

# **2019 MAMMOTH LAKES YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING**

Monday, March 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 5:30 p.m.

Mammoth Community Center  
960 Forest Trail, Mammoth Lakes, CA 93546  
Call-In Information: (515) 739-1015, 395-001-057#

## MINUTES

I. The Annual meeting was called to order at 5:34 p.m. Board members in attendance were Patrick Bernard, Mike Coco, Paul Geffre, Chris Hodges, Ken Carpenter, and Emily Schoen. 16 members of the general membership were also present.

II. The Board of Directors was presented by Patrick

III. Open Comments

- Show up at Town council meetings public support is the key
- Town cares more about the rink being multi-sport than a hockey rink
- Should we do another fundraiser?
- Need to form a tournament committee and fundraising committee

IV. Youth Sports Funding

- Due Friday March 22, 2019
- Got \$1,200 last year, asking for \$3,500 this year
- \$27,000 given away by the town to subsidize sports – MLYH, AYSO, Swim team, Mammoth Club Volleyball
- Will use funds for reducing registration fees or purchasing more gear

V. Budget

- Draft budget presented by Chris Hodges
- Tournament is biggest funding source
- Paul pledged to get more detail on budget
- Patrick outlined costs
  - \$15 for pictures
  - Pizza party
  - Paid for Kings Camp ice time
  - Paid for coaches lodging
- Kings camp was a success
  - Can't ask town for help on that
- Allocate \$1,500 for gear from US Hockey
- \$1,800 discretionary

- Travel tournament info – extra cash needed
- Winter Classic Tournament
- Branding and Marketing
  - Ali can help

## VI. – Director Updates

### Mike Coco-Coaches update

- Attrition: 30 mites down to 12-15 kids
  - Weather played a large role
- Have dryland training during weather cancellations
  - Dryland allows us to have a firm start of the season
- Requesting dryland gear be in 2019-2020 budget
- Springtime sign up
- Gear return
- Need to recruit more coaches

### Patrick – President’s update

- Weather is a constant issue
  - 60% success rate for practice
  - 95% success rate for tournaments
- Early season signups
  - Keep it affordable
  - Travel team – additional cost
- USA Hockey training will again happen in town – date TBD

### Ken Carpenter—At Large Update

- Club level (in-house) level tournaments
- Cost: \$1,600 per team, mites at half
- Allows for early season skating (prior to the mammoth rink opening)

### Paul Geffre

- Update regarding online registrations and payments
  - Moving to SportsEngine
- Website Update
  - Asking for graphic designers or Wordpress volunteers

## VII. – New Business

- None

## VIII. Next Meeting

- Motion to schedule next board meeting to be June 18, 2019
  - Proposed by: Paul
  - Second: Patrick

- Motion Approved
- Motion to schedule next annual meeting to be Feb. 18, 2020
  - Proposed by: Paul
  - Second: Patrick
  - Motion Approved

There being no other business to attend to, the meeting was adjourned at 6:24 p.m.