



Danvers Youth Hockey Meeting Minutes 8.25.25

Attendance:

Sabrina Spencer, Mae Picariello, Angela DiRusso, Danielle Finocchiaro, Marcy, Ken Picariello, Amanda Conway, Courtney, Megan, Danny DiRusso, Joe Crowley, Ray Warner, Jen Petroccione, Albie Maggio, Bartlett, MaryKate DePamphilis

- **Uniform Update:** Alyssa and Darcie are coordinating uniform updates with parents and Pure Hockey. Todd's in Beverly is adding numbers to jerseys that arrived without them to ensure all players, including late registrants, are prepared for the season.
 - **Skills Sessions (Solid State Hockey):**
 - Mites/Squirts – 5:30 PM
 - Peewees – 6:30 PM
 - Girls may attend whichever session works best for them.
 - Coaches are asked to emphasize that these sessions are led by paid professional instructors to encourage strong participation.
 - Sessions are posted in Crossbar. No Halloween session. Skills conclude on **11/7**.
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Programs & Events

- **Learn to Skate:** Only 3 sign-ups so far. Continued promotion encouraged.
- **Try Hockey for Free:** Scheduled for **9/13 at 7:00 AM**. Sponsored by Mass Hockey. Includes a \$500 Pure Hockey gift card raffle. If 20 kids register, we also receive a \$500 discount on ice time. One-hour event.
- **Open Skate:** Scheduled for **Wednesday, 8/27, from 5:30–7:00 PM**.
 - First 45 minutes: family skate (basic equipment only).
 - 6:00–7:00 PM: full equipment required for skills competition.
 - Safety protocols will be enforced.
 - MK will post details.
- **Booze Cruise:** Successful turnout with a great mix of new and returning participants. The event netted an additional \$20.
- **Light the Lamp:** Fundraiser to begin with the start of the season in September.

Tournaments:

Challenge Cup Tournament (Marlborough): January 23rd. Team managers and coaches to coordinate sign-ups.

Safety & Equipment

- Quick-Clot kits and ice packs will be ordered and distributed to all coaches for the season.
 - Pinnies, cones, and Coaches' Jackets will be given out at open skate on Wednesday night to coaches.
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Upcoming Dates

- Homecoming Weekend: November 15th