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London Bandits Meeting

July 12 ,2022

Nichol’s arena

7 pm

Attendance: Jack Boyce, Kim Tilford, Sarah Gilmore, Luisa Gould, Michelle Drown, Pam McNichol, Nancy Putzer, Suzanne Whitmore, Sara Hunter, Graham Babbage, Gary Chenier, Gayle Moore, Mark Lamont, Don Drown, Lynsey Lamont

Absent with regrets- Veronique Parent, Jen Ziegler

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| President’s Report- Jack Boyce | Motion to accept last month’s minutes- Michelle. Passed.  Discussed Sarah Gilmore moving from registrar to secretary. Pam put forward the motion seconded by Gary. Passed with 14.  Jack discussed the GLHA. Justin Hoffman has resigned as president. Mark from West put his name in for the opening. Jack disagreed due to Mark being the president at West and stated he should resign at West to be president for the GLHA. Oakridge & North presidents agreed, and Marks name was not put forth. Until a new president is voted in at the GLHA for London presidents are the counting vote for the GLHA president seat.  Update on Alliance boundaries. Jack wants everyone to play everywhere. States being MD categorized keeps them out of a lot of tournaments. Now MD will be considered B or BB. Jack states if this does not happen, he is going to request that Woodstock and Stratford stay in the London loop. Its not fair the kids are always playing the same 3 teams all year. Wants all the teams leveled on skill level. Keep them down in HL if it will give the team a fighting chance.  Girls are allowed to play both girl MD and HL as well as boy/girl leagues. Would not play MD and MD but could MD and HL. This is all ready done with HL and red circle.  Tournament update. Alliance is not allowing more then one Alliance tournament to be one the same weekend. They need to be spaced out. HL teams still do not pay for the tournament this year. MD will.  Dan Paulnam- December 2,3,4 costs 1150 +30 =1180  Memorial- December 13,14,15 costs 900 +30=930  Season starts October 7th.  Discussed running cheap development camps before hockey starts. This can happen if someone can arrange it.  There will be one association in 5 years. Not as many kids are playing hockey.  Need to fill the VP role. Jack disclosed some personal information and requested the bandits begin to find someone to rill his role.  Don’t take from HL to fill MD spots. |
| Treasurer – Michelle Drown | No update  Auditor has the books |
| Registrar- Luisa Gould | All the refunds have been figured out.  Numbers  2019-3  2018-2  2017-6  2016-5  2014-10  2013-7  2012-4  2011-7  2010-3  2009-9  2008- 5  2007- 6  2006-1  2005-0  2004-1  2003-0  2002-0  Total of 80 |
| MD VP – Suzanne Whitmore | Names brought forward as MD coaches for the 2022-2023 season  U8- Veronica Parent  U9- Kevin Caulfield  U10/11- Matt Nixon  U12- Jack Boyce  U13- Beau Chafee  U14- Shawn Reedy  U15- No one has signed up yet. May have one person.  Sarah Gilmore, Lynsey Lamont, Jack Boyce, Kim Tilford, Mark Lamont stepped out of the room due to conflict. Vote passed. 10 in favor, 0 against.  All Mustang coaches are picked. |
| HL VP – Mark Lamont | Nothing to report |
| Directors – Gayle, Pam, Lynsey | Photo contract is up. They continue to look for a new contract. Jack asked that they see about getting a better kick back for them as well as tournaments.  Sponsors are $550 still.  Discussed planning a welcome back event that was previously voted in favor for.  Equipment swap |
| Ice Convenor- Don Drown | Ice reduced. 5-6 hours from normal year but up 7 more last year. Excess of 4-8 a week.  Nichols A back. Lost Nichols B on Wednesdays.  IP alternate weekends at Nichols and Argyle.  September ice $70- $210.  September 24th starts tryouts |