River Falls Youth Hockey Association
Meeting Minutes
May 13, 2026. 6:00pm to 7:30 pm
Wildcat Center

Attendance

- **Present** - Danny Schnacky, Jody Christensen, Heidi Van Nurden, John Robinson, Andy Blake, Brigid Burhans, Megan Ross, Ben Seiser, Ryan Van Nurden, Caryn Weingartner, Jeff Wesley, Megan Wieser.
- **Absent** -

Call to order - Danny Schnacky. 6:02pm

Approve Consent Agenda - Last Meeting Minutes & Current Agenda

- John made a motion to approve the consent agenda with the addition of the New Board Member Orientation and board member conduct item. Jody seconded. All in favor. MC.

Guest(s) Present & Comments

- None present

President's Report – Danny Schnacky

- Annual meeting went well. Update on MN Blue Ox negotiations. Majority approved contract is currently being drafted.
- Discussion with John from 'Traveling Teams.' Essentially a housing authority, regarding booking tournament housing through us; low rates, per room kickbacks on bookings through them. Our volume too small at present but they will stay in touch. There may be an implication here; proposed rule change from WAHA pay to play tournaments.
- Danny touched on 64 potential WAHA rule changes and the ensuing process there.
- Hockeyfinder updates. Sent to Baldwin while their ice is currently out.
- Fusion and Blackcat logos are in Baldwin.
- Email server update - Yahoo Google change in procedure
- PerMar has installed new lock on Dylan office door.

Treasurer's Report – Heidi Van Nurden

- Heidi provided a brief overview of our current financial position and relevant updates regarding recent expenditures. This included ice rental and associated expenses since the end of the youth season.
- Question around condition of the parking lot and necessary repairs. Discussion.
    - Majority in favor we approach the city and/or school district for some assistance given the extensive community use of our parking lot.

Old Business.

- Rental contract update
    - Heidi gave a status update on this item. Combined relevant parts of our current HS contract and our private rental contract, gave board an overview. Will be sent to attorney for review and finalization.

New Business

- New Board Member Orientation
    - John presented

- Annual Review of Policy Handbook
  - Revision number correction
  - Revisit after WAHA rule changes - move to next month.
- Review Org Chart and Committee Chairs
  - Covered during new board member orientation
- Review Fundraising/Event plan for next season
  - June 3rd Fighting Fish concessions. Community visibility event.
  - RF Days parade. Float? $100 entry. Mite team may coordinate?
  - Discusssed potential welcome back event for upcoming season. Possible on-ice activities.
- Current Board members reflected/added/deleted on RFYHA Google Drive, PDK, website etc.
- Board Member Conduct item
  - John addressed concerns regarding recent board member conduct and provided a reminder of board member conduct expectations as spelled out in the Policy Handbook.

Board Comments; Q&A on submitted monthly Operations Committee Reports

- See reports below.

Comments, Announcements, Other Business

- None

Adjourn

- Danny made a motion to adjourn the meeting. John seconded. MC. Meeting adjourned.

Confirm next meeting time

- Next board meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 10th, 2026 at 6pm at Wildcat Center.

Committee Reports

- See below