

DISTRICT 10
Monthly Membership Meeting - January 8th, 2024
7:00pm - Hidden Haven

Call Meeting to Order

- Meeting called to order at 7pm by Jim Casey

Roll Call

- Members/Officers not in attendance: Rhonda Madsen, Hank Wertz, Jeff Piehl, Kristian, John Markham, Chase Miller, Bryan Becklin
- Associations not in attendance: Hinckley

Minutes of Last Meeting

- Motion was made, seconded, and passed to approve the minutes from December Membership Meeting

D10 Treasurer - Colleen Donovan for Rhonda Madsen

- Checking account balance was announced, after deposits and expenses.
- Motion was made and seconded to approve the treasurer's report. Motion carried

D10 President - Jim Casey

- Season is finishing quickly!
- Tournament dates
 - Non-region advancing 2/10-2/18
 - Region advancing 2/16-2/25
 - Brackets are posted online
- Reviewed bench penalties and game misconducts that can be given to Head Coaches and Assistant Coaches for behavior towards officials
 - New referees will make mistakes at the lower levels
- Reviewed penalties and loss of Fair Play points due to parent behavior in the stands
- Head coaches need to check their team's standings to make sure they are correct - verify penalty minute & Fair Play points

D10 Director -Colleen Donovan

- Minnesota Hockey meeting coming up to vote on new rules around Mite & 8U waivers.
 - Will send proposed rules to Presidents for feedback
- Reviewed playing rules, associations may not refuse to place a player on a team

D10 Vice President -Scott Meyer

- Reviewed fighting rule
- What constitutes fighting?
- Any protests must be done immediately and not after the game report is filed

D10 Mite Director - Dave Englund

- Redlines at the Mite level have been straightened out
- Coaches either have a coaching card or they do not

D10 Registrar - Becky Ewing

- Reviewed redlined coaches
 - 6 did not attend a class
 - 3 decided not to coach
 - 3 obtained temp cards
 - 2 did not respond

D10 Hockey Director - Donn Berkeland

- MN Coaching Education clinics
 - 85 clinics run and 4,077 coaches trained
- Hockey Directors zoom call dates have been emailed out, topics to be:
 - Coaching education what worked/didn't work
 - Coaching resources
 - Revisit coaching education w/officials
 - 40% of officials quit after the first year
- Futures teams 13U boys set, 15U futures co-ed have GM & Head coach, waiting on assistants
- Reviewed when coaches need to take different levels - timeline
- The USA CEP tab has all necessary information.
- For Level 4s expiring next year - they will receive information on how to complete CEUs

D10 District Tournament Coordinator - Rick Wesp

- No report

D10 Youth Coordinator - Chase Miller

- Remind the coaches that we are here for the kids
- Season has been going well, excluding 2 match penalties

D10 Girls Coordinator - Summer Anderson

- No Report

D10 Diversified Hockey Coordinator - Colleen Donovan

- No report

D10 Jr. Gold Coordinator - Hank Wuertz & John Markham

- Season going well

D10 Supervisor of Officials - Mike Mannin

- Reviewed fighting and boarding penalties.
 - 55 reportable incidents this season, last season 62 for the entire season
- Thanked North Branch and Centennial for the young referees that helped with the half iced games for One Hockey at the Super Rink
- Mite league is getting underway, would like two officials, one to ref with new ref and two will shadow.
- Abuse of officials - thinks due to lack of hockey knowledge by parents
- Reviewed pay for Mite referees

Game Schedule/Ref Scheduling - Tom Nergard

- D10 brackets are posted
- Reviewed seeds for Bantam AA, Peewee AA, and 15U A & B with site locations
- Rescheduling - can't reschedule the new Mite league, changing causes problems

- See handbook on page 13. Rules are the same as for travel teams
- Weather rescheduling - see page 13 as well
 - Reviewed reschedule fees
- Mite mentoring - all mentors are lined up, by 1/6 associations need to give a list of referees for the games, if there are open slots, other association kids will be able to fill them if they want too.

Game Sheet - Jeff Zwerdling

- Reviewed games ending with the time on the clock
- Teams have not been noting the correct penalties - especially misconducts
- One association had all actions happen in the 1st period only
- If parents need to be trained, there is a YouTube link available.
- Medals and trophies have arrived.

Items from the Floor

- Jeremie R - Please support 14U Green Giant girls going to Nationals in April. \$55,000 needs to be raised so this can be a no cost charge for the players.
- Tom N - People running invitational tournaments have been doing an excellent job.
- Becky - two complaints about locker room monitors with no safe sport or screening. Will forward that on to Jim

Meeting adjourned at 7:52pm. Motioned and seconded.

Minutes respectfully recorded by D10 Secretary, Kelly Gribauval

**Next Membership Meeting:
February 5th, 2023**