

Mitchell Minor Ringette
Meeting Minutes
August 8, 2022

Attendance: Chris Dowson, Laura Neubrand, Shannon Cook, Chris Mueller, Lindsey Vivian, Justine Nater, Allison Fuller, Janelle Schoonderwoerd, Paula Elliott, Lorna McKercher, Karen Shuker, Melissa Snyders, Lisa Helmuth, Melinda Brace

Meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m by Chris Dowson

Motion: To accept the minutes. Moved by Chris Mueller. Seconded by Shannon Cook. Carried unanimously.

Motion: To accept the agenda. Moved by Janelle Schoonderwoerd. Seconded by Karen Shuker. Carried unanimously.

Teams

- U7 – 12 registered.
- U8 – 5 registered.
- U10 – 12 registered.
- U12R – 9 registered. 3 also
- U12A – 13 registered. Possible join with St. Mary's. Tryouts will be Sept. 7, 8 9.
- U14A – Erica Vosper coaching.
- U16 – 1 registered. Potential to join with Exeter/Seaforth
- U19 – 2 registered. Potential to join with Exeter/Seaforth
- Registration has been very slow. RAMP system has not been user friendly.
- Need to go back to in-person next year.
- Will hold an in-person session on the 16th to help people get registered on RAMP. Justine Nater and Karen Shuker will run it.
- Chris will send an e-mail out.
- **Motion: Mitchell Ringette will charge a \$50 late fee for anyone registering after September 1, 2022. New members are exempt from this fee. Moved By Karen Shuker. Seconded by Melissa Snyders.**
- No Parent Rep, or Coaching issues.

Financials

- Financials were reviewed.
- Received \$5000 from Ringette Ontario. Purchased goalie pads for all teams.
- Received \$1500 for the lawn signs.

Fundraising

- Chicken – Plan is to sell in October. Order forms will be due October 11. Delivery Nov. 1.
- Number of boxes required will be determined after final registration numbers are determined.
- Clothing – Reviewed items, and prices from London Source for Sports, Dunny's, and Ringette Store
- Teen Dance – Hold off due to Covid.

Equipment

- Goalie pads have been purchased.
- Some jerseys have not been handed in from last year.

Web Site

- No Report.

Ice Time Report

- Struggling to figure out ice times with registration numbers so low.

Ref Scheduling

- Reviewed a proposal on increasing rate of pay and mileage allowance for Refs. We will wait to see what other associations say about the proposal before voting on it.
- Looking into hosting a ref clinic
- The message on respecting officials needs to be sent out again before games begin.

Referee-in-Chief

- No report.

Coaching

- Looking for coaches at most levels.

Tournament

- November 19-20, 2022
- Regional level of play only
- Registration via RAMP is confusing

WRRL

- Team declarations need to be in by Sept. 26.

WRRR

- RAMP has been confusing for all associations.

GLRL

- No report.

Registration

- Need more participants!
- Justine will call people who have not signed up yet in the younger age groups.

Discipline

- No report.

Parent Rep

- No report.

Youth Development

- No report.

Marketing

- Lawn signs are coming. Would like for the beginning of September.
- Send a Boost out on Facebook.

Police Checks

- No Report

Mitchell Minor Sports

- Looking for volunteers for Cornfest.

New Business

- NRL Game – Laura looking into it.
- Ringette Camp – Erika Neubrand would like to do a ringette camp hopefully with a couple of other Team Canada players. Katie Scott would like to do some skating sessions during the week as well. Need possible ice times from Tracy.
- Ringette Ontario is requiring all score-keeping to be done electronically now. We need the hardware to be able to accommodate this.
 - **Motion: Mitchell Ringette will purchase 3 tablets, and protective covers and charging cords and a lockbox for storage. Moved by Chris Mueller. Seconded by Lindsey Vivian. Carried unanimously.**

Motion to Adjourn by Karen Shuker

Next Meeting: Tuesday, September 6, 2022 @ 7:00 p.m.