

De Pere Youth Hockey Board Meeting
November 4th, 2025 6:00pm Called to order at 6:00pm
Meeting adjourned at 7:14pm



Board members present	Dave Antilla	Sara Baierl	Brandon Bergner	Greg Binsfeld	Cassie Brill	Sandi Delvaux	Jason Gerhard	Matt Jensen	Michelle Kuehl
	Bill LaBelle	Ashley Mitchell	Rob Norwood	Chris Sands	Dena Sands	Tina Sumner	Mike Thompson	Tiffany Weckwerth	Adam Zunker

PRESIDENT-Jensen



VICE PRESIDENT/OPERATIONS COMMITTEE-LaBelle

- ★ Nothing new since two weeks ago. Just trying to nail down a date for a coaches meeting.

TREASURER-Mitchell

- ★ State 2027 Tournament - Squirt C

October Treasurer Report (Balances from Bank Statement)

Checking Balance as of 9/30/2025: \$44,024.56

Money Market Balance as of 9/30/2025: \$209,483.28

Withdrawals Made - Details:

August Ice: \$4,963.00
Penalty Box (Practice Jerseys): \$1,990.00
Credit Card (Checking Dummies, Apparel): \$1,312.95
Concession Start-Up Cash: \$500.00
Mugs: \$396.00
Tryout Food for Evaluators: \$232.17
True North Scrip: \$180.00
Raffle Payout: \$150.00
Bayside Printing (Flyers): \$87.50
Picnic: \$50.00
Crossbar Monthly Fee: \$69.00
Bank Fee: \$10.00

Withdrawals Total: \$9,940.62

Deposits Made - Details:

Bank Deposit (Sponsorships, Registrations): \$20,096.75
Registration Fees: \$18,292.05
RaiseRight Scrip: \$1,613.57
Square: \$3,397.80
Money Market Interest: \$299.94

Deposits Total: \$43,631.11

Uncleared Transactions Items – October Ice \$21,289.92; September Ice \$5,073.75; Mite Tournaments \$2,142.00; Heyrman Printing \$1,796.40; Ref Checks \$240.00; Raffle Checks \$850.00

Checking Balance as of 10/31/2025: \$77,484.11

Money Market Balance as of 10/31/2025: \$209,783.22

SECRETARY-Delvaux

- ★ Next board meeting is December 2nd at 6pm
- ★ Renkas, Cieslewicz, Jones—send email about safesport and/or background checks
- ★ Monthly newsletter
 - Volunteer hours
 - Raise Right bonuses
 - Schedule for the month
 - Welcome Steve Winters: regsupport@dpyh.org
 - Investments in the Rink: new TV
 - Sponsorship poster

- Fundraiser reminder
- ★ Pictures—thoughts
 - Pictures closer to practice time for teams
 - Send out date earlier because of Route 1 & families getting there
- ★ Hometown Hero—pass this year

COMMUNICATIONS/WEBSITE~ Weckwerth

- ★ Banners are done!
- ★ Board Member Photos
 - Send a picture to Tiffany by November 18th
- ★ Carissa Morin - local author wanting to do a meet and greet "Milo and the Meltdown on the Ice" children's book
- ★ Added Power Skate groups in Crossbar



FUNDRAISING~Binsfeld/SPONSORSHIP- Gerhard

- ★ Bench plaques are in
- ★ Mailboxes for gift cards to make pick up easier

EVENTS/VOLUNTEERS-Baierl

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REGISTRAR~D. Sands/S. Winters

- ★ Registration numbers - detailed report:  2025-2026 Registration Report
- ★ HIP/Learn to Skate Registration: Session 1 = 24, Session 2 = 6
- ★ Coach and Volunteer Requirement reporting - detailed report:  2025-2026 Coach and Volunteer Requirements Report
- ★ Coach Summary - 47 coaches registered
 - On Ice Reqs - 41 complete, 6 pending safesport, background, or both
 - **NOT ELIGIBLE FOR ON ICE** - pending reqs: Henkemeyer, Jaeckel, Luberda, Oberstadt, Vander Heyden, L Zunker
 - **NOT ELIGIBLE FOR ON ICE** - not registered: Fuss, Baker, Zapeda, Keehan, Tackaberry
 - Follow up items:
 - Contact coaches not yet registered to understand their plan
 - Identify new coaches and communicate requirements
 - Discuss how we will ensure coaches are not participating when they are not eligible to do so
 - WAHA and USAH continue to increase scrutiny on these requirements
 - *DPYH is not currently operating in compliance with WAHA rules*
 - What can we do to get in compliance this year and improve for next year?
 - Many coaches also pending CEP or continuing education and online modules - they will be redlined on 12/31, at Mite level some are the only coaches assigned to the team
- ★ Volunteer Summary
 - Team managers
 - **NOT ELIGIBLE FOR TEAM PARTICIPATION** - pending reqs: Renkas, Cieslewicz, Jones
 - Locker Room Monitors
 - Pending identification of LRM for PWB/PWC
 - **NOT ELIGIBLE FOR TEAM PARTICIPATION** - not registered: Cousineau, Winters, Couey
 - Registered but not sure where they are volunteering: Manos (Bantam/PW LRM?), E Irwin (Mite?), M Irwin (Mite LRM?), Foss (Mite TM?), Vander Heyden (HIP??)
- ★ Board/Committee Summary - 20 board/committee members registered:
 - The board roster was submitted without registration from Ops Committee & Kucksdorf - clarify impact to volunteer hrs
 - 4 need to register: Aiken, Coppo, Kucksdorf, Lundin
 - Follow up items:
 - Contact remaining operations committee members/Kucksdorf to register as a volunteer
- ★ Identified a volunteer for registration that will be able to build automation for registration in USAH portal - Steve Winters
 - Getting him set up with email and requested portal access
 - Need to confirm the number of volunteer hours - estimated time he is supporting will exceed 30 hrs for registration

SCHEDULER~Zunker/Kuehl

- ★ Reschedules taking place
- ★ Squirt C clean up

EQUIPMENT MANAGER-C. Sands

- ★ Need to order new grinding wheels & blue pucks
- ★ State banners
- ★ Running low on socks
- ★ Need a new jersey repair person—keep an ear out for someone who might be interested
- ★ HIP
 - 24 kids
 - Could use some volunteers to help on the ice

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR-D.Antilla

- ★ Extra dubs for state tournament shared with Bantam B team

RECRUITMENT-Norwood/Thompson

- ★ Try Hockey for Free
 - Sticks—Gamblers will split the cost with us & put their logo on it
- ★ Skating with Santa
 - December 21st 3:30-4:50pm
 - Dave Antilla: Santa
 - Reid Sands: Ace from the Gamblers

CULTURAL LIAISON- Brill

- ★ Food drive update:
 - Starts next week
 - Free ice time and prize drawing for winner
- ★ Do we want to do a mid-year survey?
 - Board voted: yes
- ★ Website photos: submit your photo to Tiffany so that we can have more interaction with members and board. “You should talk to Bill.” It’s easier to find/approach Bill if I know what he looks like.
- ★ Communications role: Kelly Sturgill

MAINTENANCE LIAISON-Bergner

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DPIA ASSESSMENT UPDATE

- ★ UPDATE: n/a
- ★ WHAT IS NEXT:
 - City to complete work on the dehumidifier
 - Brandon continues to work to finalize review of the proposals and work schedule
 - Sponsorship proposal pending review by Parks Dept, then on to City Legal

ASSOCIATION MEMBERS

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Off-season topics:

- ★ Changes to by-laws
 - Voting members