

Viking Minor Hockey Meeting Minutes August 29, 2024

Meeting called to order at 6:37pm by Jeff Bird in the Louis Sutter meeting room at the Viking Carena Complex

Attendees: Jeff Bird, Tyler Amundson, Kelsey Place, Ryan Doucette, Kim Crocker, Nicole Gaboury, Randy Arndt, Taeler Hafso, Jenn Amundson and Rosanne Morken.

Jeff Bird presented the agenda for the meeting. Made a motion to approved the agenda. Nicole Gaboury approved the agenda. Rosanne Morken seconded. All in favour. Carried

Kim Crocker presented the minutes from the last meeting on June 23, 2024. Jenn Amundson approved the minutes. Kelsey Place seconded. All in favour. Carried.

Ice Schedule Update: presented by Ryan Doucette

- U7- Monday 5:30-6:30, Tuesday 4:45-5:45
- U9B-Monday 6:30-7:30, Wednesday 3:45-4:45
- U9A-7:45-8:45, Wednesday 4:45-5:45
- U13- 8:45-9:45, Wednesday 6:00-7:00

Due to the town of Viking Ice Scheduler having to try to accommodate Viking Minor Hockey, Viking Skating Club and Red Wings Hockey Club these were the best times that could be given to Viking Minor Hockey with trying to accommodate all 3 organizations with Monday to Thursday ice times available for practices. Friday through to Sunday are for tournaments and games for teams.

Report from U7 Director: 10 players registered. Mark Pobuda has volunteered to be head coach again. Assistant coaches and helpers as of right now are Oren Erickson, Brad Hafso, Wade Jobber and Brett Larson. Pre-can skate will run their practice during the same time and use a certain area on the ice.

Report from U9 Director: 15 players registered as of meeting date with a few more not currently handed in. Due to large numbers the U9 will be split into a Major and Minor team. There will be 3 overage U11 players on the major U9 team due to them not having a U11 team in Viking.

Report from U11 Director: 4 players registered. 2 players chose to play in Mannville for the 2024-2025 season. They currently have been released from Viking and have submitted their registration forms to Mannville. 3 other players chose to play overage on the U9 Major Viking Gas King team for the 2024-2025 season. 1 player confirmed they will be playing overage in Viking however have not handed in registration forms yet.

Report from U13 Director: 11 players currently registered. Will start practice September 23, 2024 as a conditioning camp

Financial Report: Total Assets-\$147570.72, Total Income-\$0, Total Expenses-\$0, Net Income-\$-4592.34

Skills/Player Development: Looking into options for the upcoming season for players as well as goalies

Registrar Update: Had a few players to approve for transfer. Received registrations and will be submitting them online.

Ref Update: Sent out a ref clinic poster. Still in need of refs

Equipment Update: White jerseys are here. Looking in storage room to see if there are enough jerseys for U13 team to be able to put name bars on them. Looking into costs

Advertising/Sponsorship: Sending out letter to last years team sponsors as well as the town for the town grant

Casino | 50/50: Nothing new to report

New Business:

- **Goalie Development-**Will look into options for them for the 2024/2025 season
- **Equipment Swap-** Had been tried in the past and wasn't successful due to not enough interest
- **Team Meeting Planning-** A meeting will take place with each team to discuss the upcoming season such as team split, practice days and times and tournament dates.
- **Apparel:** Looking into additional attire options for players to purchase
- **U11 Mannville Players:** They have been released from Viking Minor Hockey for the 2024/2025 season and have submitted their registration forms. Practices start Oct 5, 2024

Next Meeting Date: Oct 2, 2024 at 7:00pm at the Viking Carena Complex in the Louis Sutter Meeting Room

Meeting Adjourned at 8:45pm