



Tillsonburg Ringette Association
December 2025 Minutes
Date: December 9, 2025, at 6:00pm
Location: Boston Pizza (back room)

Members in Attendance: Matt Freelen, Wendy Tupper, Lindsay Munroe, Michelle Morris, Stephanie Heath, Dustin Donais, Jason Hughes, Josiah Page, Melissa Hughes, Pam Geerts, Rachel Bryan

Member Regrets: Taylor Manary, Brad Van Puymbroeck, Amanda Thorpe, Erin Martin, Nicole Harris, Jessah Dielman, Karyn Latendre, Vanessa Alton, Kyle Hollister, Scott Heath

Guests: None

Rules of the Road: One person to speak at a time. Limit side bar conversations. Be open to other's perspectives this means: non-defending; open to learning and being influenced; think short term and long term. Have fun!

1. Welcome/Roll Call

Meeting called to order at 6:24 pm

First: Pam

Second: Jason

2. Review of Previous Minutes and Action Items

Motion to approve November meeting minutes

First: Wendy

Second: Taylor

3. Registrar

Nothing to report

4. Coaching and Player Development

- Almost all coaches are certified - remaining courses will be finished by the 20th and coaches should be allowed back on benches
- Lots of new substitutions happening with new rules - appreciate everyone that has been willing to help out
- Working through organization provided power skating with Kait Buchner.
- Coaches are starting to access player development funds
- Request for shooting clinic. Denise Pelletier is willing to run one during our gym time at Southridge - working out the details
- Reached out to a new contact for goalie clinics: Savannah Baker - works for RO and is a goalie.

5. Treasurer

Please see emailed Treasurers report along with the account balances as of this morning.

Chequing \$67219.39

Nevada	\$5675.54
Raffle	\$27028.94

Need to confirm plan to pay for regionals (e-transfer versus TRA check to treasurer). Melissa and Scott will discuss.

Motion to approve treasurer's report.

First: Pam

Second: Dustin

6. Scheduler

Regrets

7. Referee in Chief

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8. President

- Discussed scheduling a holiday skate during practice times on the 27th.
- University Challenge in Guelph Dec 27-31st Free
- Ringette Ontario survey re: boys in ringette

9. Vice President & Risk Management

Regrets

10. Equipment

Regrets

11. Webmaster

No report

12. Fundraising

- 50/50 raised \$1477.26
- Discussed Cash Calendar
- Santa Claus parade float - great participation, demonstrates community

13. Sponsorship

- Received photos for gold sponsors. Working on getting these distributed
- Waiting on second payment from Jansen Landscaping (requested 2 sponsor spots but only one payment confirmed)

14. Tournament & Major Events

- Tournament was a great success!
- 26 teams in total (9 TRA), 5 divisions
- 250 kids and 65 adult players
- NRL show case game
- 5 vendors plus TRA vendor
- Profit +/- \$4000
- Things that went well: Marwood Lounge and Lions Den; Registration Table opened earlier; Raffle donations from teams; raffle draw at 3 pm and 50/50 at 6 pm Sunday
- Things to consider/change for next year: Needed more volunteers; Schedule a bit more slush ice; NRL autographs and kids to join warm up; Consider reimbursing ref's for mileage and food; more fling a rings (sold out)

15. Banquet

16. Learn to Skate & Adult League

Learn to Skate:

Adult League:

- Not breaking even (costing +/- \$140 per ice time)
- Having fun, building and growing the league

17. Public Relations

- Facebook page, website or posted QR code have link for Merchandise stores (TKO and Source)

18. GRLR

19. WRRA/WRRL

20. LORL

- Reseeding meeting occurred, satisfied with the results
- U16's not reseeded
- Hubs to minimize driving

21. New Business

22. Adjournment

Next Meeting: Jan 13 at 7:00pm

Meeting Adjourned: 7:20 pm

First: Dustin

Second: Pam