Rivers Minor Hockey Spring Meeting
September 15, 2022 7:30pm

Meeting called to order by Gerald Lepp at 7:30pm.

Minutes from the April 27, 2022 Spring meeting read by Amanda Lelond. No errors or omissions. Lindsey Roels moved to have the minutes accepted as read, second Andrea Munz.

Treasurers report present by Gerald Lepp, Aaron Tycoles unable to attend. Current bank balance is $69 537.94, total current assets $70 320.93 one term deposit $3186.44 due December 24, 2023. Natalie Elliott moved to have the Treasurers report accepted as presented, second Kyle Ratz.

Old Business –

Ice times are on the Rivers Rink website now .
Ice rental went up 5%, we are now charged GST, which we had not been in the past.

Motion made by Lindsey Roels second Keith Vadal - Each year moving forward, Rivers Minor Hockey to purchase a new set of players jerseys. The age group will be determined on need and condition of jerseys. Carried

Rivers Minor hockey constitution presents to its members via email. This constitution can be amended at Rivers Minor Hockey spring/fall meetings.

Motion made by Tanya Airey, second by Richard Brown to accept the Constitution as presented. Carried.

Motion made by Trevor Peters, second by Doug Cripps to increase the ref fees as per the following to be in line with other communities – U7 - $30, U9 - $30 each or $35 for 1 ref, U11 - $40 each, U13 - $50 each, U15 - $60 each. Mileage as per Yellowhead at $.45/km. Carried

Andrew Janz to remain as Ref in Chief for the 2022/23 season, using Google sheets again, paid $1000.

Ref clinic in Rivers October 29, 2022.

New Business –

Yellowhead meeting update
U18 male 53 kids trying out
U15 male 58 kids trying out

Dates to remember – Rising stars for top age U13 male and Female U13 Prospects and Minor U15 Directors Cup January 26-29 weekend.

Coaches courses are all online this year
Hamiota Ref clinic Oct 22, 2022 Neepawa Oct 28, 2022 Brandon October 1, 2022

Provincial play ins

U11 – Jan 27-29 Waywaysecapo
U13 Jan 20 -22 Elkorn
U15 Feb 3-5 Shoal Lake

Maltreatment Rules and penalties on ice and in the stands. Any words deemed offensive or racist it will start at a 5 game suspension. Kids, coaches, parents in the stands, it will be on the sheet. Hockey MB fed up with some of the issues on the ice. Coaches will talk to their kids about it. As more information is available Gerald will provide.

Next Meeting December 7, 2022.

Parkissimo Meeting – September 14, 2022

Declare our status and numbers October 3, sent to Parkissimo,
Scheduled will still be Megan, She will have zoom meeting s with managers to have the first part of the schedule
Game scores are not going digital, paper game sheets will be used again for the 2022/23 season.
Game sheets need to be sent on time. Rivers had not been a problem. They need to be submitted within 24 hours of the game.
First half of the season runs to December 5th (U9, U11, U13) and divisions may be changed.
No tiering of teams for Parkissimo.

U9 – 3 divisions – Rivers in two separate divisions. 15 teams total.

U11 – 2 divisions, 7 in each division. 14 teams total. Rivers in the same division.

U13 – 2 divisions, 8 in one division, 7 in the other. 15 teams total. Rivers in the same division.

U15 – 1 division, 10 teams total, 2 more teams may be added depending on AAA tryouts.

2/3 votes required now to have any changes in Parkissimo.

League runs Oct 25, 2022 - February 5, 2023. Make up week for rescheduled games February 6 – February 11, 2023. Playoffs start February 11 and ends March 17, 2023.

Registration Numbers current as of time of meeting – U7-22, U9-17 (2 teams), U11 mixed – 24 (teams), U13 girls – 4, U13 mixed 21 (2 teams), U15 girls – 5, U15 mixed – 18, U18 Girls – 5, U18 boys – 0.

Head coaches – U7 – vacant, U9-Carson Smith, U9 – Mark Agnew, U11 – Curtis Quane, U11 – Kyle Ratz, U13 Gerald Lepp, U13 – Vacant, U15 – Jamie Brown, U18 girls –Trevor Peters

RCC Arena Calendar is up to date.

Tournement dates –
U7-November 19, 2022 (Hosted as a Jamboree, with sponsorship from Yellowhead and Hockey Manitoba)
U9 – January 28,29, 2023
U11-December 3,4, 2022

U13 – November 5, 6, 2022
U15 – October 22,23 2022 (this may change or move to later in the season)

November 12, 2022 – Rivers Minor Hockey day – all teams expected to play a home game, if two Rivers teams they can play each other. Trying to get a senior team game that night as well, with free entry for the players.

Season start date October 10, 2022, first practices

Breakfast club to start in a few weeks, date to follow. 10 ice sessions. 7:20 – 8:20, U9 and up. Will need help if here are a bunch of younger kids.

Hockey pool fundraiser – no one wants to take it over.

Motion made by Carson Smith, second Wendy Burt to increase the season family pass to $75, from $60, which does not include tournaments or playoffs. Carried. Managers and Coaches will get in free. (only for the games they are the coaches and managers for).

Other fundraisers – Cash calendar, and 3 and 3.

Susan Wallace to look after organizing the cash Calendar licensing, Amy Peters to take the pictures.
-Lance Henderson to make a poster to put in the rink for posting the winners of the Cash Calendar.

3 on 3
-$150/skater, goalies are free, 6 ice times.
-last year made a profit of ~$6100
-U9 still need goalies for their session

Elections –

In Spring the Registrar and Secretary positions are up for re-election.

Canteen – still unknown. The tender submitted was not accepted as written. More information to follow.

Communications Officer still required this year. No changes. No COVID related return to play communication.

Recommended for U7/U9 to schedule someone to set up/remove boards.

Child abuse Registry Checks required for all bench staff, except for Communications Officer.

Meeting adjourned at 8:42pm by Gerald Lepp.