



Belle River District Minor Hockey Association
Board Meeting Minutes May 15, 2018
Atlas Tube Center, Belle River, Ontario

In attendance: Jennifer Lafeber, Paul Gray, Alex Dominato, Lisa VanSickle, Rob Bodchon, Dan Anger, John Marchand, Marco Levesque, Peter Thomson, Ken Poisson, Jay Menard, Rob Dembinski

Absent: Rich Burford, Mark Bateman, Frank Hamelin, Jamie Fick, Darren Crowley

Meeting Chair: Paul Gray

Recorder: Jennifer Lafeber

Meeting called to order by Paul Gray at 6:35pm.

Director Reports

Equipment – Dan Anger:

- Travel Jerseys with Source for Sports for cleaning
- Tryout Bibs to be cleaned prior to AE tryouts

Report accepted by Lisa VanSickle and seconded by Alex Dominato

Director of Travel Scheduling – Mark Bateman:

- No Report

Registration – John Marchand:

- No Report

Risk Management Officer – Rob Bodchon:

- No Report

Referee in Chief –Rich Burford:

- Timekeeper and Referee applications are now open

Report accepted by Peter Thompson and seconded by Rob Bodchan

Sponsorship and Communication – Ken Poisson:

- No Report

Treasurer – Alex Dominato:

- No Report

Parents Club- Lisa VanSickle:

- Working on Kick off Day – adding items for 50th anniversary
- OMHA – skills development further information to come
- Stroll the streets – ongoing – Source for sports possible sponsor for gear

Report accepted by John Marchand and seconded by Dan Anger

Coaching Development – Rob Dembinski:

- D1 Coach Clinic – Scheduled for August 25-26 in Belle River. The clinic is now open and coaches can register through our updated clinic enrollment page. Here is the link. https://brdmha.com/Pages/1696/BRDMHA_Clinic_Enrollment/
- Clinic enrollment page has also been updated to included a link for Gender Identity & Expression Training. It also includes links to Trainers & Respect In Sport on-line clinics.
- Coach Level (C1) Clinic – Due to anticipated demand, I am working with the OMHA to schedule this clinic in October at the ATC. This is the tradition Tyke level coach clinic.

Report accepted by Marco Levesque and seconded by Alex Dominato

Tournaments – Darren Crowley:

- Currently have 16 teams registered, and a bunch that have contacted me for info. I have sent personal email invites to over 200 teams across the province, and now with teams being picked, we are just in waiting mode.
- Currently have blocks booked at 4 hotels, and I will be seeking 2 more. I think 10 of the 16 teams are from east on London at present.

Report accepted by John Marchand and seconded by Dan Anger

Player Development – Peter Thomson:

- **No Report**

House League Atom to Juvenile – Frank Hamelin:

- **No Report**

Director of Travel – Marco Levesque:

- NRP's not as many as thought with new rule changes
- 37 NRP's leaving after tryouts
- AE coaches selected and notified on Association website
- Coaches and Manager's meeting tonight
- Bluewater Executive meeting invitation – topics to include AAA group affecting AA centers and various other items. Eliminate NRP – ATM status instead

Report accepted by Rob Bodchon and seconded by Rob Dembinski

Director at Large– Jamie Fick:

- Montreal Canadiens Alumni game officially booked for March 23, 2019 at 7pm
- Down payment has been sent
- Logo is sent to Vista print for some work on the banners
- Source for sports has the third jersey ready
- Pricing for logo on Pucks and jackets has been sent over. see below.

- Need to talk with Town about putting the logo on the ice surface. (Paul maybe you and I can do that)

LOGO Pricing:

- Details for jackets are 3.8" height
 - 5.2" wide
- \$4.80/patch
- \$1.00/in install
- Price for pucks based on 500
- 1 color logo 50th puck \$ 2.00
- Or
- Full color logo 50th puck \$ 2.60

Report accepted by Peter Thomson and seconded by Lisa VanSickle

New Business - Paul Gray:

- Towns Safety report – reference Paul's email
- New rules to be implemented for 7 days tryouts rather than 2 weeks
- Rowans law – passed mandatory requirements for concussion – possible waiver to be signed/program to be reviewed by all persons registering for hockey – Paul to receive more information on the requirements and advise the board on further action
- June 8th annual OMHA meeting- 84th annual (2 workshops, association leadership, risk management) if interested in attending, please notify Paul on attendance
- Dividers – Paul to receive clarification to cost and sponsorship of boards from Town prior to approval of purchase

Meeting adjourned 7:34 pm



Paul Gray, President

June 19th, 2018

Approval Date

Next meeting – June 19, 2018 at 6:30pm



