

Nanaimo Minor Hockey Executive Meeting

September 10, 2025

Executives in Attendance: Amanjit Pandher, Alli Schneider, Amanda Medforth, Brad Remillard, Chris Lawson, Graeme Fipke, Heather McEachen, Mary Pearson

Members: Taylor Jenkins

Staff: Vicky Long, Matt Hughes, Cody Gessner

Call to order: 6:37 pm

Motion to adopt agenda as amended. Chris, Amanda. CARRIED.

Motion to adopt minutes of August 2025. Graeme, Brad. CARRIED.

Executive/Staff Updates:

Graeme

- Aspengrove updates

Chris

- need registered safety people at tryouts/evaluations
- Concussion baseline testing about to start

Heather

- need help with Puck Drop, sign up and food etc

Amanda

- 130 tournament applications
- U9/U18 tournament host needed

Mary

- Request for spreadsheets player and coaches

Taylor

- Getting jerseys ready, whites not in yet, female jerseys
- New bins are great

Matt

- Rec U13 and above evaluations beginning
- One more weekend should have teams set
- Balancing games started
- Too many requests to make them all happen and make teams balanced

New Business:

Jersey Deposits

- this will be hard to manage, how do team send money, how do we send back and when
- can we look at adding \$25 to reg fees next season and use for updating jerseys
- not returned pay at full cost or blocked out for reg next year
- set a due date for returns

Motion to withdraw July 9, 2025 Jersey deposit motion. Chris, Amanda. CARRIED.

Tournament Swag

- U7 Jamboree teams do not pay a lot to enter, no monies for swag
- Increase fee, add swag
- Sell at tournament, families can purchase individually
- Amanda to discuss with committee
- Discussion of setting tournament fee, each tournament has it's own individual costs, refs pay more, ice has gone up, let set individually with Amanda
- Approx. \$1650
- Would like to use a few of the larger t-shirts for volunteers to put on over reg clothes, have volunteer printed on back, agreed

Emails

- all rec emails go to Mary, shouldn't' the same be for competitive to Brad?
- Change email on website to Brad
- Add auto response to Matt's email for parents, Amanjit will work with Matt on this

Part- time Office Help

- Janna has put in 10 hours, what pay rate?
- Approved for up to 30 hours per month

Communication Committee - Mary

- Guidelines as to what is posted
- Social Media guidelines

U9 Update

- VIAHA meeting discussion,
- Policy states balanced teams, 8 year olds in one group, 7 year olds in another

U21update

- Tony coming back soon, need another coach
- 2 teams, Thurs/Sun

Manager meetings

- Amanda and Mary to host, Vicky around Monday evenings best

Meeting Adjourned 8:33pm

Next meeting October 8, 2025 6:30pm