ED Report 7.22.26

Ice:

Carlson Center gave us our ice for the season. We have ice Oct-Feb. Jan and Feb we have pretty steady ice options.

FWA has not shared what our allocation will be yet this season. They will not be offering 8pm sheets unless we are willing to pay double the price per sheet. They have said that the price will be increasing but have not told us how much ice will be. Not having 8pm ice gives us 2-3 less sheets a week.

Dipper is on schedule to open October 1

October ice will be submitted to Polar by the end of July.

Still working on ice with Lisa Kriley

Goldrush Tournament has 4 teams in it and happen Aug 28-30.

We are trying to pull together a Girls Tournament in December. I am contacting the Alaska teams to see if there is any interest

Lorri Arthur from the Dipper is retiring this week, Friday at 12pm they will hold a reception for her at the Dipper. They have not announced her successor.

Players/Coaches/Teams:

Registration numbers are as follows (7/19/2026):

6U: 45

8U: 19

10U/18U Rec: 47

12UA-18UA: 21

10U-18UT2: 82

Will need some assistance with tryouts/assessments and evals. **Will send list to Board**

Team Genius update

All events are on social media and advertised on website

6U/8U/10U parent meetings are Sept 15 at Pioneer Park Theatre

Will schedule first manager meeting in late Aug/Sept

Working with Comp coaches in preparation for upcoming tryouts/parent meetings

Association:

Registration opened July 1.

Update on Tanana Valley Youth Sports Grant application- they will decide at their Aug 4 meeting.

Mt. McKinley Bank renewed their sponsorship @$15,000

Foundation Health Partners Orthopedics will host our Sportsmanship Award for the 2026-2027 season.

HCF is participating in the Golden Days Parade on July 25, looking for more people to walk

HCF has been invited to participate in the Worlds Biggest Backpack Giveaway on Aug 8. The event is from 10-2pm. I am not able to be there until 1230, looking for someone to help with the set up and then running it until I can get there.

Gear Giveaway will be Aug 15 from 12-2pm @ the Clubhouse

Rental gear pick up: Aug 15 11-1230pm and Aug 19 530-7pm

Try Hockey for Free is Sept 12 @Polar- will need assistance

Still looking for a Concession Manager

Will submit for our Borough Insurance renewal in Mid-Aug

Sour Sisters proposal

Randy Zarnke donated $10,000 to HCF through Friends of HCF. Donation given HCF.

Clubhouse:

Contacted contractor for doors, we are on his list to get them replaced.

New door locks here and waiting for door installation

Clubhouse cleaning will start in September

Alcohol at private events?