

# **MDHA Executive Meeting**

# Monday October 21st, 2024

# 7:00 pm via Webex

# Call to Order

The President called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm and quorum was noted.

# **Approval of Minutes**

Motion to approve the September 2024 Executive Meeting minutes

- Moved by Cheryl Cooper, seconded by Maryam Sugrue-Foubert

MOTION CARRIED

# **President's Report**

In her report, the President noted the 3 U9 tournaments after January 15<sup>th</sup> and that the GHA Full Ice Tournament does not count toward the 3.

She also asked convenors to remind teams to fill out the new one-sheet travel permits and that U15 and below need to list all tournaments. The signed copy of the roster also needs to be provided with the travel permit.

### **New Business/Reports**

1. Ratification of votes for Coaches (U7, U9, U11, U13, U15, U18)

MOTION to ratify the electronic votes for the appointments of head coaches for the 2024-25 hockey season as follows:

o U7 Yellow – Jon Scrivens

- o U7 Green Derek Widenmaier
- o U7 White Adam Clarke
- o U7 Red Ryan MacGregor
- o U7 Black Tyler Matheson
- o U9 A Mike Mallette
- o U9B1 Matt McCarlie
- o U9B2 James Lietch
- o U9B3 Roberto Lappa
- o U9 C1 Dustin Daynard
- o U9 C2 Graham Cook
- U11 A Ryan Downing
- o U11 B1 Steve Brittain
- o U11 B2 Rene Tache
- o U11 C Owen Carter
- o U13 A Cameron Lajoie
- o U13 B1 Nicholas Pommainville
- o U13 B2 Ward Mallon
- o U13 B3 Roy Evans
- o U13 C Aaron Saunders
- o U15 A -- Jens Simonsen
- o U15B1 Matt Graham
- o U15 B2 Jason Parker
- o U18 A- Jay Feyko
- o U18 B1 Jason Kennedy
- o U18 B2 Nick Keys
- o U18 B3 Adam Baker
- o U21 Kyle Reid
- o U18 Canucks Chris Burns
- Moved by Brian Gear, Seconded by Julia Tuff

#### MOTION CARRIED

2. Treasurer's Report – Rebecca

The Treasurer noted that the bank balance was at approximately \$350K. The GIC for the jersey fund was renewed with an 18 month term and the FAP GIC was renewed in a rolling one year term. The major withdrawals were to the GHA for house league fees and ice.

### 3. Registrar's Report - Tamara

The Registrar reported that the Rep B top-up payments were in process. She will send out reminder emails at the end of November. Rosters have been getting slowly signed. If teams need signed rosters for tournaments, they should advise Tamara.

Volunteer credentials have been slowly getting addressed. Tamara will be sending updates to convenors on volunteer status. There was discussion on what needed to be done to get all requirements met as quickly as possible and address any potential impacts on teams.

# 4. Webmaster's Report – Darryl

Nothing to report.

### 5. VP House Report - Ward

The Vice President House was not present. He did advise that the convenors had a lessons learned discussion following the evaluations. Ward has been asked to bring those lessons learned to the Executive at the next meeting.

### 6. VP Competitive Report – Julia

Nothing to report.

### 7. VP Risk & Safety, Discipline - Roshan

The Vice President of Risk & Safety and Discipline sent out a report (see attached). He raised the need for a secure repository for document storage. He proposed pursuing Microsoft 365 licenses for the association. The Board, including the Treasurer, were supportive of the idea.

Roshan was asked to explore the option and come back to the Executive with a detailed proposal.

He also noted that he was still looking into CAPT. The President asked the Vice President - Discipline, Risk and Safety to reach out to the Rangers to hear about their experience.

The President also asked to remind teams about the policy about no cell phones in the dressing rooms.

### 8. Ice Scheduler Report - Lesley

The Ice Scheduler reported that there were very few issues with evaluations. U7 has their ice scheduled for the rest of the season. She asked that teams make sure Teamsnap is up to date in order to avoid ice conflicts.

### 9. Equipment and Merchandise Report -Jay

The Equipment and Merchandise Coordinator reported that all the jerseys were out. Jay signed up for a free set of goalie equipment from HEO. He was selling the leftover Jet and Canucks hockey bags from Lacriox. He reminded convenors to return sortout jerseys.

### **10.Player Development/Coach Mentor Report – Nick**

The Player Development Director informed the Executive that there was a Coach 1 course November 3<sup>rd</sup> in Metcalfe. Also there will be a Coach 2 course on November 24<sup>th</sup> in Metcalfe Arena.

He was preparing to send out publicity about the Coach Mentor Program. He expects about double coach mentees this season and is looking for mentors.

Nick added that Tuesday night development sessions would start that week. Each team will receive 4 ice times over the season. Also Amped Training for goalies is almost prepared.

Nick raised goalie training for U9 goalies. Some parents have expressed interest in goalie training at the Tuesday night sessions and coaches have suggested multiple goalies from their team for the Amped goalie training which would cost prohibitive.

The President explained how budget decisions were made around U9 goalie training. Goalie training can be expensive for U9 players that are still exploring whether they want to be a goalie.

It was discussed that it would be very difficult for U9 coaches to select only one child for goalie training because of their early development stages.

Motion that the Player Development Director explore adding goalie training for U9 with Action Innovation Tuesday sessions and that any dedicated goalies be determined by the U9 convenors and the Player Development Director for consideration for access to Amped training.

Moved by Cheryl Cooper, seconded by Maryam Sugrue-Foubert
MOTION CARRIED

### 11. FAP Coordinator Report – Caitlyn

Nothing to report.

#### 12. Fundraising Coordinator Report - Kellie

The Fundraising Coordinator was absent but submitted a report that reminded the Executive that November 21<sup>st</sup> was the Metcalfe Jets at the Sens game and that team orders needed to be submitted by October 23<sup>rd</sup>. She also reminded about the Trivia Night and people could reach out to her with any questions.

#### 13. Tournament Planning – Adrienne

The Tournament Coordinator reported that the U7 Fun Day was sold out and that the U18A and U18B tournaments were 80% sold out. This was the first time that the U18A tournament was this subscribed at this time. All Metcalfe teams are expected to participate and provide a gift basket in lieu of tournament fees. The President reminded that the proceeds from the tournament go to the bursary fund and encouraged U18 players to volunteer at one of the U18 tournaments.

#### 14.Secretary Report – Brian

#### a. Photos

The Secretary reminded that photo days were scheduled for October 25 and 26 for the house league teams and U18 and U15 Canucks at the Vernon Community Centre.

#### 15.Convenor Reports (U7-U21)

#### a. U7 – Melissa

The U7 Convenor reported that teams and coaches have been settled.

#### b. U9 – Maryam/Nathaly

The U9 Co-Convenors reported minor issues about team sorting but those have been resolved.

#### c. U11 – Jessica

The U11 Convenor reported they were looking for a fourth goalie.

#### d. U13 – Todd/Stacey

Nothing to report.

#### e. U15 – Andrew

Nothing to report.

#### f. U18 – Adam

The U18 Convenor reported that evaluations were complete and teams established with all teams having voted on their managers and budgets.

#### g. U21 - Deb

Nothing to report.

#### Roundtable

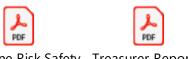
Adam Baker pointed out that there was no potable water at RJ Kennedy arena and asked about sending out an email advising teams of this.

#### Adjournment

Motion to adjourn

- Moved by Julia Tuff

# MEETING ADJOURNED



Discipline Risk Safety Treasurer Report -Report Oct 21 2024 1. 2024-10.pdf

POSITION	NAME	ATTENDANCE (Present/Regrets)
President	Julianne Oelke-Simonsen	Р
Past President	Cheryl Cooper	Р
VP – House Operations	Ward Mallon	R
VP – Discipline, Risk & Safety	Roshan Abraham	Ρ
VP – Competitive	Julia Tuff	P
Registrar	Tamara Brittain	Р
Ice Convenor	Lesley Parker	Р
Treasurer	Rebecca Young	Р
Secretary	Brian Gear	Р
Convenor – U7	Melissa Dow	Р
Convenor – U9	Nathaly Barnett/Maryam Sugrue-Foubert	Р/Р
Convenor – U11	Jessica Dearden	Р
Convenor – U13	Todd Lockett/Stacey Heins	R/P
Convenor – U15	Andrew Penner	R
Convenor – U18	Adam Baker	Ρ
Convenor – U21	Deb Monaghan	Р
Equipment and Merchandise Coordinator	Jay Kennedy	Ρ
Player Development/Coach Mentor	Nick Pommainville	Ρ
Fundraising Coordinator	Kellie Blue	R
GHA Convenor	Chris Rheaume	R
Webmaster	Darryl Swerbrick	Р
Tournament Coordinator	Adrienne Duncan	Р

Financial Assistance	Caitlyn Pommainville	R
Coordinator		