



Columbia Eagles Hockey Club Minutes

DATE: Thursday, December 11, 2025

Members Present:

X President: Nicole Sanderson

Secretary: Shae Dix

X Treasurer: Kraig Spisak

X Director: Lindsey Reuss

X Coach: Allen Lalk

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Vice President: Chrissy Ross

X Registrar: Jamie Bamvakais

X Director: Steve Roedl

Guest:

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Meeting is called to order at: 6:02 p.m.

Past Business:

- Discipline Hearing in Closed Session
- Approve Meeting Minutes - No minutes to approve

Financial Update:

- Budget Update (Last Month, Projection for this Month \$13,269; \$8K sent to Meramec; still have 12/1 and 1/1 fees to collect approx. \$25,749; still have raffles, EOY Banquet, Senior Night, Coaches gift to pay out; est. \$3400 surplus)
- Fees Collected-ok
- Jackets for remaining players - two left; one is at embroiderer

Fundraising Updates:

- Raffles - Still drawing raffles - Chrissy sent notice to folks to find out how they want winnings sent to them (Venmo; Check) Kraig will talk with her and send funds out accordingly.
- Need to ensure each drawing is its own video and videos are posted nightly.
- Be sure not to show any identifiable information on social media.

Coach's Updates:

- Behavior is better since last meeting and sitting a few players
- Nothing additional

Rules and Regulation Updates: (Bylaws, Parent/Player Agreement, USA/MVCHA Updates, Discipline)

- Check list for playoff eligibility: Roessler, Ross, and Sanderson are in jeopardy of being playoff ineligible. Nicole will send an email to parents informing them they need to make 5 more games to be cleared for playoffs. Allen will follow-up with players.
- Discipline Tracking - Chrissy is working with Corey Bell from MVCHA on tracking "serious" penalties.

Social Media/Website Updates/Newsletter:

- Sponsor Shoutouts
 - Game Invite - Invite sponsors to Senior Night (Nicole)

Committee/Director Reports:**Upcoming Events:**

- Christmas Party-Dec 22 @ 12pm (Wear Christmas Attire) - Lindsey will order pizza, drinks, and cookies. She will send info soon.
- Christmas Games with Special Apparel
 - 12/21 JV-Holiday Suit/Attire
 - 12/22 Varsity-Ugly Sweater
 - 12/23 Varsity-Holiday Suit/Apparel
- Senior Night Update: Game 1/13/26
 - Email to Seniors for Bios - Nicole will send email to Kraig on bio script
 - Reserve tables, rug, TV - Kraig will call to talk with McKendree
 - Limo - Kraig reserved
 - Slideshow - Kraig will email group to take care of this and add sponsors to screen and announcer script for the evening
 - Flowers, boards - Kraig will email senior parents
 - Invite sponsors - Nicole will send invite
 - Photographer - secure photographer (Lindsey will talk with Addy Ramage)
 - Seniors Banners - senior parents did not order banners through Tom. Parents need to order and get to CHS (in one group) if wanting to hang in gym or during senior nights

Long-Term Planning:

- Next Year's Strategy - will have a more thorough conversation in Jan/Feb when full Board is present. Allen will work on getting a spreadsheet of everyone he knows and reach out to see who is coming next year. Consider sending out a survey to find out who is planning to play 26-27 school year.
 - B League - Discussed Gateway League is Fall; MidStates B League is Spring - not sure of interest at this time
 - Number of Teams - Considering two teams Varsity and JV only. If this happens do we cut from the top and lock-in players to Varsity or do we consider cutting bottom and not allowing 7th graders to play. Do they practice and then play tournaments or B league? Collecting information.
 - List of Eligible Players - Allen will gather information for Jan meeting

Items for Vote:

- Discipline Hearing (above)

Items Tabled/Revisit Next Month:

- Alumni Game (Consider setting for May and then next year do Wednesday before Thanksgiving)

End of Meeting:

- A motion was made to end the meeting. Adjourned at 7:22 p.m.
- Next Meeting Date: **Thursday, January 15**