

MINUTES

BVRA GENERAL BOARD MEETING Virtual Zoom meeting Winnipeg, MB

August 16, 2023 @6pm via Zoom

Attendance:

Kristin Farkas – President	Ron Lowe- Coaching
Levon Kearney – Vice President	Yvan Freynet - WRL Rep
Jennifer Nault - Secretary	Adrienne Au & Craig Holmes - AA
Tannis St Louis - Treasurer - regrets	Amanda Smeets - Registrar
Tara Gilkes - Player Development	Minor Officials – Deanne Sutherland - regrets
Jen Daman & Kelly House - R4U Rep	Erika Bloomfield - U14 Age Rep
Amanda Daurie - U10 Age Rep	Luc Lesage – U12 Age Rep
Kim Dunford – U16 Age Rep - regrets	Kim Sanford - Ice
Uri Marchenko - Equipment	Bronwyn Dobson – U19 Age Rep
Tina Carlson - Social Media/Website Master	

ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTION/FOLLOW- UP
1.	Call to Order at 6:04 PM	
2.	Agenda Approval	
	Motion to Accept: Amanda Smeets 2 nd : Kelly All in Favour	
3.	Adoption of Minutes:	
	Date: July 12, 2023 Motion to approve minutes: Craig 2 nd : Bronwyn All in favour	

4.	Executive Reports:	
	President:	
	- Amalgamation meeting on the 9 th for the A level. BVRA will host	
	one team at each level.	
	 U12 – BVRA amalgamated with Transcona 	
	 U14 – BVRA amalgamated with SW & MacDonald 	
	 U16 – BVRA amalgamated with SW & Transcona 	
	 U19 – BVRA amalgamated with MacDonald 	
	Vice President:	
	- Tournament planning is underway	
	 Jersey sizing last night and another one next week 	
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	Motion made by Lev to cover cost of jerseys for players who qualify for	
	financial assistance	
	2 nd : Craig	
	All in favour	
	Motion passed	
	- Clothing – will not be an online store this year. Looking to add	
	some additional items. Will sell clothing again at Tournament.	
	Treasurer:	
	- Report as submitted	
	WRL:	
	- Nothing to report	
	AA:	
	- Working on ice for the teams.	
	working on rector the teams.	
	Registrar:	
	 243 players registered (includes 15 open players and 48 Angels) 	
	 R4U = total of 35 players; 15 new players 	
	 U10 = total of 46 players; 1 new player 	
	 U12 = total of 28 players; 1 new player 	
	 U14 = total of 22 players; 0 new players 	
	 U16 = total of 21 players; 0 new players 	
	 U19 = total of 28 players; 0 new players 	
	 Registrations for A tryouts: 	
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	• U12 = 17	
	o U14 = 21	
	○ U16 = 16	
	○ U19 = 26	
	- Subsidy applications – 1 - U12 & 1 - U16 & 1R4U asking	
	 Registration closing on August 18th except for R4U & Open 	

	 15 open players so far – Dream Team & Donny's Devils is going 	
	to be registering also may have a 3rd team.	
	Player Development:	
	- Camp starting next week	
	- 3 on 3 starting on Sept 4 th , all information has been sent out.	
	 Working on scheduling Refs 	
	 Centralized tryouts – start Sept 6th 	
	 Fall / winter camp sessions once know # of teams and ice 	
	availability	
	 Kick off day – October 1st working on 	
	- Will have a table to sell some BVRA product. Will have some	
	new items from what we have had in the past.	
	Motion made after meeting via email by Tara to put upfront between \$2000-\$2500 for merchandise.	
	2 nd : Amanda Smeets	
	9 In favour	
	5 Abstention	
	Motion passed	
	Coaching:	
	 Applications are still open – closes on Friday 	
	- Good number have applied at each level	
	- Multiple applicants and some levels and all coaches will be	
	emailed to set up interviews	
	- Have not heard of any coaches clinics as of yet	
	R4U:	
	- looking to do a come try or a bring a friend	
	 Information to share on our social media and looking to send 	
	fliers to schools etc to promote the school	
	 Looking to set up a booth at the kick off day and / or the opening 	
	tournament.	
	- Looking for the AA players to volunteer	
	- Equipment drive for	
	Motion made by Kelly to approve up to \$3500 for R4U budget for 2023/2024 season	
	2 nd : Lev	
	All in favour	
	Motion passed	
5	Age Loop and Operations Reports	
	U10	
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	- Nothing to report	

	U12 - Nothing to report
	U14
	- Nothing to report
	U16
	- Nothing to report
	U19
	- Nothing to report
	Ice
	 Received city ice for September and have requested more. Don't have the season ice yet
	Equipment
	 Majority of equipment has been returned
	- Will organize the room at Dakota
	 Need to buy med kits for the equipment bags
	Minor Officials
	- Shot clock and timekeeper clinics have been posted.
	Social Media / Website Master
	 Added tab on website for Come try Ringette and information an Bingette
	 on Ringette Will update the website to add the post about the 'come try'
	event.
	- Should look at having a social media release for BVRA
6.	separate from the release included in the registration New Business
7	Next Board Meeting
	September 20 th , 2023 @ 6pm
8	Meeting Adjourned at 7:18PM
	Motion to adjourn meeting: Lev
	2 nd : Craig
	Meeting Adjourned