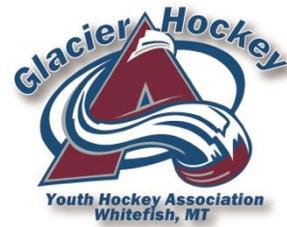


GLACIER HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

October 28, 2020 Zoom Meeting 6:11 PM



Present: Clint Muhlfeld - President, Dave Healy - Treasurer, Kate Daniels – Secretary, Ryan Ulvin - Director, Elizabeth King – Registrar, Mike Alves.

Absent: Jock Craig & Stefanie Hindman

Public Comment: Greg Harms attended the meeting.

A. Old/New Business

a. Presidents Message:

Mike MacIntosh's COVID letter does not recommend that teams travel out of state for competition.

The capacity for the ice rink is 1500 people. The maximum numbers of players is all Yeti groups is 45 players. The question posed was how many spectators can each player have at the rink? The high school model is 2 spectators per player. That would equate to 100 spectators in the stands.

Dave Healy suggested that it is very difficult to enforce. Greg also agreed that this would be difficult to monitor.

Liz stated that hockey has been labelled a super spreader sport by the CDC. It is paramount that we do everything possible to keep the rink open and follow COVID policy. She stated that she had an issue with a parent that refused to wear a mask in the lobby and that it is upsetting for coaches

All adults need to wear masks, socially distance and not loiter in the lobby.

We have Yeti on Friday and home MAHA games starting November 7th.

Greg wanted to know if how the locker rooms assignments were going so far? How was compliance? Ryan said that it was working well. Clint said that you need to keep up your guard because the minute you let up parents start to loiter in the lobby.

During the learn to skate and learn to play hockey there is a bottleneck of skaters and parents in the lobby.

Clint and Dave suggested that we have a short break of ice time between groups.

Dave Healy moved to create a GHA COVID Policy as follows and Kate Daniels seconded, all in favor.

Two spectators per player, no spectators in the lobby, remain social distancing, all spectators will wear masks while present in the rink. Athletes need to come dressed and ready to play no more than 15 minutes prior to their practice time and report to their designated locker room. GHA will start a signup genius to help parents get their volunteer hours.

Action Item: GHA will start a signup genius for volunteers to monitor the lobby and check temperatures at games and yeti events.

- b. **Directors Report:** COVID-19 has impacted the practices and coaches in attendance. Last week there was 50% of kids in attendance. He really like that the kids come dressed and that some parents have a difficult time wearing masks. If parents don't comply with our COVID policy the program will likely be shut down.

Ryan recommended equal split of 10 Peewee players per team and one goalie per team.

Bantam – 16 players per team –

Squirt Travel - 10 skaters and one goalie

- c. **Treasurer report:** \$71,000 currently in the bank.
- d. **Fusion Committee:** Fusion High School Program needs to adopt similar COVID Policy
- e. **Fundraising:** Glacier Skate would like to collaborate to do a skate-a-thon but due to some restrictions in our grant application we need to hold off on fundraising until the New Year.

B. **Adjourn** Meeting Adjourned at 7:25