

Minutes of the IYHA Board of Directors Meeting

July 6, 2006

Location: Ithaca Beer Company

Board Members Present

Craig Mcallister, Brad Bilinski, Peter Dugan, Beau Saul, Tim McKinney, Dan Mitchell, Bob Mendola, Matt Cicchetti.

Non Board Members Present

Russ Johnson, Louise Watson, Ed Pfaff, Blain Freidlander.

Parent Education Coordinator Report

Bob Mendola reviewed the parent education requirement. One person from each family will be required to attend the meeting. Bob will some meetings at the same time as practices. Discussed enforcement. Decided that players that do not have a family member take the parent education class will not be able to play games.

Registration

Open discussion on registration issues. The following items were discussed.

- Some parents expressed concern over rising fees.
- Squirt appears to have enough players for 3 teams in addition to the travel team. Discussed house program could play visiting Snowbelt teams in double header.
- Discussed Ref Fees. Beau Saul is going to check about having only one Ref for the recreation league.
- Discussed the timeline for September
 - Move tryouts back to later in September
 - Combine travel team tryouts with UNY tryouts.
- Discussed Tentative start dates for programs:
 - House starts November 4th.
 - Snowbelt Starts October 24th.

Misc Items:

- Discussed Ice contract with Rink running from October 1st to end of February.
- No Tournament Fees in budgeting player fees.
- Payment plan option of 50% due with registration, 50% due December 1st using post dated check.
- Discussed Summer camp programs with Russ Johnson from the Rink. Resolved to open programs up to all players and not just travel / travel bound players.

Action Items

- Assigned board members to contact people that have not preregistered to see what level they intend to play at.