



Okotoks Minor Hockey Association

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Vision

Okotoks Minor Hockey wants to be the leader in fostering an environment where anyone can enjoy the game of hockey in a SAFE, FUN, and SPORTSMANLIKE manner.

MINUTES- April 8th, 2024

Called to Order: At 7:30 PM

Welcome

Attendance

Geoff Stewart

Jenn Zaffino

Lindsay Graw

Jenny Sekulich

Troy Tangedal

Rebecca Streit

Jennifer Dustow

Amy Snyder

Michelle Barratt

Jeremy Gough

Amanda Germain

Jamie Steer

Dhara Rogers

Geoff Rollins

Brenda Honish

Orinda McCann

Raeanne Tangedal

Kat Johnston

Joe McCormick

Jenn Gauthier

Blair Scott

Daron Dumanski

Nadine Neufeld

Jamie Whalley

Candice Wyma

Crystal Crawford

Motion to accept the minutes from March 18, 2024 as presented was made by Kat Johnston and seconded by Michelle Barratt. All in favour. Carried.

Reports

President – Geoff

- Finalizing sponsorship for jerseys needed.
- Jersey order usually goes in after AGM. Geoff R will itemize jerseys before orders put in for U9 and U15.
- Geoff R will meet with the Town of Okotoks in regard to ice allotment for development camps and will talk with Jamie S about scheduling the ice times.

VP Programs- Troy Tangedal

VP Player Development- Geoff Rollins

- Working with the development vendors for the new season and development camps.

VP Coach Development- Blair Scott



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Treasurer- Amanda Germain

- Continued Equipment returns and updates.
- Would like to see the equipment return for next year early March (around the 15th) for the first return date and the second return date to be around now. Some teams have been done for 6 weeks or so before equipment is returned.

Secretary- Jenn Gauthier

- AGM is May 22nd, 2024 at 7:30PM at the Centennial Centre.

Operations – Jamie Steer

- Would like to thank everyone for a job well done this season.

Administrator- Lindsay Graw

Equipment – Joe McCormick/ Kat Johnston

- Used a sign-up sheet for returns this season and will tweak it a bit for next season.
- 3 Teams haven't returned their gear yet.

Health and Safety- Orinda/ Amy (Mental Wellness)

- Kat Johnston is going to step in for this role in 2024/2025 season.
- Amy- 34 mental health sessions throughout the year between OMHA and OAAA.
- Working on a curriculum for the hockey season including meeting with players, extended RIS, coaching with coaches, want it up and running before evaluations.
- Having the mental health program is extremely important for the association and it is evolving and a leading program that will continue and grow.
- Consider having a mental health weekend circled around home games in the beginning of the season, set up a table and hand out information. Could turn it into a fundraising day with Silent Auction, Pancakes, BBQ, ect. Early in the season.

Director of Directors- Daron Dumanski

U7- Jenny Sekulich

U9- Dhara Rogers

U11 House- Jenn Gauthier



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U11 Travel- Michelle Barratt

U13 House- Candice Wyma

U13 Travel- Jamie Whalley

Female Jr – Crystal Crawford

Female Sr- Jennifer Dustow

- Goalie concerns for next season in U15

U15 Travel – Jenn Zaffino

- Provincials, some money raised will go to mental health.

U15 RHL- Rebecca Streit

U16 Travel- Michelle Barratt

- Won their league banner and had a tournament in Los Angeles.

U18 Travel- Michelle Barratt

U18 RHL- Nadine Neufeld

Meeting Adjourned 8:31PM

Motion to adjourn- Daron Dumanski

2nd by – Jennifer Dustow