

Bismarck Hockey Booster Meeting  
April 12, 2010  
5:30 pm  
VFW #1 Curling Room

**Members Present:** Gardell Jochim, Peggy Hill, Rob Deics, Don Johnson, Kurt Schmidt, Blain Luck, Dan Ruff, Ken Bischof, T.J. Stewart, Pat Irely, Brian Beehler, Kirsten Farnsworth, Rob Reister

**I. OLD BUSINESS**

**Approval of previous minutes:** It was moved and seconded that the minutes for March 2010 be approved. Schmidt/Bischof. Motion passed unanimously.

**II. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Committee Assignments**

**a. Financial Statement**

Kurt Schmidt will discuss the financials at the General Membership Meeting at 6:30 p.m. tonight.

**B. Fund Raising Committee/Jersey Committee:**

**a. Jerseys/Jersey Use**

Most of the jerseys have been collected. The only new jerseys for next season will be the Mite jerseys.

**b. Hockey Happening**

Blain Luck stated that everything is coming together well. We need to start the gun raffle at 6:00 p.m.

**c. Bobcats**

Gardell Jochim stated he will be meeting with Thom Brigl on Wednesday to discuss what we want to do in the future. Gardell will report to us after the meeting.

**d. Gun Raffle**

Brian Beehler talked about the progress with the gun raffle. He would like to have something in place for next year. Brian suggested selling the raffle tickets earlier next year.

Jeremy with Scheels will have his laptop computer at the Spring Meltdown to take down the gun raffle winners.

Jeremy also informed Brian that they will be sending out the gun bill for \$84,000.00.

#### **On Ice Committee:**

##### **a. Summer Ice**

Bismarck Parks and Recreation is working on the dates. We are expecting to start the BHB Summer Hockey sessions beginning the week of July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2010. The schedule should be similar to the schedule we used last summer.

##### **b. Selects**

There has been poor participation this year for the boys. The girls' session in Minot went very well. It was discussed that the decreased number of players may be due to other activity conflicts.

#### **4. Off-Ice Committees:**

##### **a. Parks and Recreation Meeting**

Gardell Jochim, Randy Renner, Brian Beehler, Kurt Schmidt and Peggy Hill met with Randy Bina, Jim Peluso and Dennis Nybo at the Bismarck Parks and Recreation offices on March 25<sup>th</sup>. We discussed this season and we were told that this was one of the best years for cleanliness and respect to the locker rooms and the facilities. Randy Bina stated that is a direct reflection on our club. The NDAHA State Meeting will be in Bismarck on May 1, 2010. They will be working on ice times for our summer ice program. We do not need to go over an ice contract as the contract we signed last year covered a two-year period. We went through an agreement between BHB and Bismarck Parks and Recreation for the Spring Meltdown. We asked for consideration for Bismarck Parks and Recreation to take back scheduling and registration. Randy Bina said they would discuss this. We also asked how we could use the \$17,500.00 payment? It was a positive meeting. We will use the Schaumburg Arena for more High School games.

**b. Elections**

See the General Membership Meeting Minutes dated 4/12/10.

**c. NDAHA Meeting/Greg Dehne**

The NDAHA meeting is the same weekend at the Spring Meltdown, 5/1/10.  
If you have any suggestions, please give them to Greg Dehne.

**d. Survey**

BHB will be sending out a survey to all members via e-mail and our website.

**5. Miscellaneous**

BHB is looking for a communications person. We need to decide who will be answering e-mails and questions.

Pat Irey is having an end of the year coaches' party.

Pat Irey stated that there are a lot of kids signed up for floor hockey at the YMCA. The sessions are based on age groups.

**6. Parks @ Rec. State/Dennis Nybo/Jim Peluso**

**FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORGANIZATION**

Peggy Hill asked about BHB purchasing a computer laptop for our club.

**ADJOURNMENT**

No further business came before the Board, meeting adjourned at 7:49 p.m.  
Bischof/Jochim. Unanimous decision.

Respectfully submitted,

Peggy Hill, Secretary