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Emily Driskill, Scheduler
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GHA Board Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, August 19, 2026, 6:00 pm
L and H Industrial Conference Room

1. Meeting Called to Order

2. Roll Call:

Board of Directors:

P Jason Percifield, President
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Non-Voting Members:

 JP Johnson, Hockey Director
P Alex Stimson, SafeSport Coordinator
 Fred Neugebauer, CCPRD Rink Manager

3. Approval of Agenda & Minutes

3.1 GHA Regular Meeting August 19, 2026 – Agenda

3.2 GHA Regular Meeting July 22, 2026 – Minutes

(a) Motion to approve Agenda and Minutes by Jason Percifield second by Emily Driskill, all ayes, motion carried.

4. Public Comment

4.1 GPT

-Jara Soost came to ask about doing concussion screenings again this year.

-fee would be \$10 per kid to GHA

-Jara is going to use a new Sway Test which requires down loading an app on your phone.

-GHA and Jara would pick 2 nights to do the testing at Spirit Hall.

-Jara would like to make this test mandatory, but it is suggested that 12U and up are tested every other year.

-Jason said he and GHA would like to do these tests again this year

4.2 McKenzie Poppleton - proposed ideas for girls team

-suggested focusing on 10U and 12U girls

-older girls go play with Casper

-maybe do an inhouse club & go to tournaments

-focus on practice for 10U and 12U

-show us interested numbers to see where this team may go

5. Coaches and Managers

5.1

6. Old Business

6.1

7. Reports:

7.1 President's Report:

(a) Girls Hockey Update

- 5 girls registered - not enough for a team
- Casper said Austin was good with combining our teams
- Casper would be home team since they would have majority
- girls would practice with GHA and play for the Oilers
- GHA would refund all girls team payments and then charge back for practice ice time.
- girls would pay Casper registration fee

(b) Goalie coach from Buffalo

- Mark talked to Brady who wants to know if GHA wants him to help with our goalies.
- he would charge \$80 per kid and would like to come down a couple time a month
- Goalie practice would be during skills time
- Steve Thompson is also coming - for free
- Jason made a motion to pay Brady \$80 per kid per practice for all practices through December for already scheduled practices (roughly \$4500). Lynley seconded, the motion passed.

(c) Goalrobber Hockey Camp

- GHA will pass along camp dates, but will not require attendance

(d) Hockey Director Update as JP was traveling

- update under Hockey Director

- (e) Back to the rink info

7.2 VP/Fundraising Report:

- a) Dasher Board Update
 - In Ice are all sold and logos are in
 - dasher boards are still coming in
- b) Raffle tickets are in

7.3 Scheduler's Report:

- a) September Skills
 - No September practices at this time for GHA
 - Rec Center has a plan for practices and camps for the September ice time
- b)

7.4 Hockey Director's Report:

- (a) Coaching Update -
 - coaches are coming along
 - has coaches at every level
 - looking to put on a pre-season conditioning camp
 - September 18-20
 - 14U to HS & surrounding areas

7.5 Treasurer's Report

- (a) Status of accounts –
- (b) General Account Balance - \$115,211.04
- (c) Merchandise Account Balance - \$14,420.34
- (d) Money Market Account Balance - \$54,559.53
- (e) Investment Account Balance - \$333,922.86
- (f) 6 month CD Balance - \$0
- (g) Treasurer's Report
 - 1. Bills to Pay
 - 2. Revenue and Deposits

-Angela will stay on!!
-She needs an invoice from JP for gloves

7.6 Secretary's Report:

- (a)
- (b)
- (c)

7.7 Registrar's Report:

- (a) Registration update
 - Lynley ran through registration numbers 14U and HS look to be a little low
- (b)
- (c)

7.8 Referee-in-Chief's Report:

- (a)

7.9 Tournament Director's Report

- (a) Faith was wondering when State bids are due?
 - Jason will get the notification
 - GHA is good with all HS - JV & V

7.10 Equipment Manager's Report

- (a) 1st Jersey orders are in
 - waiting on registration to end to order socks on 8/31/26
 - Maggie has not heard a word on gloves - wants to know if they have been ordered?
- (b)

7.11 SafeSport Coordinator's Report:

- (a) Disciplinary Board
 - Alex put together a pamphlet on basic GHA info
 - would like to give out at parent meetings and put in on the website
 - If members need more info they can contact a board member or come to a meeting

8. New Business

8.1 Strategic Planning

- Mission, Vision, Values (6 to 8)

- 8.2 Alumni Game Jersey Sponsors (January 2, 2027)
- 8.3 Gear swap
- 8.4 Voting / Banquet
- 8.5 Extra Ice Late in the Season / Wednesday Nights
- 8.6 Puck Sponsors
- 8.7 Try Hockey for Free / Pre-Hockey Ice Event
- 8.8 Last Practice of the Season Voting
- 8.9 State Tournament - HS - V & JV
- 9.0 GHA Expansion
- 9.1 Pictures need to get done early (Kelly Jo Allison)
 - Seniors done by beginning of October
 - Teams done in November
- 9.2 Tryout Dates
- 9.3 Concussion Testing

9. Executive Session:

- 9.1 Motion to executive session by _____, second by _____, all ayes motion carried.

10. Meeting Adjourned

Unanimous Consent to adjourn meeting 7:28 PM

**Next board meeting: September 16, 2026 6:00 p.m.
L and H Industrial Conference Room**