

DISTRICT 10

Monthly Membership Meeting - December 2nd, 2024

7:00pm - Hidden Haven

Call Meeting to Order

- Meeting called to order at 7pm by Scott Meyer

Roll Call

- Members/Officers not in attendance: Jim Casey, Summer Anderson, Jeff Piehl, Chris Messerli, Kristian Mathany, Trisha Gravning, Bryan Becklin
Associations not in attendance: Andover

Minutes of Last Meeting

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

D10 Treasurer - Rhonda Madsen

- Overview of current accounts and outstanding district ice bills.
- League billing is out and due in December. Remind Treasurers invoices are due and late fees will be assessed if not paid on time.

D10 President - Scott Meyer for Jim Casey

- Condolences to the Ackerson family from Champlin Park. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.
- D10 and MN Hockey were proud of the Blaine Peewee A team in their support and of the blind players at the disabled hockey tournament.
- Make sure you are using locker room monitors. This will be randomly checked by MN Hockey and D10.
- Game Reports for coaches are on the D10 forms page. Send to league coordinators and Mike Mannin.

D10 Director - Colleen Donovan

- Roster signoffs for 400 Mite teams was completed. Thanked board members for assisting and those that completed double shifts.
- MN Hockey will have a separate committee for 15U and 19U. Colleen will serve on this committee.
- Reiterated concerns about developing Mite players. If there are two Mite A teams, then the following season should have two Squirt A teams for example. The top Peewee and Bantam teams are not playing at a high enough level.
- Kids learn from practices.
- Fines have already been issued for lack of locker room monitors.
- There have been three SafeSport calls so far this season.

D10 Vice President - Scott Meyer

- Thanked everyone who helped at roster signoffs

D10 Mite Director - Dave Englund

- Sent out message to coaches in regards to shared practices with teams outside of their associations.
- Wants all associations to send game schedules for each Mite team to him.

D10 Registrar - Becky Ewing

- Thanked everyone for their help at Mite Roster Signoffs
- The Award form will be on the D10 form page by 12/15.

D10 Hockey Director -Donn Berkeland

- Many CEP classes going on. If you can't find one locally, look nationally.
- If there are any difficulties for coaches to register, please contact Donn for assistance.
- Will have a call to discuss the 13U & 15U boys' and girls' teams. Has 15U boys' and girls' coaches. All head coach and assistant coach positions are paid.

Coach - In - Chief -Sarah Rydberg

- Echoed Donn's comments about coaching clinics and virtual options for CEP.
- There is a strict transfer policy in regards to classes in the month of December. Reach out to hosts and Donn if it is necessary.
- Excited that people are taking advantage of coach/player development clinics

D10 District Tournament Coordinator - Rick Wesp

- No report

D10 Youth Coordinator - Chase Miller

- Had last manager's meeting. Sent out thank you email.
- Team declarations in the beginning of the year will be important.
- Reiterated comments about having locker room monitors.
- Sent out an email reminding coaches that they cannot have a spouse of a coach as a team manager.

D10 Player Development - Casey Bernards

- Held a body contact clinic in North Branch for the Bantam B1 team.
- Held another clinic in Princeton. Coaches were very pleased and players responded well.
- Reach out coaches!

D10 Girls Coordinator - Summer Anderson

- No Report

D10 Diversified Hockey Coordinator - Colleen Donovan

- No Report

D10 Jr. Gold Coordinator - John Markham

- Participated in a Junior Gold statewide call with 20 people participating.
- The season starts tonight. Down two teams from last season.

D10 Supervisor of Officials - Mike Mannin

- 15 incident reports this year which is extremely low, 12UA has the most reports.
- No match penalties.

- Requested Mite Referee Rosters from associations.
- Tom is setting up mentor scheduling and verifying criteria.
- Referees have been inconsistent enforcing mouthguard rules. No issues with neckguards.

Game Schedule/Ref Scheduling - Tom Nergard

- Everything is going well for the start of the season.
- GameSheet on the D10 website is the official schedule, not the association schedule.
- Invitational tournaments - When holding a tournament, you have to follow the rules that are posted. You may not change them and post them in the locker room. Changes must be approved through MN Hockey.
- Exhibition games - cannot be longer than time allotted.
- Rescheduling for teams with less than 8 skaters can be done, but is inconvenient for everyone.
- All brackets for the D10 tournament are posted online.

Game Sheet - Scott Meyer for Jeff Zwerdling

- There will be a fine of \$25 for not putting in the end time on the GameSheet scoresheet.
- The person who is handling GameSheets should not let the referees change the game start time to what they want. The game start time is the official start of the game.

Items from the Floor

- Colleen - The Champlin Park High School team will be holding a fundraiser for the family of the player who passed away from cancer. They are raising money to help cover the expenses that family incurred. D10 will make a donation for their silent auction. Many associations are holding memorials for the player.
- Jeremie - 14U tier I team will be going to Nationals in Massachusetts. They will be going to associations meetings requesting donations.
- Becky - Spoke with Todd in regards to Skills Rosters. For example - if an association hires Mega Goaltending to conduct a clinic on that association's ice, Mega will need to be on the skills roster. They will not need to complete the age module. Teams going to Mega's ice - no skills roster.
 - Coaches that are a skills coach for one team must be on that team's roster.
 - Clarification will be sent to registration coordinators and Presidents
- Tom - all associations have been invoiced for referee league games - pay them ASAP.

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

Minutes respectfully recorded by D10 Secretary, Kelly Gribauval

**Next Membership Meeting:
December 1st, 2024**