

MPHA EXECUTIVE MEETING MINUTES - Monday February 28, 2023

Meeting called at 8:05pm

In attendance – Tamey McAllister, Marci Hughson, Ashley Taylor, Roxanne Romaniuk, Kate Adams Paquette and Dana Rancourt.

Topics Covered

U13 Soo Tournament and Team Update by Dana Rancourt

U13 team had a great showing at the tournament and ended up winning the Championship. Kids all had a great time and we couldn't be prouder of them. All that is left Playoffs the Weekend of March 3rd and then they will travel to Sturgeon Falls to participate in the A division TOC weekend.

U15 Team Update by Ashley and Marcie

U15 team travelled to Powasson at the beginning of February and had a great showing. Made it to the semi Finals of the tournament and had a great weekend. We do have a few injuries that we are keeping an eye on while the team gets ready for playoffs March 3rd. We have tried to reschedule some games that were either cancelled due to weather or one is scheduled to be played after our playoffs. In favour of keeping our players healthy we may choose to not play all the games that we missed as they may only lead to further injury and the team will be travelling to Temiskaming Shores to participate in the TOC's on March 24th.

Ref Assignor Update by Kate Adams-Paquette

Overall Kate advised that she had a good experience with using Horizon and getting refs. There has been a couple times where she had to scramble but she was always able to come up with three refs. Not often did she have to deal with the Referee in Chief. The Executive acknowledged what a fantastic job Kate has done for us this season and Panther home games are the only games all season that have consistently had three referees, which has only benefited the players.

Dana and Kate are dismissed from Meeting

Coaches Evaluations

Tamey has collected all of the evaluations that were submitted by parents, not all families submitted evaluations. She is working on a way to share the good information that has been provided. There were a lot of really positive comments that would be nice to share with the coaches so they know their hard work and dedication all season did not go unnoticed. Any negative comments and concerns were discussed.

Registration

Some families still have an outstanding balance on their registration. Registration was due in full by the end of January and a reminder was sent out to anyone still owing. Since it is now a month past due all outstanding payments must be made in full or some sort of arrangement and communication must be made to the Treasurer by March 3rd or the player may not be eligible to play in the league playoff tournament. If full payment has not been received by Wednesday March 15th they will not be eligible to participate in TOC's.

Coach Applications

Coaching applications that were received by the deadline were reviewed and discussed. We are hoping to set up interviews by the end of March or early April. We did receive some interest in holding a U11 interests skates but we cannot do that until we have some interest from a coaching staff.

2023-2024 Season Tryouts

MPHA will not be allowed to hold tryouts until after the AAA and AA tryouts are completed for NDHL and SMHL. This puts us into the second week of May so we will review at our next meeting.

Next meeting TBA

Meeting adjourned @ 10:35pm