



LINCOLN-WAY HOCKEY CLUB BOARD OF DIRECTORS

MEETING MINUTES

July 28, 2025 Homewood Flossmoor Ice Arena 6:30pm

The board meeting was called to order at 6:30 by Luke Antonsen

Roll Call of the Board: Mary Lanski, Kristy Britt, Steve Macri, Luke Antonsen, John Skopick, Robin Ersfeldt, Kathy Vodges, Erica Brkovic, Kevin Marowczynski

Public Comment: No Attendees

Approval of June Minutes: Approved

Hockey Directors Update:

Teams/Leagues

- Varsity will play in the Illinois West League for the 2025-2026 season
- JV1 will play in the North Central League for the 2025-2026 season
- JV2 will play in the Illinois West League for the 2025-2026 season
- JV3 (if we have) will play in the silver bracket of the North Central League for the 2025-2026 season

Important Dates

- Varsity Combined State Playoffs start 2/24/26, with quarter-finals 2/28/26 at West Meadows, semi-finals 3/1/26 at Fifth Third and Finals 3/6/26 most likely at Allstate Arena
- JV State Playoff semi-finals 3/7/26, with finals 3/15/26 at Allstate Arena or Fox Valley
- Nationals 3/18/26 start

Tournaments

- Currently have three teams registered for the Kings Cup as well as a tournament in Minnesota. Joe looking into the Prep Thanksgiving tournament as well as Nashville as potential additional options.

Additional Information

- Can make roster additions up to 10/3/25, rosters locked on 10/30/25
- Joe/Luke working with Lindsay at HF on game slots
- JV2 will likely have a lot of Thursday home games

Conditioning Skate Numbers: 53 total registered; 10 freshman, 15 sophomores, 15 juniors and 13 seniors

Fall Registration: Steve to send email tomorrow regarding registration to all families. Evaluation dates set for 8/13, 8/19 and 8/20, times TBD.

Rebrand Launch: Launch to take place on 8/1

Golf Outing: Aug 8

45 registered to date; 28 adults, 17 players

4 gift baskets, 2 gift cards

Will push to social media and email blast to all families as a reminder to register as well as request additional gift basket donations.

New jerseys to be displayed on mannequins at the golf outing



Season Kick Off Picnic: August 23

Need to send form out to families asking for bean bag sets and requesting RSVPs. Kristy will get form from Steve and send this out. Will also include information in that email reminding people to bring chairs and letting them know a few details regarding the picnic (food, drinks, etc.)

Safesport/Background Check Update: Mary working on getting information out to seniors who need to complete this ASAP.

Year End Project Buddies Fundraiser:

Would take place at the end of the season after playoffs

LW team would be made up of all seniors

Rink to hopefully donate ice

Joe wanting to create a custom jersey with no names, only numbers that could be re-used

Treasurers Report: Budget pretty similar to last year at this point