

CHC Board of Directors Meeting Minutes June 26, 2026, 7:00 pm Zoom only

CALL TO ORDER 7:04 PM

ROLL CALL

ACCEPT THE MINUTES Motion and Second Minutes of April and May meetings accepted
REPORTS

President: Dawn Bryson – Executive Board and registrars attended USA Hockey meetings in Colorado and were able to interact with counterparts from across the country and receive updates from items presented in Nashville.

Vice President: Stephanie Secreto - reiterated Dawns Report and shared that other affiliates are interested in how we operate with the closeness of borders and the educational opportunities that exist here

Secretary: Shawn Conner - Confirmed for September meeting Microsoft Teams will be utilized as a trial. Shawn also introduced Jay Nouri our new Connecticut Referee in Chief. The meetings were great and happy to report the National Junior Player of the Year that was named is a Connecticut Native and grew up playing CHC hockey all the way through his youth. He will be heading to Boston College in the fall.

Treasurer: Michael Federico –USA Hockey will be conducting its triennial review later this year. Colorado meetings were great and USA Hockey will be putting an emphasis on ADM again and keeping it going past 8U. Please get your tournament reimbursements in. We are hoping to have all tournament fees determined by November

Guest Speakers: None

Tournament Committee: Dave Fritz/Sarah Waddle –

Add a meeting two weeks ago and are working to build the matrix and lay out requirements for the divisions and hosts.

Referee in Chief: Jay Nouri - No report yet meeting with Kevin for the handoff. Looking forward to the role and our upcoming clinics.

Disabled Hockey: Trevor Doyon – No Report

Webmaster: Mike McCullough – CHC Contacts and declarations are available on the CHC website. Please ensure your program has complied with adding contacts.

New England District/Team Connecticut: Sarah Fraser –

Camps are winding down; National Camp invites have been sent. The 14 camp and Eastern Select camp remain. Tryout dates for next season have been posted, and registration will open in the fall. Chris Washburn from Maine was elected as USA Hockey treasurer, which is great to have another New England person on the executive board at USA Hockey. Ray St Pierre/ VT filled Chris's vacant representative spot and Sherry Bonowitz/ ME was elected as a Representative at large

Women's & Girls' Hockey: Jen Masicotte/ Brett Farson - Jen and Brett were made co directors after the executive board determined that there needed to be a separation of the duties handled in this position, we are excited to welcome them to the board.

Growth Coordinator: Dave Fritz - Players are up 2.1% in Connecticut and 1.8% nationally Girls are up 4.2%. We are working on setting up a parent education session at Sacred Heart.

Goalie Development Coordinator: Matt Allatin –Waiting to hear back from Vaughn on quick change inventory, currently working on plans for Boys and Girls high-performance goalie camps.

Marketing: Ken Dixon - No Report

Coaching Education Program: Marisa Berti- CEP Clinic dates should be out shortly, We are hosting five level 1 clinics, 1 Level 2, 1 Level 3 and 1 Level 4 clinic.

Registrar: Mary Turner / Kendra Tompkins – July 28th is the registrars meeting in West Haven. If you have a new registrar in your program, please have them reach out to Mary asap. If you have coaches that are redlined, they will not be able to coach until they have completed all requirements.

District Commissioners: Stephanie Mount – Only one current investigation on player recruitment.

Eligibility Committee: Mary Turner / Kendra Tompkins - no updates currently

Safe Sport: Traci Lacoseglio / James Carney – No report

Player Safety Coordinator: VACANT

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

Girls Rule Change – Proposal Pending USA Hockey Allocation Announcement

Tier 1/ Tier 2 /Girls Rulemaking Change – Mike McCullough

By Law Committee - meeting with atty in July to finish the review

NEW BUSINESS: None

MOTION TO ADJOURN 7:30 PM

Registrars Meeting July 28, 2026 Italian American Center West Haven

NEXT MEETING: August 25, 2026, 7:30 pm In Person West Haven