contribute \$500 sponsorships) Samantha second, all approved, motion passed.
- **9/3/25** Kayla motioned to approve start banks for gambling at Mr. D's, \$2,000 for electronic pull tabs and \$1,000 for paper pull tabs (2 boxes, \$500 per game) Gambling scheduled to start 9/4/25. Sara second, all approved, motion passed.

ATTACHMENT A

Hockey Operations Committee (HOC) Monthly Report

August 2025

Meetings:

- HOC Meeting 7/23

- o Main conversations were on dynamics and tryouts. Dynamics will start right after 3v3 for Pee wee and Bantams. Squirts will be 2 weeks after.

- o We will be hosting checking clinics for PW/Bantams on Saturday 10/4

- o Tryouts for PW/Bantams will be the week of 10/6 with teams being announced Sunday 10/12 (if all goes well). Squirts will be the week of 10/20 with teams

being announced 10/26 (if all goes well).

o I will get times on the calendar once registration closes and we have an exact number per level.

- Jr Gold meeting 7/31

o Met with Casey Knowles to get some initial planning in place and what the communication will look like going out to players. Casey is working on a draft to send out in September to gauge interest.

o Talked to Coach Hacker to get his thoughts on the number of players trying out for HS and to get his initial thoughts on his roster size this season.

- Goalie Development Meeting will be 8/14
- D5 Meeting 8/6, Chris Jensen attended

Scheduling:

• Still needing a Bantam B2 tournament, otherwise all tournaments are booked and swing weekends getting setup for most teams

• Sounds like D5 will be allowing district game schedules to be completed earlier than past years, would guess they would still be published in late October

• Working on a Bantam AA mini jamboree for late October, I have a couple of committed teams already, still looking to add 2-3 more.

3v3:

- Teams were formed on 7/20
- Jerseys are ordered
- Rosters are all in SE
- Schedule is on the calendar
- DIB's are posted
- Ref scheduling will be done in the next week, waiting for responses from HS players on

whos' interested

- Goalie schedule will be completed in the next week

Respectfully submitted by Jaime Burris

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Attachment B

District 5 Meeting

8/6/2025

Treasurer Report (Jeff Swenson)

- Season fees for 25-26
 - o \$80 per travel team (Squirts – Jr. Gold)
 - o \$10 per U8 team
 - o Teams playing in other districts will also need to pay those fees

Ref Report (Ryan Szymanski)

- Abuse of officials
 - o Game Misconduct (player to player, coach to player, coach to ref, parent to ref, etc.)

League Coordinator (Mike Graham)

- Scheduler meeting will be virtual again this year
- Looking at September 17th

D5 Director (Nate Wold)

- Locker Room Monitors
 - o These are mandatory
 - o Not required for most summer programs so we all need to get back in the habit of making sure we have LRM's
- MN Hockey is looking at going back to tag up offsides and icing when shorthanded at the Bantam U15 level only. Should have an answer by September meeting. Sounds like 80% chance it passes
- Game Reports
 - o Nate to send out to Presidents
 - o Gamesheets is supposedly updating the way majors get entered to help avoid penalties getting recorded wrong
 - o Once the gamesheet is uploaded, there is no way to go back and change anything
 - o Have coaches or team manager double check before these are submitted
 - o If a coach or parent get removed from a game, it is an automatic 3 game suspension
- Registrars Meeting will hopefully get scheduled for August still
 - o D5 has new registrar that just started
- Mites
 - o Any games played out of district need to be approved by Nate
 - o 7 full ice games after 1/15/26 (must use ¾ nets)
 - o Lots of discussion around net size at squirts
- D3 and D10 Leagues for 25-26 season
 - o D3 – PWC and BC
 - o D10 – BAA, PWAA, U10A, U12A, U12B2, U15A, U15B
- Game Limits/Official Rosters
 - o 5 game limit prior to official roster being submitted
 - o Games played without rosters will be fined by D5
- Districts/Regions/State Tournaments
 - o PWA South Region – STMA

- o PWB South Region – LDC
- o BAA State – Sartell
- o Associations to email Mike and Lena if they would like to host a district tournament or tournaments (Feb 13-22)

Old Business

- Please keep contact list updated
- MN Hockey/D5 Membership/Recruitment
 - o Need someone in this position by the September D5 meeting, otherwise the VP will be the default member
- Try Hockey For Free
 - o New date of September 13th
 - o We have some posters/coasters to hang up or pass out

New Business

- Affiliate agreements to be filled out and returned ASAP
- Board Rosters – Due no later than 10/1/25

Next Meeting – September 3rd @7pm