

**Swift Current Minor Hockey Association  
Monthly Meeting Minutes – Tuesday October 03rd, 2023  
Walker Place**

1. Call to Order:

Cheyenne Arntsen called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm

2. Roll Call/Regrets:

Present: Cheyenne Arntsen, Larry Empey, Paul Hegglin, Anne Ailsby, Kirstin Rondeau, Eric Bloom, Brad Torry, Jaimie Leblanc, Rej Stringer, Greg Hurrell, Sheldon Paulhus, Adrian Chubaty, Nola Smith, Vaughn Penley, Ian Schafer, Cory Zacharias, James Willett

Regrets: Mike Olfert, Dave Smith & Shawn Irwin.

3. Additions/Adoption of Agenda:

Larry Empey moved to accept the agenda as presented. Kirstin Rondeau seconded. Carried.

4. Acceptance of Minutes from Sept 18th<sup>th</sup> 2023.

Cory Zacharias moved to accept the minutes, seconded by Anne Ailsby. Carried

5. Old Business:

Ian Schafer attended the Southwest Sask Hockey League AGM meeting in Shaunavon, Sask and gave updates on new Commissioners for the season. Upcoming schedule dates and Teams in each division.

Cheyenne brought up the U22 Southwest Impact situation and discussion regarding our assistance as an association with the team. A motion was put forth to sign a letter of agreement with the Southwest U22 Impact. Once finalized by Board members. Motion Seconded and carried.

6. New Business:

President Cheyenne Arntsen brought up the AAA/AA Coach orientation that was held. It lacked content and for new managers and coaches seemed a bit confusing. It was recommended a Committee be put together to see if there is a better way to address getting information required to AAA/AA coaches and managers. 3 Board members will sit on this committee and report back to the board.

Board member advised our SCMHA Financial signing authorities require changes be made due to the changes in the executive positions. A motion was made to have the Financial secretary, current President and Vice President added to signing authorities to our financial institution. The motion was seconded and carried.

Date for League Coaches and Managers Orientation will be held on Tuesday October 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00P.M. Innovationplex Auditorium if available.

10. Communications:

City Recreation Department Winter Ice User meeting-October 25<sup>th</sup> 12:00p.m. Innovation Conference room.  
Southwest Hockey League scheduling to commence. All division Heads informed of scheduling meetings.  
Nov 01<sup>st</sup>-Carded Teams and Provincial Teams can register with Hockey Saskatchewan.

11. Financial Report:

Eric Bloom present. Eric presented the financial Statement. Motion to accept, Seconded and Carried. .

12. Division Reports:

**U18:**

**Division Head:** Cory Zacharias

**ate of Report:** October 3, 2023

**Head Coaches:**

U18AA Broncos

Head Coach: Kent Silbernagel

Assistants: Terrik Beaudoin, Jason Silzer, Garth Sherven

Manager: Pam Gedny

U18 Knights

Head Coach: Trampus Lacelle

Assistants:

Manager: Brent Stechyshyn

U18 Wild

Head Coach: Lane Francis

Assistants: Mike Haydon

Manager:

**Updates:**

2 teams evaluations complete and teams have been selected.

**Motions:**

To accept coaches and managers for house teams

Motion Seconded and Carried.

Respectfully submitted.

**U15: Division Head:** Mike Olfert

**Head Coaches:**

**Eliminators**

- Head Coach: Curtis Wills
- Assistant coaches: Trevor Schmiess, Steve Moerside, Matt Jarrett
- Manager: Terrik Beaudoin

**Blades**

- Head Coach: Leo Pritchard
- Assistant coaches: Garnett Unger, Gerald Johnson, Jaret Gader
- Manager -Kori Silbernagel

**Canucks**

- Head Coach – Kevin Schafer
- Assistant coaches – Brent Millar, Wade Peterson, Shaun Zakaluzny
- Manager – Jordan Telke

**Capitals**

- Head Coach – Troy Laforge
- Assistant coaches – Jeff Tucker, Will Lowe
- Manager – Andrea Argue

**Discipline/ Concerns:**

**Updates:**

No volunteers for Tournament committee so far.

**Motions:**

Motion to accept the coaches for the U15 B teams as listed above.

Motion Seconded and Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Olfert

***U13: Kirstin Rondeau*** Division Head:

**Date of Report:** Oct 3, 2023

**House Teams:**

**Head Coaches:**

**SWT AA U13 Broncos**

Head Coach: Joe Logan

Assistants - Richie Bleau & Gaetan Girardin

Manager - Shannon Mitchell

**Mustangs**

Head Coach - Wes Tuplin

Assistants - Ash Turner

Manager - Erlene Deobald

**Chargers**

Head Coach - Ryan Bender

Assistants - DC Jensen, George Tsougrianis

Manager - Joel Friesen

**Stallions**

Head Coach - Ryan Olynick

Assistants - Dade Getzinger

Manager -

**Rustlers**

Head Coach - Jeremy Patzer

Assistants - Trent Wagner

Manager -

**Discipline/Concerns:**

**Updates:**

4 teams. Evaluations will be completed Oct 4<sup>th</sup> and teams finalized that day.

Tournament committee finalized and full.

**Motions:**

Motion to accept coaches and managers listed above

Motion Seconded and Carried.

***U11: Paul Hegglin***

Date of Report: Oct 3, 2023

House Teams:

Outlaws

Head Coach: Paul Hegglin

Assistants – Shaun Zakaluzny

Manager –

Mavericks

Head Coach – Chad Kozun

Assistants – Tyler Speir

Manager –

Ice Wolves

Head Coach – Mike Piche

Assistants – Chad Duckworth

Manager –

Bandits

Head Coach – Dade Getzinger

Assistants – Garret Gader

Manager –

Rangers

Head Coach – Jerrod Schafer

Assistants – Dillon Currie

Manager -

Updates:

5 teams. Evaluations will be completed Oct 4 th and teams finalized that day.

20 teams inquired about home tourney, will be finalizing tourney committee once teams are picked

Out of town parent reached out to discuss if SCMHA would consider amending rules to allow carded teams to pick up players from another minor hockey association.

Motions:

Motion to accept coaches and managers listed above

Motion to accept coaches and managers seconded and Carried.

***U9: Anne Ailsby***

**Date of Report:** October 3, 2023

**Coaches:**

Oilers - Derek Thiessen, Head Coach & Mike Piche, Assistant

Sharks- Scott Cassidy, Head Coach & Joel Rogers, Assistant

Leafs - Craig Cuthbert, Head Coach & Chad MacLeod, Assistant

Kings - Zach Zacharias, Head Coach & Derek Berg, Assistant  
Jets - Kyle O'Neill, Head Coach & James Willett, Assistant

**Discipline/ Concerns:**

None

**Updates:**

Evaluations completed Sunday, Oct 1 and teams have been formed and approved by coaches.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Ailsby

***U7: James Willett***

**Date of Report:** Oct 3, 2023

**Updates:**

98 Registrations for U7.

7 teams for U7 division (same number as 2022-2023).

Broncos - Nathan Wiebe

Jets - Stefan Rumpel

Penguins - Cass Hudson

Avalanche - Jason Gerlach

Blackhawks - Derek Berg

Leafs - Cory Tynning

Senators - Kody Orr

Team Selection completed Oct 2, 2023.

**Tournament Committee:**

Chair – Laurie Krause, Secretary: TBD Treasurer: TBD Prize Table / 50/50: TBD Treat Bags: TBD  
Programs/Copying: TBD Game Sheets: TBD Mementos: TBD Heart and Hustler Awards: TBD

## Questions:

If a child plays down a division what are the rules on Game/Tournament Attendance?

## Motions:

Head coach nominations:

Nathan Wiebe, Stefan Rumpel, Cass Hudson, Jason Gerlach, Derek Berg, Cory Tynning, Kody Orr

Assistant Coach Nominations:

Blake Voth, Bobbi-Jo Durreault, Leo Pritchard, Travis Rouse, Ryan Neustater, Mark Redden, Brian Fleury

Motion to accept Coaches and Assistant Coaches was seconded and Carried.

James Willett

**U18AAA Liason**

**Legionnaire/ Wildcat liaison Larry Empey**

**Date of Report:** Oct 3,2023

**Head Coaches:** Todd Hornung/ Terry Pavely

**Updates:** The Legionnaire's and the Wildcats have both started regular season play. The Legion opened up with a win and their second game was canceled due to a power outage, next action is Oct 7 against Tisdale.

The Wildcats are currently 0-3 to start but look to get back on pace at a tournament in Edmonton over the Thanksgiving break. Next action at home for them is Oct 15 against Notre Dame

**Motions:** none

*Respectfully Submitted*

*Larry Empey*

***Sr. Female: Rej Stringer***

Updates: Oct 03<sup>rd</sup> 2023

Nothing to report since last meeting.

***Jr. Female: Adrian Chubaty***

**Date of Report:** Oct 2, 2023

**Updates:** There are 85 girls registered in Jr Female. The Colts Classic tournament is filling up. U15 division is full with 10 teams waitlisted U11/13 are waiting on a couple more each to confirm their acceptance.

**Questions:**

Do we have a rule in place that determines who is eligible to attend a team's practice if that player is not registered with that team? I have had parents ask me if only AP'd players were allowed to attend a different team's practice or if it is just up to the coaches.

Only AP players are allowed to attend practices.

**Motions:**

U13A Head Coaches: Sheldon Reinhart  
Garnet Unger

U9 Asst Coaches: Nash Fontaine  
Sheldon Lee  
Nicole Nutter

U9 Manager: Tracey Desrosiers

Players to move up a division: Hadlee Montgomery from U9 to U11  
Emily Green U11 to U13  
Kamri Silbernagel U11 to U13

The request to move these players up a division is to help with smaller numbers. I have personally watched all three and they fit in very nicely at the higher division.

**Coaches:**

U13 AA

Head Coach: Cory Weinbender

Asst Coaches: Bobby Smith



Sheldon Paulhus

Clint Busse

Manager: Trena Fox

U11A Head Coaches: Nash Fontaine

Trent Wagner

U9 Head Coach: Candace Andrews

All Coaches, assistant coaches and managers were approved by the Board.

Respectfully Submitted,

***Registration: Dave Smith***  
***Not in attendance, nothing to Report***

***Scheduling: Nola Smith***  
Working on block ice with the city.

***Officials: Ian Schafer***

**Date of Report: October 3, 2023**

**Updates:**

- Registration portal is now open for all age classes
- Held the Swift Current officiating clinic on September 30. Had 48 registrants present with a classroom session in the morning at Fairview school and an on-ice session in the afternoon at S3W
- Will need to add one more classroom and ice session to register the last pool of officials
- Will need to change U7 to 2-man system and U11 co-ed to a 4-man system to accommodate all the young officials for the year
- Membership is up from last year. As of now 28 new officials in the system. As registration is open until the end of December the final number of registered officials will be determined at that time.

***Equipment: Jamie LeBlanc***  
***DATE: October 3, 2023***

***Update:***

***Male & female rep team jerseys and socks may arrive this week or next.***

***Kobe was trying to get them out by October 4 instead of November.***

***House jerseys are starting to get picked up. New house socks should be here October 10 or so and the new U18 house jerseys will be here shortly after that. If those teams need jerseys early, we will give the old ones until the new ones arrive.***

***Camp jerseys are half returned. A few have gone missing and will need to be replaced.***

***Concerns/Issues:***

***Suggesting to put forward that the rep team jerseys do not need to be purchased by parents every year if they don't want to. I would suggest the following - \$75 jersey deposit is required by all AA rep team families. Each year SCMHA will make one set of jerseys available (light in 2023/24, dark 2024/25, white 2025/26 etc.) for teams to purchase IF parents choose to. If a family wants the jersey, then the difference of the jersey price minus the deposit will be paid to the team and in turn paid to SCMHA. If the jersey is worth \$175 then the family could pay the additional \$100 to go with the initial deposit of \$75 to pay for the jersey.***

***Motion was made, seconded and Carried. Added to Rules and Regulations.***

***Respectfully Submitted,***

***Jamie LeBlanc***

***Risk Management/Progressive Discipline: Shawn Irwin***

***Nothing to report.***

***12. Next Meeting:***

***Monday November 06th 7:00 pm Walker Place***

***13. Adjournment: Jaimie Leblanc***