

MINUTES

BVRA GENERAL BOARD MEETING

Virtual Zoom Meeting Winnipeg, MB

November 27, 2024 @ 8:00PM Zoom Meeting

Attendance:

Levon Kearney – President	Tara Gilkes - Coaching
Vacant – Vice President	Yvan Freynet - WRL Rep
Jennifer Nault – Secretary	Kristin Farkas & Jennifer Daman - AA – Regrets
Dale Hawthorn - Treasurer	Amanda Smeets – Registrar
Deanne Sutherland - Player Development	Keith Kaderle - Minor Officials
Kelly House - R4U Rep – Regrets	Erika Bloomfield - U14 Age Rep
Shannon Hiebert - U10 Age Rep	Luc Lesage – U12 Age Rep
Mark Graceffo– U16 Age Rep	Kim Sanford – Ice
Uri Marchenko – Equipment – Regrets	Bronwyn Dobson – U19 Age Rep
Tina Carlson - Social Media/Website Master	

ITEM	DISCUSSION	ACTION/FOLLOW- UP
1.	Call to Order at 8:01 PM	
2.	Agenda Approval	
	Motion to Accept: Deanne 2 nd : Keith	
	All in Favour	
3.	Adoption of Minutes:	
	Date: October 23 rd , 2024	
	Motion to approve minutes: Bronwyn	
	2 nd : Keith All in favour	

4. Executive Reports:

President:

- Waiting for a couple of cheques from sponsors for the tournament then will finalize numbers
- Next year tournament will be Oct 20th-26th 2025, working on getting Dakota and Southdale ice
- Clothing order was success, was a mix up with 1 order. Doing a 3rd round closing December 15th
- On the red hoodie the logo is white instead of black
- AA Team MB coaches have been announced, selection policies have been circulated
- Conversation shifted to what is happening next year, looks to be the same for next year, will reassess the following year.
- Had some concerns around the pegs being used for the nets, some arenas do have the different pegs may need to ask for them.
- Goaltender numbers are coming up but still low across the sport

Vice President: VACANT

Treasurer:

- Working on getting financials into a format to present to the group
- Cheques have gone out for tournament and A tryouts
- Southdale asking about a BVRA banner up at Southdale, possibly split the cost. Will follow up with them

WRL:

- Realignment happening in December

AA:

Motion by Mark for \$200 to supply funding to allow for promotional items (markers, posterboards etc)at the Mid Canada tournament to be used by the U10 and U12 teams.

Misc

2nd Kelly

All in favour

Motion passed

Registrar:

Nothing to report

Player Development:

- Sent out budget for fall 3x3 and preseason camps,
- Goalie camp is full, R4U u12 camp is full
- U12 advanced U16 is 80% full

- Some movement within the groups depending if players are being challenged or not.
- Will gather feedback to see if changes are needed for next year.

Coaching:

- Coaching clinics have been added will send out info
- Sent out the spreadsheet from RM with what coaches need
- Working on trying to coordinate date to have coaches group to meet and collaborate.

Motion by Tara to spend \$350 on coaches game on December 29th 2nd Deanne

All in favour Motion passed

R4U:

- Season has started 4 teams 53 registrations, 25 new players
- Have some player volunteers have been helping out and have had positive feedback. Have had a few more players reach out to help out.
- Have ice December 20th for Santa Skate looking for a Santa, if we can't find a Santa may change to a family skate.
- Budget \$3500 spent \$1700, recommend budget of \$4000

Motion made by Kelly for a R4U budget of \$4000 for the 2024/25 season

2nd: Tara

All in favour

Motion passed

5 Age Loop and Operations Reports

U10

Nothing to report

U12

Nothing to report

U14

Nothing to report

U16

Nothing to report

U19

- Nothing to report

	Ice	
	- Game ice sent to WRL	
	- Have a little more ice from Southdale 2 nd half	
	- Working on invoices to send to Dale	
	- Working on invoices to send to bale	
	Equipment	
	- Nothing to report	
	Minor Officials	
	- Found a shot clock that was not on our list, has been repaired	
	- 2 new ones from RM are at Dakota	
	Social Media / Website Master	
	- Nothing to report	
6.	New Business	
	- Lev and Dale to work on a process/policy on how to handle team	
	fees not being paid	
	Motion made by Tara to spend \$1000 for the Christmas board dinner	
	2 ^{nd:} Luc All in favour	
	Motion passed	
7	Next Board Meeting	
	December 23 rd (time and place TBD)	
8	Meeting Adjourned at 9:08PM	
	Motion to adjourn meeting: Bronwyn	
	2 nd :Luc	
	Meeting Adjourned	
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