



# Green Bay Area Youth Hockey Association Board Meeting Minutes

<b>Date:</b> May 12, 2026	<b>Time:</b> 7: PM –8:14 PM	<b>Place:</b> Rinkside Room/Cornerstone
<b>Meeting Called By:</b> GBAYHA Board of Directors		<b>Type of Meeting:</b> GBAYHA Monthly Meeting
<b>Meeting Facilitator:</b> Nick Glander		<b>Notetaker:</b> Joni Gegare
<b>Board Attendees:</b>		
Amber Baugnet	Natasha Gillmore	Robin Hester*
Nathan Conoley	Nick Glander*	Jessica Kimps*
Mike Dahleen*	Sarah Golden*	Nick Maricque*
Joni Gegare	Becky Hanke	Jarek McKinney
Joey Gerarden – Hockey Director		Mike Szkodzinski – Cornerstone Rep
		Jessica Pelletier
		Tori Szkodzinski*
		Amanda Thiel
		*current term ends April 13, 2027
<b>Guest Attendees: Steve Schaffer, Stephanie Dutkowski, Heather McKinney</b>		
<b>Meeting Topics</b>		
<b>Topic:</b>	<b>Presenter:</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Call to Order Roll Call	Nick G.	Nick @ 7:PM
Approve Agenda	Nick G.	1 <sup>st</sup> - Nick M 2 <sup>nd</sup> - Jarek M All in favor, none opposed.
Approve Prior Meeting Minutes	Nick G.	1 <sup>st</sup> - Nick M 2 <sup>nd</sup> - Nate C All in favor, none opposed.
Raffle Ticket Drawing Winners	Nick G.	4 - \$50 winners 1. \$50 –Mike Carew 2. \$50 – James Cavadeas 3. \$50 – Laura Edwin 4. \$50 – Chive Effert Picture completed and email sent to Jayne Sharka
Presidents Update	Nick G.	<b><u>USAH National Championship – Stephanie Dutkowski</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Tier I 16U and 150 Summary</li> <li>● 2027 – Hosting Tier 1 Girls 14U, 16U, 19U. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Number of shifts</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>March 30th-April 4th 48 teams 93 games 570 volunteers (will need to have 8u to help)</p> <b><u>End of Year Survey</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Parent survey is closed. 98 responses. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Will send to Executive Board on Wednesday.</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Coaches survey is closed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Information sent to Hockey Director.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Cornerstone Update	Nick G.	<b><u>Cornerstone Rink 4 Update:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● On Track for opening mid – October. (Possibly week of October 23rd. SNC game October 30th)</li> <li>● Planned opening would be SNC’s first home game (end of Oct).</li> <li>● Will be an event and have some pre-event ceremonies the week leading up to it.</li> </ul>

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		<p>Raffle off a first skate on ice for SNC game</p> <p><b>Cornerstone Update:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Will be restructuring roles / duties / personnel this summer.             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Jay Boxer and Jayne Sharka will be retiring in summer of 2025</li> <li>○ Scheduler for GBAYHA- One person role- (games, refs, etc)</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Looking for a full-time maintenance / janitorial professional.</li> </ul>
<p>Director of Hockey</p>	<p>Joey Gerarden</p>	<p>Will be reaching out for numbers and team sizes. Who's coming back (especially for girls and 14u)</p> <p>Coaches for next season: Targeting who is coming back</p> <p>Practices: Looking at implementing goalie training, looking for a goalie role on coaching committee</p> <p>Off Ice Skill Plan</p> <p>Having more roles such as helping the board.(girls liaison, boys liaison)</p> <p>Wanting to connect coaching committee to 'on ice'</p> <p>Looking to do some more things at the rink</p>
<p>Agenda Topics</p>	<p>Nick G.</p>	<p><b>Fundraising – Chair – ?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Blizzard Ticket Promotion</u></li> </ul> <p><u>Golf Outing</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Lead – Sarah Golden</li> <li>● July 10<sup>th</sup> – Mid Vallee</li> </ul> <p>We need hole sponsors (\$150) and golfers. Donations for raffle baskets.</p> <p><b>May Executive Board Elections</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Positions:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ President applicants:                 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Jarek McKinney</li> <li>● Nate Conoley</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>Voting: Jarek McKinney elected president</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Vice President applicants:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Jessica Kimps</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ Secretary applicants:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Joni Gegare</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ Treasurer applicants:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Nastasha Gillmore</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Motion to approve Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer:</b></p> <p><b>Motion:Mike D</b></p> <p><b>2nd Nick M</b></p> <p><b>Jerseys –</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Going with Black, White, Yellow, &amp; Green &amp; Names on the back.</li> <li>● Next Steps:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Process of sizing, fittings, number selection</li> <li>○ <b>Motion to have even birth years to have even numbers, odd birth years have odd birth year</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● In Favor-11</li> <li>● Opposed-2</li> <li>● No vote- 1</li> </ul> </li> <li>○ When?</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Mike motions to block for GBAYHA Loaner Jerseys 55-64. No one will get 69 99</b></p> <p><b>Nate 2nds</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● All in favor</li> <li>● No opposed</li> </ul>

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		<p>Nick motions to open registration for the 2026-27 season on June 15th with \$250 registration fee for try-outs and jerseys; \$100 fee for try-outs only.</p> <p>2nd-Mike</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● 11 in favor</li> <li>● 0 opposed</li> </ul> <p>Jerseys</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Mandi is going to talk to Amanda and Natalie</li> <li>● Have an option for registration only and for registration and jersey</li> <li>● Order in waves</li> </ul> <p>Communicate with Crossbar on how they can monitor the numbers. Need to make a decision by June.</p> <p>Will need to set up times to try on jerseys</p> <p><b>Review Committee Leads –</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● See list below: Highlighted in Red Text – need replacement.</li> <li>● Need to confirm all.</li> </ul>
Future Topics	Nick G.	<p>Future:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● GBAYHA Goalies Discussion</li> <li>● Fees - Reducing Practices</li> <li>● Review Comprehensive Volunteer List (Roles/Tasks)</li> <li>● Survey feedback.</li> </ul> <p>Rockers Volunteer-Green Bay Youth Hockey set as the Non-Profit of the Night</p> <p>July 16th</p> <p>Procedures for after an injury and what/who you go to when it happens</p>
Treasurer’s Report	Tori	<p>Concession stand kickback:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Aug 2025 – March 2026 = \$9317.20</li> </ul>
Closed Session	Nick G.	Nothing at this time.
Motion to Adjourn		<p>Motion to adjourn at PM</p> <p>1st: Jess K</p> <p>2nd: Mike D</p> <p>All in favor, none opposed</p>
<p><b>NEXT BOARD MEETING – TUESDAY – June 9, 2026– 7PM</b></p>		

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Committees/Positions	2025-26 Leader Name(s)	Additional Comments
<b>Hockey Operations / Coaching Committee</b>		
Hockey Director	Joey Gerarden	
<b>Fundraising - Chair –</b>		
GBAYHA Fundraising	Becky H, Amber B	
Tournament Raffle Coordinator	Amanda Aplin	Need 1 more person
Scripts Coordinator	Melissa Phillips	Confirmed.
Calendar Raffle	Mandi Thiel Mel Wempe	
50/50 Gambler game	Kelly Brock?????	**Just need to get the game (Natalie?)
Apparel	Nate Conoley/ Jessica Kimps	
<b>Registrars / WAHA Compliance – Chair – Natalie Mitchell</b>		
Registrar	Amanda Sargent - Finance Natalie Mitchell- all other things	Amanda – Confirmed to stay, needs someone. Will age out in 2 yrs. - ***NEED TO IDENTIFY SOMEONE TO TAKE OVER THIS ROLE Natalie will stay on as Registrar, and will train Mandi to take over.
Safety Coordinator	Natalie Mitchell	Jess P?
Cultural Education Liaison	Natalie Mitchell	
Conduct Committee	Megan Pfarr (Chair) Steve Linssen	
<b>Growth Committee – Chair - Nathan Conoley</b>		
Youth Girls Growth Liaison	***Natasha Gillmore	
Youth Boys Growth Liaison	Nathan Conoley	
Cultural Growth	Nathan Conoley	
Try Hockey for Free Coordinator	Nathan Conoley	
8U Mites Liaison	Lizzy Ariens	
<b>Volunteer Hours Coordinator – Chair – Joni Gegare</b>		
Volunteer Hours / Credits	8U - Abbie Gazella 10U – 14U: Joni Gegare / Jessica Mercheck	
<b>GBAYHA Positions – Chair – Kelly Losey</b>		
Manager & Locker Room Coordinator	Robin	
Goalie Liaison	Mike Dahleen	
Goalie Equipment	Jeremiah Muenhow	
Equipment/Jerseys	Amber Bagnet	
Tournament Coordinator	Kevin Leisgang	***NEED TO REACH OUT AND ASK IF STILL INTERESTED