VAIL MOUNTAINEER HOCKEY CLUB

BOARD OF DIRECTORS – MEETING – AGENDA



Date: Thursday, October 3, 2024 Time: 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Location: In person, Edwards Fieldhouse

Present: John-Michael Liles, Tom Corrigan, Kristi Scheidegger, Dave Bishop, Koz Landa, Sarah Parrish, Kyle Denton, Justin Bradshaw, Alison Wadey

- Call Meeting to Order: 6:08 pm
 - o Tom Corrigan
- > Quorum: Met
- Approval of __9-12-24____ Minutes: Motion to approve- Sarah Parrish Motion, second Tom Corrigan. All in favor
- Public Input (Members and general public are invited to discuss items not on the agenda)
 - Laurie Mullen
 - Vail Rec Board providing \$15k for Social Impact initiative
 - Working on seeing if the following individuals/organizations are willing to contribute to the Social Impact initiative: Skating Club of Vail, Tara Lane and Kyle Forte.
 - Has been in discussion with Russ Forest @ the Town of Vail(TOV)
 - Advice is to continue to ask Town of Vail for funds for displacement ice
 - Need to come up with a plan to approach TOV. Working on plan to approach TOV
 - TOV is finalizing their budget by the end of November
- > Director Update- Kristi Scheidegger
 - o Written director update provided to BOD before the meeting.
 - Avalanche Alumni weekend
 - Approximate 2024 Gross \$99k
 - 2023 Gross \$89k
 - o Dave and Kristi need new laptops
 - Motion to approve by Tom Corrigan, Justin Bradshaw second, All in favor
 - Discussion and Approval of the following Player Refunds. Motion to approve by Kyle Denton, Justin Bradshaw second, All in favor
 - \$1200 to Brock Rudrud
 - \$300 to Joseph Reichert
 - 50% Registration fee to Calvin Swanson

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➤ Hockey Operations Update- Dave Bishop

- Written director update provided to BOD before the meeting.
- o Tryouts were successful but a lot of work
- Future tryout thoughts especially with Dobson being offline and displacement ice most likely not being ready until later in the fall.
 - 2025-2026: Tryouts for this season to take place in Spring 2025?
 - Need to find out how late rinks will stay open this coming spring.
 - Dobson still scheduled to be down starting fall 2025 and Eagle not opening up until late
 September 2025

➤ New Rink Committee Update:

- John-Michael Liles provided update on email he received with an update from county on their current progress with the fairgrounds.
- Discussion on the need for an MOU(Memorandum of Understanding) to be presented to Mountain
 Rec and Eagle County when appropriate.
 - Sarah Parrish volunteered to start a draft of the MOU

Fundraising Committee Update:

- Brief update on a phone call with Alison Wadey, Tom Corrigan, Lori Mullin, Katie Santambrogio and a few other Skating Club of Vail Members to discuss the Capital Campaign
- o Discussion regarding:
 - \$50k in VMHC savings going towards Social Impact Advisors
 - \$100k in CD goes to help seed the capital campaign
 - To be discussed with Katie Santambrogio
- Wendy Hanlon
 - Overseeing concessions at Eagle for Sportsmanship Tournament

> Financial Committee Update:

- o \$215k in CD that matures in February
- Scholarship Requests
 - 17 Players totaling \$22k
- o John Micheal Liles is going through all scholarship requests

> VMHC Year-at-a-Glance:

- o Sportsmanship tournament is upcoming
- Working on Safe Sport Compliance

New Business:

- Alison Wadey- we need a list of all past BOD Meeting Action Items so we don't miss something
 - Kyle to go back through past meeting minutes he has to view and put a list together
- o Team Announcements in the Future
 - Look at sending out full team rosters to all VMHC members
- o Club Culture discussion Coach, Player and Parent expectations
 - Create a document for the VMHC to be used throughout the club

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Next Meeting Date: Thursday, November 7, 2024. Location – Edwards Fieldhouse

> Adjourn: 8:00 pm

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