

Red Deer Ringette Association Meeting March 20, 2025 7:00 p.m. GH Dawe Boardroom

Sarah Tittemore - President president@reddeerringette.com	Carolyn Normand - Past President pastpresident@reddeerringette.com
Abe Halvorsen - Vice President Operations vicepresident@reddeerringette.com	Wayne Forrest - Treasurer treasurer@reddeerringette.com
Chris Weiss - VP Admin vicepresidentu10@reddeerringette.com	Lisa Nord - Secretary (absent) secretary@reddeerringette.com
Ashley Guenther - Registrar registrar@reddeerringette.com	

Roles and Responsibilities NEW STRUCTURE

Item:	Discussion:	Follow-up:
Welcome & Introductions		
Adoption of Agenda	Motion to adopt: Abe	
	Second: Bryan R	
Approval of LAST association meeting minutes	Motion to approve minutes: Abe	
	Second: Bryan R	
Action items carried forward		
New Business:		

President Update: Sarah Tittemore president@reddeerringette.com	Ringette Alberta Safe Sport Policy Review Required for 25/26 season to remain a member in good standing with Ringette Alberta: Ringette Alberta Safe Sport Policies are in alignment with Ringette Canada and have been vetted by legal counsel. The landscape of safe sport has progressed significantly in the past two years in many sport organizations including the adoption of National policies by provincial and local associations. This makes it simpler for the public, volunteers, and athletes to understand expectations and how to report safe sport concerns. In addition, insurance companies are asking for consistent application of policies across the province to lower the risk of liability to Associations and volunteers. This in turn will help with volunteer recruitment, grow the sport, and give Member Associations more tools and support to deal with any issues that arise. Volunteer Recruitment All positions are 1 year in length. More can be found on our website. Also need additional directors and volunteers for open positions for 25/26.	Questions on the policies forwarded to Executive by April 5. Motion to approve the policy at April Association meeting. Executive nominations are due to Lisa for March 28, 2025.
Vice President Operations: Abe Halvorsen vicepresident@reddeerringette.com	No update	
VP Admin: Chris Weiss vpadmin@reddeerringette.com	Come Try It - 14 total Bring a Friend for AS and	

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	U10 - working well for recruitment Explore Sport March 29 12-3pm - Abe & Brynn will volunteer at this event Go Girl - May 15 - gym ringette at the Collicutt Casino June 3 & 4 - more volunteers needed	
Treasurer Report: Wayne Forrest treasurer@reddeerringette.com	Team treasurers to payout seed money to those that want to be paid out and forward me list of seed money left so that I know who has what for next season. Also, team treasurers who have cheque books need to return them to me.	
Ice Allocation: Joanna Batchelor	Not in attendance.	
Coaching: Braden Kilpatrick coaching@reddeerringette.com	Evaluation form on website. Braden will go over evaluations with coaches.	
U10 Evaluations: Carolyn Normand, Braden Kilpatrick, Abe Halvorsen evaluationsu10@reddeerringette.co m	No new business	
U12 & up Evaluations: Carolyn Normand, Braden Kilpatrick, Abe Halvorsen evaluations@reddeerringette.com	No new business	
Community Engagement - Chris Weiss	See VP Ops update	
Ref in Chief: Andrew Baron refassignor@reddeerringette.com	Hard to track exhibition games. Need a volunteer to set up Ramp for scheduling	

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andrew.baron@hotmail.ca	referees. Need to look into cost of using Ramp.	
Friends on Ice: Jennifer Pohl, Beth McCutcheon FOl@reddeerringette.com	Not in attendance	
Goalie Coordinator: Ashley Norris	Looking for a new Goalie Development Coordinator	
goaliedevelopment@reddeerringette. com	Not in attendance.	
Equipment: Bryan Ryder equipment@reddeerringette.com	Some equipment has come back. Once it is all in, Bryan will look at purchasing some new equipment as needed.	
Black Gold League Rep: Carolyn Normand, Bryan Ryder, Kim Tang bglrep@reddeerringette.com bglrep2@reddeerringette.com	Congrats to: U12B for their Silver Medal at U12 B Gold Championships U12C for their Bronze Medal at U12C Gold Championships U19A/U14A for Winning League Champions 19A won Provincials, going to Westerns. Executive provided financial support to the team (\$5800 for transportation and entry fee). BGL AGM May10th	
Apparel: Terri Gosnell apparel@reddeerringette.com	Looking for new apparel person Not in attendance.	
Registrar: Ashley registrar@reddeerringette.com	No update.	
Sponsorship: Chris Weiss & Scott Eggerman sponsorship@reddeerringette.com	Eagle Builders added as a jersey sponsor. If you know of a potential sponsor, let Scott or Chris know. \$3000 commitment for 5 years	

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	(\$1000 for the first year, \$500 for next 4 years). 4 open spots for jersey sponsors.	
	Casino - see update in VP Ops section	
	Equipment Swap Meet - are people interested? Looking at hosting somewhere free before Rustbusters/during Rustbusters.	
Fundraising: Chris Weiss fundraising@reddeerringette.com		
Marketing/Social Media: Jenna Connon socialmedia@reddeerringette.com	No update.	
Zone 4: Abe Halvorsen	No new business	
Webmaster: Lisa Nord webmaster@reddeerringette.com	New Volunteer FAQ on website	
	Coach evaluation forms are on website.	
	Brea Beck video	
Pub Night: Melissa Young	.Not in attendance.	
	In the past, Pub Night was hosted by the U16 division. Will discuss going back to this at an executive meeting.	
Year End Awards Night: Colleen McClarty	2 weeks out. 185 tickets sold so far. Ticket sales are down from last year. Tickets are \$15. Names for awards are in. Jerseys for graduating players are ordered.	
	Volunteers bringing water, juice, and a volunteer donated a \$100 Costco gift card for snacks. Open volunteer spots.	

	Carolyn and Ashley working on slideshow for graduating players. Teams - send 5 photos to socialmedia@reddeerringette. com for slideshow. Any donations of food, money, prizes, see Leah Kalenchuk. Ikalenchuk@telus.net Wayne will provide float for ticket sales at event. Early bird price of \$10 will be extended until March 30. Lisa will let Jenna know for social media. *If a team has extra seed money, you could put that towards tickets.	
Grocery Card Coordinator: Delanie Hill Outside Grocery Card Coordinator: Nadine Johansen	Everything is going well. Gift card sales go all year. Delanie is sending out an email with off-season ordering information.	
Jersey Coordinator:	Looking for a jersey coordinator.	
Picture Coordinator: Terri Gosnell	Looking for a new Picture Coordinator	Br
Rust Busters: Carolyn Normand	No new business	
3 on 3 Tournament: Ashley Guenther & Carolyn Normand	No new business	
Volunteer Coordinator: Catherine Swartz	Awards Night Volunteer Opportunities have been posted.	
Monthly Gift Card Draw:	Winner: Brad	

Next Meeting:	AGM April 28 at 6:30 pm Setters Place, regular Association meeting to follow at 7:00 pm	
Meeting Adjourned:	Adjourned at: 8:04 p.m.	