OHC Monthly Board Meeting May 20, 2025 @ Legends, Aksarben

Next meeting: Jun 17, 2025 Omahahockeyclub.net

At Large Board Members:

President - <u>Bob Danenhauer</u> Vice President - <u>Anthony DeSciscio</u>

Secretary - Jackie Hildebrand Treasurer - Troy Troshynski

Bruce Cady Drew Peckenpaugh

At Large Board Members/Commissioners:

House - Chris Marshall

Commissioners:

House High School - Eric Westman Travel - <u>Kasey Kaiser</u>

OJL - Jeff Barnhart Girls - Scott Hildebrand

IP/ Mite - Lindsay Mortensen

Staff Members:

Executive Director - Sarah Morgan Hockey Director - Christian Graham

Ice Scheduler - Chris Hoekstra Operations Director - <u>Kasey Kaiser</u>

- I. Call to order at 7:01pm
- II. Roll Call:
 - A. <u>At Large Board Members</u>: President Bob Danenhauer, Vice President Anthony DeSciscio, Secretary Jackie Hildebrand, Treasurer Troy Troshynski, Bruce Cady
 - B. At Large Board Members/Commissioners: House Chris Marshall
 - C. <u>Commissioners</u>: House High School Eric Westman, Girls Scott Hildebrand, OJL Jeff Barnhart, Travel Kasey Kaiser, IP/Mite Lindsay Mortensen
 - D. <u>Staff Members</u>: Executive Director Sarah Morgan, Development Director Christian Graham, Operations Director - Kasey Kaiser
 - E. Excused/Not Present: Drew Peckenpaugh, Ice Scheduler Chris Hoekstra
- III. Board and Director Reports:
 - A. President: Bob Danenhauer -
 - Congrats and welcome board members elected <u>Tony DeSciscio</u>, <u>Jackie Hildebrand</u>, and Bruce Cadv
 - 2. Approved Kasey Kaiseras Operations Operations
 - B. Vice President: Anthony DeSciscio -
 - 1. MWAHA annual meeting June 20, 2025 in Des Moines



- 2. Tri City has been removed from the OHSHL LIHA may be adding a 3rd Lincoln team this upcoming season (awaiting on registration to confirm)
- 3. Work continues towards adjusting the league to 90 mine ice slots for games/practices. Working towards getting outside organizations on board
- 4. Safesport and coaching certifications
- 5. Ref dates to be posted soon
- C. Treasurer: Troy Troshynski -
 - 1. Fiscal year runs May April. 24-25 season ended in April and our accounting firm will be reporting to us soon. Will be filing our tax form in July will provide that to the MWAHA to get players rostered.
- D. Secretary: Jackie Hildebrand -
 - April minutes are posted on the website. Location: OHC Website → About → Board Meetings → Board Minutes
- Motion to approve April Board Minutes by <u>Anthony DeSciscio</u>, seconded by <u>Troy Troshynski</u>. Voted and approved.
- E. OJL Commissioner: Jeff Barnhart -
 - 1. Pre-tryout clinic May 23 & 24
 - 2. Tryouts will be June 13, 14 and 15 at Ralston
 - 3. Invite everyone to join our Golf Tournament Aug 10
 - 4. Fall Classic Sept 12-14 will have about 17 teams in town. Season starts last week of Oct
 - 5. Alumni Game Dec 19
- F. House High School Commissioner: Eric Westman -
 - 1. Exploring 90 min ice times for the league. Both games and practices. Adjusting would add SAT games potentially. Proposed changes increase periods to 15 min stops with timeouts. Practices each team would get 30 min ½ sheet and 30 min full sheet.
- G. Girls Commissioner: Scott Hildebrand -
 - 1. Information on girl summer camps on our website and Facebook page
 - 2. Watch for coaching announcements coming very soon.
 - 3. Tryouts:
 - 19u/16u/14u Aug 6 and 7 (Aug 21 if needed)
 - 10u/12u Aug 20 and 21
 - 4. Try hockey for free July 19th
 - 5. Starting to register girls for tournaments
 - 6. Season registration open
- H. Travel Commissioner: Kasey Kaiser -
 - 1. Tryout registration is available on our website for Mite, Squirt, Peewee and Bantams. Will close 3 days before the first tryout at each level.
 - 2. Travel Town Hall July 29th Email will go out in June with more information and to RSVP.
 - 3. Travel Coaches Meeting on July 9th coaches will have received email invitations.
 - 4. New Travel Jersey Design All players will receive the new Black Jersey design this season. (Can still order white jersey if needed)
 - 5. Will be looking for a new travel director reach out if interested

- I. House Commissioner: Chris Marshall -
 - 1. Tuesday Night Drop Ins started- Moylan Tues at 7pm and 7:15- Starting Next week- Registration will be via Crossbar not Bench App
 - 2. Coaching applications open- please apply if you want to be Head Coach or Asst Coach
- J. IP/Mite Commissioner: Lindsay Mortenson -
 - 1. Spring IP and transitions session going on currently and will have summer sessions start soon
 - 2. OHC has been chosen to participate in the NHL/NHPL/USA Hockey learn to play hockey grant. Will provide new learn to play participants with hockey gear to help alleviate that expense on parents. Looking at starting that this fall. More to come.
- K. Hockey Director: Christian Graham -
 - 1. Had a great turnout for our spring coach symposium. 47 coaches attended. Head coach of the Lancers, goalie coach for the Lancers attended. Will have another one in the fall late August free again to OHC coaches and open up to other coaches as well for a small fee to help with costs for session
 - 2. Will be announcing coaches in the next week or two
 - 3. Had tryouts for the 13u team
 - 4. Interviewed House High School commissioner
 - 5. Summer skills will be kicking off next week
- L. Executive Director: Sarah Morgan -
 - 1. Welcome Kasey Kaiser as our Director of Operations Key to support of our commissioners and the board.
 - 2. Updates on Committee members chosen
 - Lindsay Mortensen IP/Mite
 - Chris Marshall House
 - Jeff Barnhart OJL
 - Kasey Kaiser Travel Director seeking someone to shadow Kasey for this season to transition
 - Scott Hildebrand Girls Director
 - Eric Westman High School Director
 - 3. Coach Surveys will send out end of the week
 - 4. Adding Golf Outing for May 2026. Working on Venue
 - 5. Working on timeline for community events
 - Town hall meetings for each area
 - Community education nights
 - Monthly education topics
- M. Operations Director: Kasey Kaiser -
 - 1. 3v3 Tournament Back to School Bash -Team registration is now open. Will also be collecting school supply donations. Website for more details.
 - 2. OHC Tournament registration hoping to open on June 1st.
 - 3. Working on Budget Reconciliations. They will be completed over the summer and if a refund is due will likely go out in August.
 - 4. If you plan on coaching in OHC this upcoming season, please get started on your compliance items(omahahockey.net > Resources > Coaches > Becoming A Coach). Once you have your 25/26

USAH number, also complete the registration form on the website to collect that, so we can track compliance. (Reminder USAH Number every season, Background every 2 years, Safesport full course every 5 years with refreshers year 2-4, CEP Clinics and Age Modules due by 12/31.

IV. Old Business/Committee Reports:

A.

V. New Business:

A.

VI. OHC Members Questions/Suggestions:

A.

- VII. Next Meeting will be Jun 17, 2025
 - Motion made to end the meeting by <u>Jackie Hildebrand</u>, seconded by <u>Bruce Cady</u>. Voted and approved.
- VIII. Meeting adjourned at 7:33pm