

# DISTRICT 10

## General Meeting Minutes

### December 5th, 2005

**John Miller, President, calls the meeting to order.**

**Roll Call:** District 10 members not present: Dick Hanson, Rhonda Madsen, Jay Fladebo, Shawn Duffy, Dan Sinn, Rick Jelinek, and Jeanette Hamm-Jelinek

Associations not present: Becker/Big Lake, Coon Rapids, Princeton, Sauk Rapids, Spring Lake Park, St Francis.

Minutes passed from November 7th, 2005 General Meeting.

**Roger Sundeen: Treasurer**

Statements for the 1<sup>st</sup> half of the Referee Charges will be mailed out soon. A Treasurer's report was presented. Motion to approve, Seconded, Passed.

**John Miller: President**

Reminder: Reporting Procedure. Communication is very important; make sure that all information is brought back to your Association.

Reminder of procedure for weather related cancellation of games, Handout was given to all. It is also in the District 10 Handbook.

When rescheduling games, follow the procedures in the handbook. Handout was also given out.

Minor Official duties, I have been to a few games where the scorekeeper didn't know how to fill out the score sheet. Please take the time to train these people in.

Squirts and Girls 10 team calendars are slow in getting to League Coordinators – 3 copies are needed.

Thank you to all Ice Schedulers for their hard effort this year, please go back to your Associations and thank them. There are approximately 2067 league games with only 125 single games.

A Thank you to all Registrars. With out your hard work on the paperwork, the teams would not be playing, again go back to your Associations and thank them also.

I want to wish everyone a very merry and safe Holiday.

**Tim Timm: District Director**

Minnesota Hockey-Visit the web site, there is a lot of information there. A State meeting is scheduled for January sometime, the agenda is listed on the web site. If you have any concerns, please let me know via e-mail or letter. ([d10director@yahoo.com](mailto:d10director@yahoo.com))

Early Roster Signoff- Discussion was heard and at this time Roster sign off will stay the same. The A Bantams seems to be the only teams that need the earlier sign off, due to tournaments. This issue will be discussed again at a President's meeting.

Happy Holidays

**Mark Osmondson: Vice President/Administration, Jr. Gold Coordinator**

For the Mites, Girls 8U, Squirts and C Pee wee's, I need to have there Team Schedules TONIGHT. As of today I haven't received any. A few of you told me you wouldn't be done until mid December. When they are done – I need them ASAP.

Team Schedules for everyone else, I need them now. Mail them to: Mark Osmondson, 14330 310<sup>th</sup> Ave. N.W., Princeton, MN 55371. Or e-mail – [d10jrgold@hotmail.com](mailto:d10jrgold@hotmail.com). ALL PRACTICES, GAMES & JAMBOREES need to be posted on this schedule. Any concerns I may have with the schedules, will be brought up to the Association President.

District 10 has a maximum 15 game rule for Mites and 8U's, this does include Jamborees. USA Hockey recommends a 3 to 1 practice/game ratio.

**Jeff Zwerdling: Vice President/Scheduler**

Tournament Rosters: Make sure all the information is filled out.

Check your Team Schedule –VS- our web site. If there is a problem, contact your Ice Scheduler and have them contact me.

I don't post the game scores, the League Director does.

Game changes – Lee needs 7 days to find Ref's to cover the changes.

**Colleen Muskie: Assistant Scheduler**

Background check forms for COACHES also need to be turned in **as soon as you can**. If she doesn't have the Coaches Background forms by roster sign off, the Coaches will be crossed off the roster and unable to be on the team.

Don't forget that the transmittal sheet must also be attached. You may get a transmittal sheet off the website.

Your Social Security number must be on the form.

**Craig Turner: Tournaments**

When you go to tournaments and hand in your books, they will hold it till the end of the 2<sup>nd</sup> game. This is due to insurance. If a player gets hurt and a parent is not around – the book has the consent to treat form.

**Mike Denardo: Coach-in-Chief**

Check the USA Hockey and Minnesota Hockey web site for Coaches clinic.

I was at the Roster sign off & there are Coaches listed on the roster that are not completely certified. You have until December 31<sup>st</sup> to get certified.

Level 1,2 & 3 clinic's – working on setting up more. Don't call Mike for dates, just check the web site. It is listed there before I know about the class.

**Donn Berkeland: Ace Coordinator**

All coaches got rostered at one time.

Donn has a DVD for all traveling teams. Please pick them up after the meeting.

**Bruce Carlson: Supervisor of Officials**

Reports have started coming in and if you'd like to see them contact Bruce.

**Lee Hollom: Referee Scheduler**

From November 7<sup>th</sup> to the 14<sup>th</sup> – 214 games played!

Last weekend there were 4 tournament along with regular games. The season is started!!!

When talking with Lee regarding a game – please have the Level and Game Number.

**Paul Pederson: Youth Coordinator**

A game report must be filled out. Phone calls will be ignored. Anyone can download the report off the web site and send it in.

Re-Confirm your Schedule.

Little kids are not allowed in the Minor Officials Box. I know parents don't always have someone to watch their kids while they help out at a game. But that child has no insurance if they get hurt in the Box.

Have the Scorekeeper write down the start time of the game, (when the player's hit the ice).

**Mark Osmondson: Jr.Gold Coordinator**

League play starts tonight. Very smooth year to organize.

We have 10 teams this year. – Anoka – A, Blaine – A & U16, Centennial A & 2- U16, Champlin – A, Coon Rapids - B, Elk River – B, Princeton – B.

Hank Wuertz is the coordinator for the A's & B's

John Lawson is the coordinator for the U16's

If your Association has a Jr. Gold team, please be supportive and go watch a few games. They are very competitive in many ways and the games are free to watch.

**Cyndy Poulton: S.K.A.T.E.**

An e-mail was sent to all who haven't paid.

**Hank Wuertz: Hall of Fame Tournament**

\$12,000.00 was raised for the Hall of Fame!! Thanks to everyone who helped out with the Tournament.

**LEAGUE COORDINATORS**

Doug Messerli – A Bantams

Craig Turner – B1 Bantams

John Lawson – B2 Bantams

Brad Erickson – A PeeWee

Dann Sinn – B1 PeeWee

Bill Andrus – B1 Squirts

Chuck Fitzer – B2 Squirts

Howard Dye – Girls U12

Cyndi Poulton – Girls U10

Hank Wuertz – Jr Gold A & B

John Lawson – Jr. Gold U16

**Items from the Floor:**

Craig Turner – He knows of a game where 1 player was taken off the ice in an ambulance and later a player got a broken arm. No INJURY REPORT FORM has been sent in. The form is on the web site and needs to be turned in, whether you use our insurance or not. We still need the form.

Cambridge/Isanti & St. Francis merged together to form a A Bantam team. Smaller associations should look at merging with another Association – the players are enjoying it.

Hank and Craig Thank you for all the work on the Hall of Fame Tournament. Rick Wesp & Jeff Zwerdling have also joined in to help for next year.

**Meeting Adjourned**

Next meeting January 2, 2006, 7:00pm @ the Champlin Forum

Respectfully Submitted by:

Gail Johnson

Secretary – District 10

**Upcoming Events:** Dates to remember between this meeting and the next.

December 12, 2005 Metro Hockey League Meeting 6:00pm New Hope Arena

December 24, 25, & 31 2005 No District 10 League Play

December 31, 2005 Team Rosters and final and frozen

January 2, 2006 Team Rosters need to be turned in to Jeff

January 2, 2006 District 10 Meeting 7:00pm Champlin Forum

