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MEETING MINUTES

Cleveland Suburban Hockey League

General League Meeting February 4, 2025

Via Zoom

ATTENDING PROGRAMS: Brooklyn, Canton-Akron, Cleveland Heights, Elyria, Fremont, Garfield Heights, Geauga, Gilmour, Kent, Lake Erie Panthers, Mentor, North Olmsted, Parma, Rocky River, Shaker Heights, Strongsville, Tri-County, Winterhurst, Wooster . CSHL BOARD OF DIRECTORS: Komma, O’Shaughnessy, Radosevic, Rice, Shenk, Smith, Stojak

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Actions:

Review and approval of minutes from the CSHL GLM October 30, 2024. Motion to approve minutes offered by Garfield Heights seconded by Parma. Minutes approved.

CSHL Commissioner provided an update from the January USA Hockey Winter meetings. Discussed new playing rules book for next season and the “Green Armband” program identifying new on-ice officials. CSHL will make the arm bands available beginning 2025-26 pre-season.

Monsters Update: March 29 will be CSHL Champions Night at the Monsters game.

CSHL Playoffs Chairman Nick Komma provided a playoffs update. The semi-finals and finals will be at BAM Arenaon February 22 - 23, 2025. The finals are March 1-2, 2025. The change in the CSHL Finals dates were confirmed. Playoff bound coaches must submit the CSHL Playoffs Eligibility Form.A pre-playoffs coaches meeting via Zoom will be held again this year. This proved to be helpful last season. On-site team responsibilities were discussed.

John Stojak provided updates for the NCHSHL playoffs, Buckeye Cup and USA Nationals Girls Tier II tournament. All those events will be held at BAM Arena. The national event will also host games in Mentor. Stojak requested volunteers to assist with the national tournament.

New business: There was discussion of a recent incident regarding a CSHL coach at an out-of-state tournament. Concern was expressed regarding social media posts by CSHL parents.

Old Business: Annual Meeting date Saturday, May 10, 2025, at The Foundry in Cleveland. Reminder that among the agenda items will be CSHL Board of Directors elections and review of proposed changes to CSHL Standing Rules

Meeting adjourned at 8:07 p.m.