

## WESTERN REGION GENERAL MEETING

Feb. 18, 2021 - 7-9pm

Meeting ID: 875 8082 2651 Password: 125108

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## Agenda

- 1) Welcome Chris Sharpe
- 2) Roll Call Mark DeLaFranier

Attendees: Exeter, London-Open, Goderich, Woolwich, Forrest, Guelph, Tillsonburg, Elora Fergus, St. Marys, Kitchener, Waterloo, Mitchell, WIRA,

Brian, Phil, Jason, Stephanie, Barb, Mark, Jason V,

Regrets: Jordan

- Motion to approve the minutes from previous meeting Mark DeLaFranier Elora-Fegus, Passed
- 4) Reports (Exteter Seaforth first, all in favour)
  - a) Officiating Coordinator Denise Pelletier
    - i) No report submitted.
  - b) Treasurer Barbara Green
    - i) Report posted to website.
    - ii) Barb reviewed some highlights, no questions.
  - c) Coaching Coordinator Craig Hennessy
    - i) Report posted to website.
    - ii) Feedback on Goalie virtual clinic from RO.
    - iii) Great feedback, content was outstanding.
    - iv) Video was a bit hard to follow, content did not all fit.
  - d) G&T Coordinator Nancy Nicolson-Houghtling & Jordan Kovats
    - i) Report posted to website.
    - ii) Regionals 2021 officially cancelled, look to return ice.

- iii) Regional 2022 we can move forward to plan for next year.
- iv) Looking for volunteers to take on role on the G&T team.
- e) Membership Services Coordinator Elly Simpson
  - i) No report submitted.
- f) Webmaster Keith Kaiser
  - i) No report submitted.
- g) High Performance John Mezenberg Absent: Chris to discuss
  - i) Report posted to website.
  - ii) Chris congratulated Western Region members who were selected to the bench!
- h) Sport Development Position Vacant \*Need Volunteer\*
- i) Adult Development Stephanie Smith
  - i) Report posted on website.
  - ii) Somewhat uneventful season so far.
  - iii) Reminder that no ice should be rented for a sanctioned event.
- b) 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President / WORL Phil Singeris
  - i) Report posted to website.
- c) 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President / WRRL Jason Vermeiren
  - i) Report posted to website.
- d) Chair Chris Sharpe
  - i) Report posted to website.
  - ii) \$25 / board member for training
  - iii) Recommend looking to adopt basecamp for WRRA. Some good feedback from presidents. Likely more functionality that we can exploit beyond what RO is currently leveraging it for.
  - iv) Establish a Western Region player award in the name of Keith and Mary Kaiser.
    - (1) Positive feedback from the presidents
    - (2) Like the idea of criteria including a component around giving back.
- 5) WRRA Marketing Grant 2<sup>nd</sup> Half Update Barbara
  - a) We received an updated application.
  - b) Chris recommends we extend the deadline to March 11
- 6) WRRA Marketing for 2021 Chris

a) Discuss Proposal & Review Proposed Budget

Motion that WRRA allocate \$24,000 towards the attached WRRA Marketing Proposal of Feb 15, 2021.

- i) Jared Guelph 1st
- ii) Shawn London 2nd
- iii) Motion Passed
- 7) By-Law Proposed Updates / Coordinator Appointments Chris
- 8) Need volunteer: Organization system improvements and good governance
  - Volunteer to work on creating Job Descriptions for each WRRA roll on the board
  - Create a formal Org Chart (Inverted)
  - Training Plan for WRRA Board: Board Gov training online Module or arrange with RO The Sport for Life training is here:
     <a href="https://sportforlife-sportpourlavie.ca/catalog\_detail.php?courseid=114">https://sportforlife-sportpourlavie.ca/catalog\_detail.php?courseid=114</a>
     \$24.95/person.
  - Implement end of season survey for our members (Associations) for 2021
- 9) Web Site update Mark & Keith
- 10) Association Update All Presidents
  - a) Exeter-Seaforth
  - b) London-Open
  - c) Goderich
  - d) Woolwich
  - e) Forrest
  - f) Guelph
  - g) Tillsonburg
  - h) Elora-Fergus
  - i) St. Marys
  - j) Kitchener
  - k) Waterloo
  - l) Mitchell
  - m) WRIARA
  - n) London
- 11) New Business
- 12) Motion to Adjourn (Exeter-Seaforth, Barb)

13) Target Date for AGM: May 27, 2021 – Zoom Meeting