



IMHA Board of Directors Meeting

Thursday, May 5, 2022

MINUTES – Approved May 15, 2022

Present: Mike Harding, Todd Copeland, Chris Dixon, Kerri Dixon, Kendra Bloomfield, Randy Sheaves, Andy Marshall, Brooke Ross, Mark Read, Paul Walkom, Bill Stevenson, Jeff Reid, Pat Conlin, Scott Parker

Regrets: Andrew Ward, Jeff Sutherland

1. MR made a motion to begin the meeting. 2nd by KD. Carried.
2. MH went over the objective of the meeting. Interviews for the Girls U13, U15 and U18 coaches have been completed and today's meeting is to hear the recommendations from the coaching committee.
3. JR shared that himself and the coaching committee (PW, AM, BS) were able to meet with every applicant and are very happy with how the interviews went. He recognized the importance of choosing coaches that are a good fit with the organization. There were many strong candidates who are interested in coaching in the IMHA organization, and the committee's goal is to keep these well qualified coaches in the organization even if they are not appointed head coach positions at this time.

Girls U13 Head Coach– Two applicants. Coaching committee was unanimous to recommend Dave Barselaar as head coach. JR made a motion to appoint Dave Barselaar as the Girls U13 head coach. 2nd by PW. Carried.

Girls U15 Head Coach– Five applicants. Coaching committee was unanimous to recommend Jeff Sutherland as head coach. JR made a motion to appoint Jeff Sutherland as the Girls U15 head coach. 2nd by TC. Carried.

- Two other applicants, Jessica Hennessy and Mitchell Crowley, also had strong interviews and are well qualified. The board discussed ways to keep these applicants in the IMHA organization, as coaches of other teams or as part of the coaching staff. The board will continue to discuss with these applicants where they would be a good fit.

Girls U18 Head Coach– No head coach assigned at this time.

4. KB shared that the registration links will be opening on Friday, May 6th. An information page will be shared on the site to support families in the registration process. Applications for boy's head coach positions will be going up soon. RS also shared those registering have to pay 50% of the fees or they are not considered registered. The date to pay the remaining fee is August 15th. If participants still have outstanding fees from last season, they will not be able to register for this coming season until those fees have been paid.
5. The next IMHA Board of Directors meeting is not scheduled at this time.
6. RS made a motion to adjourn the meeting. 2nd by MR. Carried.

Motions approved via email:

JR made a motion to approve John Asma as head coach of the *U18 Girls* team for the 2022/2023 season. John was the coach in the 2021-2022 season and received positive parent reviews. 2nd by SP. Approved by AM, PW, CD, KB, JS, PC, MR, AW, BS, TC.