

2025/2026 January CMHA Executive Meeting
Thursday January 15, 2026
Firehall- 7:00pm

Attendance: Joanna Linton, Kristy McKeown, Will Orr, Wayne Kerr, Kyle Petherick, Jason Balas, Courtenay Cleverdon, Casey Jaynes, Jaquie Musson, Chad Belfry, Ian Pettey

Regret: Sean McNeil, Nolan Fife

Time: 6:29

End: 9:34

Topic	Discussion	Action
<p>OMHA Report Jason Balas</p>	<p>Not all teams have been approved for organization at this time. Further updates will be provided next week.</p> <p>Championship Structure U11 to U13 will compete in three tiers.</p> <p>The OHF has released information regarding tampering, including a list of individuals who have been fined.</p> <p>U9MD Championship weekend will take place March 27, hosted by either Norwood or Centre Hastings.</p> <p>U11 and U13</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Divided into three tiers • Each tier will play a round robin from February 9 to February 26, with scheduling beginning February 9 • Teams may play one or two games, depending on tier size <p>U15</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Divided into two tiers, competing only in Tier 2 and Tier 3 for OMHA • Each tier will play a round robin from February 9 to February 26, with scheduling beginning February 9 • Teams may play one or two games, depending on tier size <p>U18</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No round robin will be held due to an extended regular season running until February 28 <p>Post Round Robin</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Upon completion of the round robin, U11 to U15 	

	<p>teams will be re ranked based on results.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Quarter Final scheduling for U11 to U15 may begin February 26. U18 Quarter Final scheduling may begin February 28. Scheduling will be coordinated between teams. 3. Playoffs will consist of a best of three playdown format, including Quarter Finals if required, Semi Finals, and Finals. Top seeded teams from the round robin will receive home ice advantage. <p>Playoff Formats</p> <p>Six Team Tier</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quarter Final 1: 6 vs 3, best of three • Quarter Final 2: 5 vs 4, best of three • Semi Final 1: 1 vs winner of QF2, best of three • Semi Final 2: 2 vs winner of QF1, best of three • Final: winners of SF1 vs SF2 <p>Five Team Tier</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quarter Final 1: 5 vs 4, best of three • Semi Final 1: 1 vs winner of QF1, best of three • Semi Final 2: 2 vs 3, best of three • Final: winners of SF1 vs SF2, best of three <p>Four Team Tier</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Semi Final 1: 1 vs 4, best of three • Semi Final 2: 2 vs 3, best of three • Final: winners of SF1 vs SF2, best of three <p>Three Team Tier</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Semi Final: 2 vs 3, best of three 	
<p>LEO Report Chad Belfry</p>	<p>Action item from last meeting: Chad will look into how to make the move into the ICHL or Vic. Durham to ensure we have all the information to make informed decision- need to discuss this next meeting</p> <p>-U9 scheduling meeting went well, all playing full ice</p> <p>- Feb 6: U15-U18 scheduling for winter schedule.</p>	
<p>Financial Report Kristy McKeown</p>	<p>- \$146 was spent on office supplies. Motion to approve the expenditure: Kyle Seconded by: Joanna</p>	

	<p>Result: All in favour</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Goalie cheques have been delivered. - Funds were spent on paint, referee fees (which are increasing), ice and development. Ice and tournament funds have been paid, development has been at \$12,000. - Painting of the logo on the wall is expected to be completed over the summer holidays. -Outstanding fees: 2 families still owing <p>Motion to approve the financial report: Kyle Seconded by: Will Result: All in favour</p>	
Registration/Roster	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Todd Murrary sent an email stating one coach is not permitted on the bench until Coach 2 certification is completed. -Affiliated Players (APs) have been approved, and player move ups have been approved. Third party or at large roster approvals are still pending. - The VSC list has been sent with bench staff and volunteers who will require a new VSC for the next season. 	
Hockey Weekend in Campbellford	All went well	
Ladies Auxiliary	<p><i>Following up: as we asked them a few meetings ago</i></p> <p>From last meeting: Wayne to respond: they cover the cost of 1 development for each team approx. \$3600, plus end of year for U5-U8 but the pizza for the awards night for the rest of our teams. How did they respond?</p> <p>Hasn't been discussed yet Response later in the meeting:, Will cover end of year for U5-U8 but the pizza for the awards plus swag.</p>	<p>Need to ask about the other items we have asked if they will cover:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) cover the cost of 1 development for each team approx. \$3600 2) Pizza for teams U9 and up for their

		awards night
Wrap up night- U5, U7, U8	<p>Wrap up the week prior to march break: March 10: U8 March 11: U5 March 12: U7</p> <p>Need to discuss with ladies to see if they will help out: <i>See notes above as the response came later in the meeting</i></p>	
Refs	<p>Joanna puts need into ref arbitrator, Nick assigns the number of refs</p> <p>Side note: Argue for 3 man hybrid like HEO, to make change, we will need to motion for a change at the OMHA AGM</p>	Casey will look into putting forth a motion to the OMHA AGM for a hybrid ref model
Coaches feedbacks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Coaches feedback and award nominations form will be live on our website February 1st for a month 	Jason has it ready to go
Coaches for 2026/2027 Season	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The coaching application will open on January 16 and remain live for 30 days. - Interviews will take place at the end of February, followed by a mid March meeting with the executive to vote on coaching selections. Coaching appointments will be announced once teams have concluded their season. 	Casey will make a Facebook post
Tryouts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Need to reach out Brats Blades and see if they are interested in preskates - Need to confirm and secure ice time needed for preskates and spring tryouts with the municipality. <p>Tryout Timelines</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Duration: one week to complete • U11 and U13: starting May 9 • U15 to U18: starting May 11 • U9MD: starting April 11 for a 14 day period 	<p>Kyle will reach out to Brats blades regarding preskates</p> <p>Kyle will send a proposed ice time needed to the municipality</p>
Equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Need pinnies/jerseys to use during tryouts. 	Will to look after ordering jerseys for tryouts.

	<p>All players will receive a jersey at the start of tryouts, which they will keep.</p> <p>- A total of 165 players participated in tryouts last year.</p>	
Other Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Update sign to reflect the coaching application information. - Review and clean up the Code of Conduct and association policies, ensuring they are easy for members to access and locate. - U7 players trying out for U9MD: this may be an OMHA issue, as players are not permitted to move up two age groups. - U7 50/50 packages: do not require U7 players to participate. <p>Preskates and Tryouts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preskates: four sessions for \$100, capped at 25 participants • Tryouts: one guaranteed session, with cuts after the first session; jerseys included for \$100 	Wayne will update once he is able to get at it, due to snow

Next Meeting: Feb 19 6:30 firehall

Motion to adjourn: Kyle

Second: Cleve

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