

ESMHA Executive Meeting Minutes

September 1st, 2022

Start time 7:00 pm

End time:8:30 pm

Platform: ZOOM/In-Person

Minutes Taken By: Ashley Halloran

Item	Discussion	Action
Attendance	Present: Paul, Natalie, Adam, Becky, Joel, Ashley, Gina, Shannon, Rod, Andrew, Jodi, Chelsea, Jason, Janie and Melissa on the phone	
Numbers for upcoming season	<p>U18- 28 players/4 goalies</p> <p>U15-44/4 goalies</p> <p>U13-38 (includes ours but not Cole Harbour) 3 goalies</p> <p>U11-47/2 and maybe 3 goalies</p> <p>U9-49</p> <p>U7-61</p> <p>Total 257 players</p> <hr/> <p>U11- With 47 players, we have three teams. 3 players left to possibly register.</p> <p>Reviewing the possibility of a AA team and the rules to do that. It is policy to have 57 players to offer AA. Once A is selected, the team can make a request to move up to AA. Coaches will be approached about the possibility of a AA team and approaching HNS.</p> <p>As of now, the numbers state that we will offer an A team.</p> <p>We do not have enough players registered for tryouts to offer a B team. We need 5 more players to try out and we can offer a B team. If a group comes forward, the option to have a B and a C will be possible.</p>	

U13- 6 players are trying out for AAA, 38 trying out.

If no one leaves, we have two teams of 12 and one team of 11.

If we lose two to AAA, we would have three teams of 11 players.

We have 2 goalies at this level.

We are short goalies at U11 and U13. Goalies can be taken from other associations if they are not needed.

There will three teams offered. Highest level being A. The options of two C teams or a B and a C are on the table.

U15- 44 registered, 4 goalies, there are 3 that have not registered that are potentials to register.

There are 35 players trying out.

The numbers are not there for a AA team as per guidelines. We would like to consult the coaches, parent group and everyone involved.

If we engage membership and they are pro AA, then we move to HNS.

The other levels of play will be determined once this has been decided

U18- 28 kids registered and 4 goalies

Tryouts there are 17 registered.

24 kids not registered from previous years

Highschool team will be picked before association tryout teams.

We can not make a decision on the team level until a highschool team.

Round Table	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Chelsea is going to reach out to other U11 coordinators to see if any goalies are needing a team. - Intro to hockey program is ready to go. On the ice for 10 weeks. On the ice by November 1st. Ages 6 to 12. This will go live on Sept 10th - Medical forms are needed for all players. They are on the website. - Hockey Clothing- Looking at options for apparel. Joel will be getting pricing and quotes and samples of products -Manager manual- Complete and ready to be loaded to website - Equipment Room- Organized and we have to dry clean the AAA jerseys. Jerseys need to be ordered. - How to deal with jerseys/deposits? Paul-Motion that we throw out the old moldy jerseys. Jason to second the motion -Paul motion that are in good shape that we give them to our membership. Have a start up BBQ, set up in the parking lot, and give jerseys away. -Evaluators are ready for tryouts -Communication is key.	
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