

International Falls Figure Skating Club
Wednesday, September 12th, 2018
6:00 PM @ Kootasca

Present:

Tina Sather	Tara Harris	Jessica Kokesh
Sarah Morin	Lexi Brewinski	Samantha Jolicoeur
Lindsay Strickland	Stacy Robar	

Regrets:

Dina Gardiman	Bonnie Helderman	Danielle Davenport	Kim Anderson
BriAnne Bowles			

Guests: Darlyss Kreinke-Turvey

Call to order: 6:07

July Minutes: Approved by Lexi, seconded by Tara with the changes of Jessica being absent and the location change.

Financial Report:

No financial report tonight

Update from Coach: Darlyss and Maddy have had a few meetings on the ice show and they are ready to go

Open Forum: Concrete was poured in the arena August 13th. It will sit for 30 day. Still on track for ice on MEA weekend.

- Tina is on the clubs email now and the bylaws will be added to the website.
- Tina and the coaches are mandated reporters.

Committee Reports

Registration:

- We have 9 so far signed up for skating.
- There is a lot of hockey interest, but they want consistent ice time. We have 6 hockey kids signed up. 4 beginners, 2 in the higher up, hockey 2. Snowplow Sam is the same as the beginner hockey kids. They won't separate them until they can skate without the bar. They will learn skating skills. Our minimum number is 20.
- We going to print the code of conduct for registration. Did online registrars sign it?

Testing and Badge Level: We are going to do a print out for registration and we are ordering hockey badges.

Budget: No financials this month

Lettering: No updates

Fundraising:

- Movie Fundraiser-We decided not to do the bake sale as there will be lots left over. Lexi will make a FB event. Fundraising committee will decide on the movies.
- Frostbitten formal-Cedulie is booked for pictures and Ben Sundin is booked for the DJ. He is charging \$400 and it will be Dec 1st.
- We decided on \$10 for the decals.

Ice Show: No updates.

Grant and Scholarship Committee: Grants- the determination letter takes 6 weeks to get. We need a copy for the grant. We are looking at getting spotlights and a club sound system. It takes 12 weeks for an answer.

Synchro: Tina got a letter from Northern Lights, the new club that opened up. They don't have a synchro team and they reached out to the Border Skating club. They told them no. She has then reached out to us. She wants to do a dual synchro team. Sharing coaches and the ice. She says Maddy would get paid, she would be a volunteer though. She said it's a good opportunity. She wants to see if we could change things. To bridge the gap between us. It was discussed that we want to say no, and offer them to come here for synchro. We will be positive with Ashley asking if they would want to come skate synchro with us.

On the same subject, Tina got notice that our skater Anissa is quitting our club and going to go across to Canada to skate as she can't skate mornings. She is anticipating being a senior skater. She could be affiliated with us by being in Synchro. It was thought that there were rules for the senior skaters, to have to be there 80% of the time. Shelly made a lot of guidelines and we are willing to change them as times are changing and the club is changing. When we looked, the policy was changed in 2017. We would be willing to work with Anissa and any other skater. You get out of skating, what you put into it.

Dates to Remember

Registration-September 19th 6-8pm

Fundraising Drop off-November 3rd

Frostbitten Formal-December 1st

Ice Box Competition-January 20th

Ice Show- March 23rd and 24th with rehearsal March 21st

Banquet-March 26th

Next meeting will be held Wednesday October 10th at 6PM. Location Falls High Library.

