Meeting Minutes

Date: August 12th 2025

Time: 6:00pm

Place: Uintah County Library/ Google Meet

The following are current officers for AVAHA Board of directors:

(*Names crossed out were not present)

President: Kyle Fuller	Vice President: Amy Doebele	Secretary: Morgan Richardson
Treasurer: Danielle Cipriano	Registrar: Kelsey Papez	Safe Sport: Shannon Uasilaa
Fundraising: Ari Smuin		

Additional Attendees: none

Greeting and introduction......President/VP

Last Meeting follow up:

None

New Business:

Board/Rosters-Kelsey needs to get the board roster to the state registrar by Sep. 1st so she is asking all board members to have their USA hockey credentials up to day ASAP.

Student Coaching- Morgan will schedule a time to do training with any student coaches. There were some changes that USA hockey has incorporated in the coaching certifications. Kelsey updated the board on what those were. Amy mentioned that the Positive Coaching Alliance will count toward coaches continuing education requirements. She will find a date to do the training and Morgan will find a date to schedule a coaching meeting before tryouts.

Volunteer fees for in house/Mammoth-Morgan brought up changing the volunteer hours within the house. She suggested we take the requirement off where we are working with the Mammoth program. Shannon said she has many more volunteers this season vs. last. Kelsey brought up getting parents to do their volunteer certifications now. Morgan suggested we make a Sportsyou post about it. Either Morgan or Shannon will post to point parents in the right directions.

Registration Numbers (12u)- Kelsey updated the board about the registration numbers. She explained that we are low on numbers and will probably have to make some hard calls about doing one or two teams. Right now the 12u division may only have enough for one team. The board is going to advertise and hope that numbers approve. Danielle said we do not have enough

information about what to do with teams at this point. The board agreed and decided to re-assess this in the Sportsyou chat later in the month.

Flyers/ads-Morgan got permission to put registration flyers in the schools. We need to get them printed and ready to hand out once school starts.

Orders/Suppliless- Danielle brought up the lines and logos. AVAHA usually builds the ice and buys the lines and logos. Last season we decided to work with the Oilers. The Oilers built the ice but we paid for the lines, which was around \$900-\$1000. In our credit from WP we didn't get enough to cover that cost. Danielle asked if AVAHA wants to just cover the lines out of cost but have the Oilers be the builders. It would be easier on our volunteers if they did that part. The board agreed. Danielle will call and ask the Oilers if that will work for them and she will order the supplies. She also mentioned we need to order pucks and she will order that and asked for other requests. Shannon mentioned manager supplies for their new bags. Danielle made a list of things to order.

Morgan updated the board on the power skating clinic. It is scheduled with Sarah Carter. She brought up some good ideas. It was decided to do a big league event to kick off the season. Times and places will be worked out asap.

Kyle brought up that the Oilers went to the commissioners about getting year round ice. He said it sounds like they were concerned about cost.

Ryan with the Oilers have offered to help AVAHA with clinic things we would be interested in. Kyle mentioned to him we would be interested in a goalie clinic.

It was mentioned that some players are waiting for coaches to be announced before they decide what team they are trying out for. There was some discussion about whether that should be allowed or how we work with that when we aren't announcing head coaches until after tryouts. After some back and forth it was decided the registration is already set up and going as well as having the policy in place. Things need to stay the way they are for now at least.

Morgan talked to WP and they said we will not know when they start building ice until after the fair.

Open floor:

None

The meeting was adjourned.