

**Swift Current Minor Hockey Association
Monthly Meeting Minutes –Dec 03rd 2018
Modern Café Banquet Room**

1. Call to Order

Aaron Bakus called the meeting to order at 6:55 pm.

2. Roll Call/Regrets

Present: Aaron Bakus, Greg Hurrell, Rej Stringer, Gerald Johnson, Dave Smith, Vaughn Penley, Eric Bloom, Blair Simpson, Stephen Billows, Colby Rennie, Brent Stetchyshyn, Brad Carlson, Wade Lacher, Larry Empey & Jason Silzer.

Regrets: *Cheyenne Arntsen, Joel Karcha, Richard Cashin, Darwin Knelsen, Nola Smith.*

3. Motion to accept the Agenda as presented. *Brad Carlson, Seconded by Dave Smith Carried*

4. Minutes – from Nov 05th 2018.

Motion to accept the minutes from previous meeting as presented made by Jason Silzer, Seconded by Eric Bloom. Carried.

5. Old Business: Hockey Day in Canada update from Gerald Johnson. The official Media Press release will take place on Wednesday Dec 05th at the Iplex at 11:00 a.m. Hopefully a few Board members can attend. Minor Hockey players from Bantam and down will be actively taking part in the festivities in one form or another. The committee has informed Gerald that at the Banquet on Thursday Feb 07th Scotiabank will be presenting a cheque to Swift Current Minor Hockey and they would like two minor hockey players to accept the donation. The theme is "COURAGE" therefore Gerald will be actively seeking two players who depict this theme and have them attend the banquet to accept the donation along with their parents.

6. New Business

None

CORRESPONDENCE: None

7. Financial Report: Eric Bloom (Present)

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***Eric read the financial statement . Motion made to accept the report. Seconded .
Carried***

8. Reports

Registration –Dave Smith (Present)

Nothing to Report

Risk Management/Progressive Discipline - Colby Rennie (Present)

Date of Report: Dec 2, 2018

2 Incidents occurred

Reported that a Board member and a parent were seen arguing, cursing and swearing in Fairview arena. Reports reviewed, had a meeting with Jason and Cheyenne, Both parties given a warning, and put on Notice for further situations. Parent was warned for dismissal from all Swift Current recreational facilities, and Board member warned for removal from board of directors and possible all rec facilities.

Reported Ice time problem in Pee Wee house, A coach shortening the bench during league games and exhibition. Incident in Eastend with parent yelling at Coach on the bench, cursing and throwing jersey at the coach in front of kids. Spoke with concerned parties, and received assistance from other Board members. We were able to make a trade to ease parent coach tension, Letter to the Coach, putting him on notice that the benches will not be shortened, and Parent received a 1 month suspension from all Swift current Minor Hockey games, practice's in town and out of town for actions in Eastend and disrespecting the jersey.

Colby

Equipment Director – Darwin Knelsen (Not Present)

Nothing to report

Referee Liaison Report – Joel Karcha (Present)

Nothing to report

Initiation – Gerald Johnson (Present)

Date of Report: December 3, 2018

Number of Teams: 7

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Number of Participants: 107

Head Coaches: Chad Kozun, Wes Tuplin, Cory Tynning, Dade Getzinger, Blaine Haubrich, Bret Neuman, Bradley Ruf,

Discipline/Concerns:

Celebrations:

- 8 teams confirmed in tournament - looking for one more
- Tournament committee formed – Lisa Bender chair
- Season is going smooth – no issues at all
- Couple teams are attending cross ice jamborees in neighboring communities in addition to tournaments.

Updates:

- One late registrant placed on a team in late November
- Looking at involving the initiation group into the HDIC Celebrations

Motions:

Respectfully Submitted;



Gerald Johnson Initiation Division Head
Swift Current Minor Hockey Association

Division: Novice Richard Cashin: (Not Present)

Nothing to report

Division: Atom Vaughn Penley (Present)

Date: December 5, 2018

Registrations: 71 Registrations in the Co-ed Division.

AA Broncos Coaches: Kevin Leshures, Cortney Leshures (Manager), Regan Darby, Travis Moen

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Atom Coaches:

Rangers-Garnet Unger- Assistant Terrik Beaudoin
Bandits-Curtis Newton- Assistant Brent Millar
IceWolves-Brad Woods- Assistant Robert Geissler
Outlaws-Aaron Bakus- Assistant Trevor Schmiess

Atom Carded: Brad Woods**Tournament Committee:**

Meagan Carlson-Telke Tournament Chair

Brandi Zacharias

Aaron Schous

Brent Stetchyshyn

Tiffany Lloyd

Kristyn Lindquist

Kari Cobler

Kristen Wotpyka

Discipline/Concerns: None

Updates: All teams have started regular practices and games. At this time there has not been any major issues or concerns brought forward. Looking on the website at the games that have been played, it appears our SC teams are having some close games against each other and winning some on the road as well. The Tarpon Energy Atom Broncos have held a successful home tournament. 6 teams, round robin tournament. They finished 3rd to WC Wheat Kings 2nd and Saskatoon took 1st. The Tarpon AA Broncos hold 2nd place in their league.

Our 4 house teams stand as follows:

SC Rangers 3rd 4-3-3 record

SC Bandits 6th 3-5-0 record

SC Outlaws 7th 3-6-0 record

SC IceWolves 9th 1-6-0 record

The atom B tournament is full with 12 teams, payment has been received from the 8 teams from out of town. The tournament committee has been formed Meagan Carlson has taken the role of tournament chair.

Carded team notification will go out this week.

Atom carded tournament date has been switched to the March 9th Weekend. This will be a 6 team tournament.

Questions:**Motions:**

Vaughn Penley

Atom Division Head

Pee Wee- Division (Blair Simpson Present)

Date: December 5, 2018

Registrations: 77 Registrations in the Co-ed Pee Wee Division.

AA Broncos Coaches: Rej Stringer, Kirstin Rondeau (Manager), Regan Darby, Jeff Knight, Blair Simpson and Jeremy Rondeau.

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Pee Wee A Coaches:

RUSTLERS - Kent Silbernagel. Assistant Garnet Unger

CHARGERS - Troy Laforge. Assistant Craig Robinson

STALLIONS - Terrik Beaudoin. Assistant Ken Frohlich

MUSTANGS - Glenn Switzer. Assistant Brad Robinson

Pee Wee Provincial: Kent Silbernagel. Assistants Garnet Unger, Monte Reich

Discipline/Concerns: Two official complaints in Pee Wee house. One parent and one coach. Progressive Discipline & Risk Management involvement. Investigation and process completed. Thank you to everyone involved for the thorough process and doing what is right and fair for players.

Updates:

The SWT Pee Wee AA home tournament is set for December 7-9, 2018 and Mandi Tuplin is the tournament committee chair. Thank you to all the parent volunteers who made this tournament happen. The AA Pee Wees are 6-4-3 and sit in 3rd place in the south division standings.

The Pee Wee A Tournament is set for January 18-20, 2019 here in Swift Current. Thank you to Brent Stechyshyn for being the tournament chair again this year. The 12 team tournament is full. Two of the four house teams are currently in a league playoff position in the SSSL.

Questions: Pucks at all three rinks for practices.

Motions: None at this time.

Blair Simpson

Pee Wee Division Head

Bantam-Brent Stechyshyn (Present)

Date of Report: Dec 1, 2018

Head Coaches: Shane Stewart, Rod Piche, Cody Arntsen.

Discipline/Concerns: A parent had suggested that for next year we have provincial team tryouts for all divisions, instead of coaches just evaluating kids during house games.

Updates:

Bantam home tourney is Feb 1-3/2019, we are FULL. The tournament will consist of 12 teams. Entry fee is \$1400 all teams have officially paid Bantam Provincial team head coach Cody Arntsen, assistant coaches are Shayne Stewart and Scott Schroeder. First practice was on Nov 29th in Herbert, they will attend 1 tourney at the end of January.

Questions: None at this time

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Motions: None at this time.
Season's Greetings and Happy Holiday !!

Midget Division – Stephen Billows (Present)

Date of Report: Dec 03rd 2018
Number of Teams: This year there are:

- 72 kids registered
- 17 kids on the AA Broncos
- 3 teams in house : Wild, Knights and Mustangs
- 18 skaters on 2 team and 19 on the both team.

Coaches:

Head Coaches:

- **Wade Lacher** Wild
- **Mike Dudley** Knights
- **Tony Melo** Mustangs

Discipline/Concerns: None

Midget division is running good, all Whitecap Resources house teams have played 10 games.

Midget AA Abbey Resources Broncos are currently in 1st place in the SAAHL with 19 games played and 19 wins.

Jr. Female – Rejean Stringer (Present)

Date of Report: Dec 3, 2018
Head Coaches: Atom – Adrian Chubaty

Pee Wee- Shayne Stewart

Pee Wee – Brent Siemens

Discipline/Concerns: None

Updates: All 3 teams participated in the Regina Female tourney this past weekend and all had good showings. The Pee Wee Provincial team was in Calgary last weekend to attend “Wikfest 2018” and by all accounts was a very positive experience for the girls.

The Female Extravaganza set for first weekend in January is full and all in order.

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Questions: What are the rules as it pertains to Female Girls trying out for both Pee Wee boys and Pee Wee girl's provincial teams?

Motions: None

Sr.Female Division- Brad Carlson (Present)

Date of Report: December 3rd , 2018

Head Coaches: Midget AAA- *Terry Pavely- 19 players*

Midget AA- *Sean Chapman- 18 players*

Bantam A- *Cheyenne Arntsen- 18 players*

Discipline/Concerns: Nothing to report at this time.

Updates: The AAA Wildcats, at the time of this report, currently sit at a 5-6-0-1 record. The AA Midget Broncos currently sit at a 2-9 record. The Bantam Colts have continued their strong play currently sitting in second place in the south division with a 9-2-1 record. Both the Midget AA and Bantam A teams will be attending the Regina female tournament this coming weekend. This past November 13th the SHA formally announced the next stage of the female development model. The Midget AAA league was reduced to seven teams. Congratulations to the Wildcats to be included within the seven teams. Also further to the AAA announcement Swift Current was awarded the opportunity to have a Bantam AA program under the new model. Planning will now begin in order to accommodate this.

Questions: Nothing to report at this time.

Motions: Nothing to report at this time

Respectfully Submitted Brad Carlson

Legionnaires-Larry Empey (Present)

Date of Report: Dec 3/2018

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Head Coaches: Darren Evjen

Updates: The Legionnaires are playing some great hockey right now currently sitting in 3rd place in the league with a 16-5 record, the coaches and staff are very happy with the kids efforts to date.

The team also has been awarded another seed in the prestigious Macs tourney in Calgary for the second time in back to back seasons over the Christmas break. The players and staff are very excited to attending this event again and are hopeful that they can use their experiences from last year to be better prepared this year for this type of event.

The staff and players of the Legionnaires would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas!!

Discipline/Concerns: None

Celebrations:

Questions:none

Motions:none

Respectfully Submitted

Larry Empey

Past-President – Wade Lacher (Present)

Nothing to report

President – Aaron Bakus

Nothing to report

9. Next Meeting

Our next meeting will be at White Cap Resources Board Room Jan 07th 2019.

10. Meeting adjournment: Dave Smith

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