Hockey Regina Inc Board of Directors Meeting Minutes Tuesday May 21, 2024

#### **Attendance:**

Michele Ellingsen Ailsby (Chair), Krista Strueby, Garnet Volk, Becky Palandri, , Byron Alexander, Teresa Drew, Kellin Enslev, Kenric Exner, Trevor Schneider, Leanne Sumners, Blair Watson (staff)

**Regrets:** Nathan Gettle, Kayla Edgerton

#### 1. Call to order

Michele called the meeting to order at 7:00PM.

# 2. Minutes

• MOTION: To approve the April 23 minutes. Moved Teresa, Seconded Trevor CARRIED

#### 3. Age Advancement

- Discussion on the current age advancement policy.
- Wish to tweak it so it becomes for the exceptional player
- Change so that a player must be in the top 10% of the skaters in that make the top tier in the division that they are trying out for.
  - U9 to U11 assume six U11A teams, skaters would need to rank in the top 8
  - U11 to U13 assume seven U13AA teams, skaters would need to rank in the top 7
  - U11 to U13 Female assume two U13AA teams, skaters would need to rank in top 3
  - U13 to U15 assume three U15AA teams, skaters would need to rank in the top 4.
  - U13 to U15 Female assume two U15AA teams, skaters would need to rank in the top 3
- For goalies it would be the following:
  - o U9 to U11 would need to rank in the top 3
  - o U11 to U13 would need to rank in the top 3
  - o U11 to U13 Female would need to rank in top 2
  - o U13 to U15 would need to rank in the top 3
  - o U13 to U15 Female would need to rank in the top 3
- MOTION: To approve the adjustment to the age advancement policy as presented. Moved Kellin, Seconded Byron CARRIED

#### 4. Female U11

- Going to look for input from the U11 2024/25 female membership
- A short questionnaire to be sent to the U11 2024/25 female membership
- It will be looking for the amount of interest in forming a U11A female team
- If there is enough interest, they will be able to register for U11A female or U11B/C female
- The U11A females will evaluate as part of the U11A mixed evaluations to determine if there is enough talent to go forward with the team.
- Blair to send out the e-mail to the U11 2024/25 membership

## 5. Business/Community partnership

- With the new Executive to start in the summer most of the partnership will be put on hold until the new person is in place
- The Regina Pats sponsorship is up and they are looking to work on a new agreement right away
- It was decided that Blair and Kellin to work with the Pats on a new agreement

## 6. Coaching appointment

- MOTION: To appoint Rod Benroth, Jamie Herauf and Jason Schmidt as U15AA head coaches. Moved Byron, Seconded Leanne
- MOTION: To appoint Daren Haygarth as U16AA head coach. Moved Kellin, Seconded Leanne
- Byron, and Kellin to work with Blair and Darren Harris with respect to AA practices

## 7. <u>U18AAA Management committee</u>

- General discussion on the make-up, role, duties of the management committee
- Garnet, Kellin and Nathan to work on the agreement.

# 8. Executive Director search update

- Garnet indicated that the committee has short listed seven candidates
- They will be interviewing the candidates next week
- The intention is to bring a recommendation forward to the Board at the next meeting

## 9. Next Meetings

June 4 7:00PM