

Board members in attendance: Josh MacKamey, Phil Downie, Michele Taron, Darren Van Oene, Suzanne Rourke, Nate Boersen, Lonnie Goodfellow, Pam Kendall, Karl Faber, Zahra Rasul, and Shane Kendall

Absent: Marsha MacMurchy

- 1. Meeting called to order by **JM** at 7:01pm
- 2. Motion: LG to approve Agenda Seconded: NB Carried
- 3. Motion: LG to approve the Board's December Meeting Minutes
  Seconded: SR
  Carried

E-mail vote on Tuesday, January 11<sup>th</sup>:

Motion: DV for the BOD to approve the purchase of 64 practice jerseys for the U8/U9 teams for the price of \$840. The 64 jerseys would be eight sets of colours and eight jerseys in each set.
 Seconded: MT

### Seconded: Carried

4. Old Business/Action Items:

Action items:

- **ZR** to film her coaches setting up and taking down the Novice rink boards. She will send the edited video to **JM** and **MT**. ✓ **Done**
- **Divisional Directors** to remind parents that team managers are the first point of contact for questions but they are available to assist if necessary. ✓ **Done**
- SK will check with Sheena about using the Junior B screens for tournament sponsor information or 50/50 winners for example. A USB stick can store information and then be plugged into the screen in the warm room. ✓ Done
- a) President's Report **JM** 
  - Keep in mind the VIAHA memo about postponement of games and it is possible that some teams may not be able to make up postponed games.
  - Covid is creating a lot of frustration, but let us be leaders where we can.
  - Director's Reports refer to previous Director's Reports on the website. Please remember to complete them and send them to the secretary on time.



- b) VIAHA Meeting **MT** (attended by Zoom)
  - Official Rates VIAHA wants to raise the rates for officials but there won't be a motion until March. A committee has been created and one option is to have two separate rates for house teams and rep teams. It will probably be a set amount not a percentage increase..
  - VIAHA has a committee looking at the Rep or "Island League" structure. Recreational teams were switched in Dec. Although KP tries to balance teams some Associations now have an A pool and a B pool.
  - Covid cases if 20% of a team has tested positive they have to self-isolate. Recommendations on the cancelling of games have to be presented to **JM**.
  - Coach 2 post task sign off is due March 1<sup>st</sup>
  - VIAHA Awards requires more marketing. They are not receiving many nominations.
  - U8/U9 teams they are supposed to play with neighbouring Associations and are not supposed to act like a rep team travelling north and south on the Island.
  - No date has been set for the AGM for VIAHA
- c) Financial Update **MT** 
  - The Association is financially stable
  - A budget for 2022/23 is being worked on for vote by the BOD
- d) Referee Update LG
  - Junior refs are progressing and the senior refs are acting as mentors
  - JB is aiming for level 4 reference with this he can ref Junior A games and below and also be considered for the WHL.
- e) Team Photo Update **MT** 
  - The ice times at SLS have been confirmed; managers can check the ice schedule
  - They will occur on 4 different nights; there are no re-takes or time changes of absent individuals.
  - U11 and younger have to come to the arena dressed
  - Parents can enter to tie skates but must leave right away
- f) Budget Committee/Exec. Restructuring Committee Update **MT** 
  - Job description updates can be sent to the secretary
  - Discussion
  - Divisional Directors are busy at the beginning of the season and then the workload tapers off
  - Action: SR will join the Exec. Restructuring Committee



- g) First Shift Update **ZR** 
  - The event was an overall success
  - She is expecting a \$400 cheque
  - The Association was able to find room for 6 players

## 5. <u>New Business</u>:

### a) U8/U9 Development - **DV**

- The jerseys have arrived and the players were divided by skill level into six groups
- Jeff Compton and Jason Taron have been working with the groups
- The players are working on particular skills at each station
- The players are energized and excited to be on the ice
- Discussion about coaches not showing up for scheduled ice times

## b) Disciplinary Committee – **PD/JM**

| • | Motion:   | MT to go "in camera" at 8:20pm   |
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|   | Seconded: | РК                               |
|   | Carried   |                                  |
|   | Motion:   | MT to exit "in camera" at 8:55pm |
|   | Seconded: | РК                               |
|   | Carried   |                                  |

## c) Shawnigan Arena - MT

- The vaccination checker has to stay near the door and acts as a "two deep" person in case of an injury
- Parents can tie the skates of younger players but then they have to leave

## d) Refunds for Injuries – **PK/MT**

| Motion:   | <b>SK</b> to go "in camera" at 9:11pm |
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| Seconded: | LG                                    |
| Carried   |                                       |
| Motion:   | LG to exit "in camera" at 9:21pm      |
| Seconded: | PD                                    |
| Carried   |                                       |



- e) U9 Jamboree **ZR** 
  - The Jamboree is scheduled for the February Family Day long weekend
  - There are 17 teams from the Island involved with ice at both KP and SLS
  - Tournaments are not currently allowed should **ZR** proceed with the Jamboree? Discussion. Possibly reduce the number of teams to decrease scope of tourney.
- f) Divisional Directors Any team updates?
  - N/A

Motion: to adjourn the meeting at 9:23pm: LG Seconded: SK Carried



## **DIRECTOR'S REPORTS:**

## **President** – Josh McKamey

• No report submitted

## Vice President of Operations – Phil Downie

- No report to submit this month
- I've had zero disciplinary committee concerns or meetings.

## VP of Admin and Finance/Communication Officer RTH/Ice Scheduler – Michele Taron

• No reports submitted

## Registrar – Pam Kendall

• No report submitted

### Head Coach/Competitive Coordinator - Darren Van Oene

• No report submitted

### Marketing and Tournaments - Zahra Rasul

• No report submitted

### Gaming and Sponsorship – Marsha MacMurchy

- Gaming
  - Cancelled tournament 50/50 licenses for U11D and U18A
  - Working with U15A on payoff of 50/50 license

### Referee in Chief - Lonnie Goodfellow

• Nothing to report at this time.

### Rick/Equipment Management Director - Shane Kendall

• No report submitted

### Junior Divisions Director – Nate Boreson

• No report submitted

### Intermediate Divisions Director - Suzanne Rourke

• Nothing to report

### Senior Divisions and Female Director – Karl Faber

• Nothing to report