# REGULAR MEETING FOR WILMINGTON JUNIOR SEAHAWKS HOCKEY ASSOCIATION, INC

November 18, 2024

#### Bufalo Wild Wings - Ogden

# Item 1: Call to Order 10:05pm

#### Item 2: Roll Call and Quorum Confirmation

•	Rona Levin - President	Present
•	Doug Shipley – Vice President, Director of Operations	Present
•	Mike Doyle – Secretary	Present

# Item 3: Approval of Agenda

- Motion to Approve and Seconded.
- No Discussion
- Approved Unanimously

## Item 4: Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

- Motion to Approve and Seconded.
- General Discussion was had Mike to redistribute the meeting minutes and approval will be had through Crossbar and/or email approval.

#### Item 5: Finance Review

- No update was provided.
- Refer to video documentation from 11/18 General Meeting had with the Association.

# Item 6: Legal & Policy

- By-Laws review Fiscal Year End
  - A motion was introduced to amend the by-laws Article 3 Section 5 from "Fiscal year defined as: January 1st -December 31st." to "Fiscal year defined as: June 1st – May 31st."
  - o This motion was seconded.
  - No discussion.
  - Approved unanimously.
- By-Laws Executive Committee
  - A motion was introduced to amend the by-laws Article 3 Section 1 from "The board shall have up to 5, but not fewer than 3 members" to "The board has have 5 members."
  - o The motion was seconded.
  - o General discussion was had.

- Approved unanimously.
- Note: see 11/14/2024 meeting minutes amending the by-laws to state the Treasurer may or may not be a voting member.
- Policy Changes & Comms
  - Suspensions this will be discussed in the next coaches meeting. In general, any suspension of a player or coach should be reported to the Board.
  - Cross-practice participation see previous meeting minutes outlining allowable events for cross-practice participation. General discussion was had and all agreed that cross-practice participation for Goalies would be allowed at the discretion of the Goalie coaches.

## Item 7: Hockey Director Update

- No update was provided.
- Refer to video documentation from 11/18 General Meeting had with the Association for Coaches update.

**Item 8:** Committee Updates – Also see video documentation from 11/18 General Meeting had with the Association.

- Fundraising Chair an email update was provided and communicated to the Board. (General notes: looking to create an SOP / establishing a Giving Tuesday campaign / ideas for flyer and videos / idea for company matches / idea for sponsorship sales / info needed from board on live stream video advertising how often and how long note: 15 ads / team can be uploaded; 20 seconds rotating and can be a for one game or an entire season / idea for banners during home games unlimited but must come down after the game / other possibilities for advertising? Website? / posts on social media / other food related opportunities / idea for rink partnership private party & foods / idea for bake sale food trucks / should golf tournament be moved to the spring? / idea for beef and beer check liability / idea for raffles 5050 raffles allowed 4/year / still have gloves and stick from golf tournament that can be raffled / idea for long term raffle with QR code)
- Grant Writing TBD
- Merchandising TBD
- Public Relations TBD
- Equipment TBD
- Rona will take the lead to onboard all committees

#### Item 9: 2025/2026 Year Planning

(Hockey director - 1/team nominated by team plus 2 subject matter experts by board by Friday.)

- Ad Hoc Committee for Interim Hockey Director:
  - This was requested during the General Meeting.
  - General Discussion was had and all agreed this was a viable way to proceed and gain input from the Association.
  - Ad Hoc Committee Compilation:
    - 1 member / team as voted on by each team.
    - 2 members at-large who would be considered subject matter experts.

- Communication with the Association will go out shortly.
- Vacancies / Applications: Board Members, Hockey Director (interim & perm,) Director of Operations, Treasurer, Head Coaches, Assistant Coaches (
  - General Discussion was had.
  - Holding on new board members next meeting will discuss nomination / election process)
- Teams (table until new Hockey Director)
- Tryouts (table until new Hockey Director)

**Item 10:** Next Coaches Meeting (Doug to schedule and run the meeting / shared resources? / 4th Monday of every month at 5:30?)

Item 11: New Business (none)

# Item 14: Open Forum / AOB

- Organization feedback review (see video documentation from 11/18 General Meeting had with the Association)
- Team Liaisons comms (see video documentation from 11/18 General Meeting had with the Association)
- General meeting prep (Done prior to general meeting. No new notes here)
- Job Descriptions (Separate meeting to be had or communicate electronically / adhoc committee to review.)
- Google Drive / WSHA Repository planning (Google drive established. Everything to be moved.)

Item 15: Next Meeting 12/16/2024

Item 16: Adjournment 11:05