

CHC Board of Directors Meeting Agenda August 25, 2026, 7:30 pm In Person only  
Presidents Meeting

**CALL TO ORDER**

**ROLL CALL**

**ACCEPT THE MINUTES**

**REPORTS**

**President:** Dawn Bryson- Welcome to all and we look forward to a great season

**Vice President:** Stephanie Secreto- We appreciate all of you and want to have a great season

**Secretary:** Shawn Conner-Switching to Teams, and Please email the entire eboard if you have a question

**Treasurer:** Michael Federico- Reported Budget, Reimbursement rates to be set shortly after receiving program feedback from programs. Reimbursements will be tracked forward.

**Guest Speakers:** None

**Tournament Committee:** Dave Fritz/Sarah Waddle- Schedule Grid should be available shortly. Emails will be sent to all programs in regard to all dates and the grid. End of CHC season is currently scheduled for 2/16. Trying to centralize mite jamborees in the 91 corridor for ease of travel for most teams. Please confirm that your teams are correct on the CHC site. Drop dates will be shortly

**Referee in Chief:** Jay Noury – Please ensure protective equipment is correct, neck guards, and helmets are the most noticeable issues. Player language is an area of emphasis, if it is heard by an official a match penalty can be called. If an official does not hear it they cannot call it. Please let parents know that if they have a complaint it needs to be filtered through your programs.

**Disabled Hockey:** Trevor Doyon –

**Webmaster:** Mike McCullough – Please update your contacts so that you receive the season information. Only declared teams are available on the website at this time. We are working with crossbar to remove standings from the site

**New England District/Team Connecticut:** Sarah Fraser – Dates are available on the website, registration to open in October

**Women's & Girls' Hockey:** Jen Masicotte/Brett Farson - No report

**Growth Coordinator:** Dave Fritz – Need to look at how to increase players and reduce costs. Overall our numbers are up but need to look how to grow that.

**Goalie Development Coordinator:** Matt Allatin – We held a high-performance camp hosted by Quinnipiac. Quick change gear is available. Please contact me if your program needs to order gear. Please work with goalies each practice with their fundamentals. Speak with your goalie staff or contact me for assistance with drills. Please go to CHC Goalie development on YouTube for drills that we believe will help all goalies. Programs can look to have a goalie equipment pass down program.

**Marketing:** Ken Dixon – Working with eboard on a plan for the 2026/27 season including more video and overall interaction with the players to promote the game with a focus on social media.

**Coaching Education Program:** Marisa Berti - Clinics are posted please go to the USA Hockey Coaching Education page to register for the appropriate clinics. You can take clinics from anywhere in the country that go towards your CEP requirements. A 6/8 U clinic is available for coaches that are staying at that level. This certification is good for four years. We will look to add more clinics if there is a need.

**Registrar:** Mary Turner - Tier 2 and residency issues are still being processed. Without the approval of the players, home state players cannot be rostered in play for a team in our state. Game count requirement is 18 for the team and 12 for the player. Roster freeze date is now 2/15. If teams have played their states tournament such as tier 1 or 2 midgets and girls, their roster is frozen as of that tournament. You must apply for USA Hockey sanction to host a tournament, and please ensure tournaments you are going to are sanctioned. Coaches must sign before the game, not after. Ensure you have enough labels for each game. Our sheets require four.

**District Commissioners:** Stefanie Mount- Coaches are responsible for knowing. Players must sit two games for any penalty labeled a fight. It doesn't matter where a Connecticut team plays you must adhere to the CHC rule. Please cooperate with the commissioners and make yourself available when contacted. Complaints should come from the program, not from the individual family.

**Eligibility Committee:** Mary Turner – We are working through potential requests from programs. Possibly looking at removing the highest team from 8U play up rule.

**Safe Sport:** Traci Lacoseglio / James Carney- No report

**Player Safety Coordinator:** **VACANT** - No report

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

Tryout Committee – Committee has met and created a list of suggestions for consideration by membership. a formal proposal will be forthcoming after discussion by membership - No Update

Girls Rule Change – Proposal Pending USA Hockey Allocation Announcement –Tabled at this time

Tier 1/ Girls Rulemaking Change – Mike McCullough - Tabled at this time

Bylaw Committee Update- Bylaws are complete and will be distributed to membership for review. A special meeting will be scheduled for Bylaw questions. We will plan to vote at either the September or October meeting

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**MOTION TO ADJOURN**

**NEXT MEETING: September 22, 2026, 7:00 pm Zoom Only**