

March 2026 Minutes

Date: 3/11/26

Time: 6:45pm

Location: Google Meet

Presiding Officer: Summer Walls

1. Call to Order

- Summer calls the meeting to order 6:45pm

2. Roll Call / Establish Quorum:

- U8 Board Rep – Corry Porter
- Rec Board Rep - Lacy Bright
- U10 Board Rep – Jenny Hawkins
- U12 Board Rep – Russ Schnitzer
- U14 Board Rep – Judd Semingson (absent)
- HS Board Rep – Holly Krievans
- Treasurer – Gloria Liu
- Secretary / Ice Scheduler – Rebecca Roeder
- Vice President – Amanda Rumancik
- President – Summer Walls

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- Head of Coaches – Brett Zaloudek
 - Registrar - Julie Weathers
 - Player Development - Greg Betzold (absent)
 - Fundraising - Dennis Kinhead
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3. Approval of Minutes

- Review and approve minutes from the previous meeting. Motion to approve as written and shared with the Board: Rebecca / 2nd: Holly / Passed unanimously

4. Reports of Officers and Key Positions

a. President – Summer

- Volunteer hours - need help!! Still short on hours. The Jones Center has provided more dates and opportunities for us to volunteer, we need families to step up and help.
- Follow up: Email volunteer request again in the next newsletter.

b. Vice President – Amanda R

- Greg Proposal: Board had hoped to cover the proposal and questions. In Greg's absence, the subject will be tabled unless a meeting is requested by Greg.

c. Treasurer – Gloria

- Financial report

	2025-2026 Budget	2025 Actual	2026	2026
		YTD	Jan	Feb
Ice Rink fee	\$ 146,000.00	\$ 150,977.50		
JC regular rink	\$ 132,000.00	\$ 132,840.00	\$11,300.00	\$ 11,300.00
Additional rink fee- St. Louis	\$ 14,000.00	\$ 18,137.50		
Power Skating/Goalie Training	\$ 39,000.00	\$ 22,296.00		
Goalie Training		\$ 12,314.00	\$ 463.50	\$ 3,463.50
Power Skating Training		\$ 9,982.00	\$ 656.63	\$ 1,210.25
Next Level Camp				
Stick Handling training		\$ 300.00		\$ 300.00
Service fee	\$ 3,681.00	\$ 1,200.00		
Landmark Accounting fee		\$ 1,200.00		
Crossbar/SportsEngine				
NWAHA PO Box renewal				
League Fee	\$ 550.00	\$ 500.00		
Registration fee		\$ 500.00		
Ref. Fee	\$ 14,125.00	\$ 6,709.97		
Ref. fee		\$ 6,709.97	\$ 580.00	
Equipment	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 271.40		
		\$ 271.40		
Jerseys	\$ 2,200.00	\$ -		
Practice jerseys			\$ 1,000.00	
Coach Training Fee	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 3,906.95		
Coach Training		\$ 3,906.95	\$ 65.00	
HS Cost	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 15,349.60		
HS Ref.			\$ 495.00	
HS Game trainer			\$ 225.00	
HS League fee				
HS Coach stipend and senior night				
MISC	\$ 7,500.00	\$ 9,352.37		
X Game		\$ 132.23		
NWA 1st Responders kits (Scam loss)		\$ 4,865.00		
Donation		\$ 1,000.00		
Coach bags		\$ 395.20		
others		\$ 2,959.94		
U8 tournament fee in Jan. 2026 using donation from Harvest group				
U10 Hockey team gifts using volunteer matching money				
Withdraw \$40,000 and save it as 3 month CD			\$40,000.00	
Refund		\$ 6,258.50		
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d. Secretary / Ice Scheduler – Rebecca

- X-games update - taking place Saturday 3/14 245 - 645
- **Elections** - Election: march 20th - 28th. Nominees will be contacted in order to accept/deny the nomination.

e. Head of Coaches – Brett Zaloudek

- Ryan Ruvaksi will take over Goalie Development Planning - previously played and is excited to help the entire organization.
- (6) Student Coaches have applied, interview process will start soon
- Jackson Semingson, a former Ice Hog and UofA Razorback player, has agreed to help with 14U.
- Summer Head Coach application was open, reviewing now
- Year End Survey Results reviewed (see file)
https://drive.google.com/file/d/10FNdAVWlp6IGSwl0IPPrGLpYUZwWTEh_/view?usp=drive_link

f. Registrar - Julie

- Girls THF: 10 players
- Co-Ed: 55 players - closing now
- Summer Ice: currently 0
- Next Level: 27 registered including 6 goalies. NEED TO ADVERTISE
- 8U - we are expecting a large influx of players next year
 - Discussed the need to possibly schedule creatively next year, depending on the numbers of kids who register. We will not cap the number at 55 and will find a solution so that we can continue to grow the program.

g. Player Development - Greg Betzold (absent)

H. Head of Fundraising-Dennis K

- Results of Fundraising survey to be sent over to him again to review
- Not many responses, will send out survey again

5. Reports of Board Representatives

a. U8 – Corry Porter - last game of the season will be this weekend

b. Rec - Lacy Bright - Heading to Springfield March 28/29th for a Round Robin! Lacey noted that communication with the team is an issue with very few responses.

c. U10 – Jenny Hawkins - End of year parent vs kid games were a hit. 10U Bull ended in 2nd place in the Blue Note Cup!

d. U12 – Russ Schnitzer Herrman's team is heading to Springfield, MO for a Round Robin this weekend.

e. U14 – Judd Semington (Absent)

f. High School – Holly Krievans - Varsity and JV were both Conference Champs! Varsity heads to Nationals March 18-22nd. HS Banquet was great - celebrated Seniors and Matty Stanger as he moves on from coaching. High School kids are volunteering for the XGames to get some volunteer hours!

6. Unfinished Business

- Fundraising plan tabled until more responses are given.

7. New Business

- Bylaw 4, Section 7. Meetings (Amanda)
 - Question on whether to have a call-in number during in-person meetings and to adjust the bylaws accordingly in order to make this mandatory.
 - Feedback was that in-person meetings have more collaboration and are easier to manage for all involved when they are in-person only.
 - Board determined that a suggested change to the bylaws was not necessary.
- Any additional suggestion for bylaw / P&P changes need to be suggested ASAP so that we can post them for public feedback for the required number of days. This will allow us to vote on any changes at our annual meeting in April.

8. Announcements

- Budget / Registration breakout - registration to open in April
 - Gloria Shared Breakout and new registration fees
https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1sD1KRKvxUPTYT1mXkxO2DBZczxc2r2P0/edit?usp=drive_link&oid=111479548745716339747&rtpof=true&sd=true
 - Follow up: this will be shared with the members in the next newsletter.
- April Meeting will be in person - room 260 at the JC. **Annual Meeting.**

9. Open Comments - NWAHA Members

- None

10. Executive Session

11. Adjournment

Non-Board Attendees:

Nick Schroeder

Adam Axthlem

Eddie Felbe

Kelly Conroy

Kevin Bennoch

Jerry Walls

Michael Hudson

Robin Watkins

Shelby Kuenz

Trevor Kuenz

Action Items

- [Dennis, Fundraising Chair] Double-check that the fundraising survey was sent and verify results/responses, then report back (confirm ownership and results)-Rebecca did this and resent the survey in the March newsletter
- [Dennis, Fundraising Committee Chair] Review fundraising survey responses and follow up with the board on next steps (including consideration of mandatory fundraising before registration opens in April)
- [Rebecca, Secretary] Share the coaching survey presentation and summary with the full membership (presentation Brett prepared) so members can review feedback and findings-Done in March monthly newsletter, link will also be in meeting minutes.
- [] Follow up with Eddie to obtain or review the player evaluation form/process used for preseason/postseason feedback and share it with the coaching staff
- [] Send the volunteer coordinator's email/details (including age requirements and dates) to Summer so the information can be distributed
- [Voting Board] Organize or participate in a smaller working session between now and the next board meeting to identify actionable items from the end-of-season

survey and assign responsibilities-Scheduled for Monday, Mar 30, 2026 at 6:45pm

- [Rebecca, Secretary] Share the board meeting reminder process and clarify for members which scheduled in-person meetings will not include a virtual link (to avoid confusion)-Done in March Newsletter
- [Summer, President] Send the volunteer schedule/list to the secretary so volunteers can be scheduled for upcoming events (including the triathlon and spring-break dates)
- [Summer, President & Rebecca, Secretary] Include the volunteer dates and sign-up information in the next newsletter so members know opportunities and dates