

Manning Valley Hockey Association Junior Match Committee Meeting 16/4/2019 6:30pm

Present: Raelee Booth (Cougars), Jason Sepik (Taree West), Steph Tag (Tigers), Roz Drury (Sharks), Matt Bisby (Chatham)

Apologies: Marlena Stone (Wingham)

Previous meeting minutes received Moved: Matt 2nd Roz

Business Arising: *Positive feedback has been received by most delegates regarding the earlier starts.

*majority not happy with the ¼ timing.

New Business:

- Discussion was had regarding the removal of the ¼ timing. It would mean that U13 timing would increase which would cause a change to game times. All delegates were in favour of removal, with all delegates later responding that clubs were also in favour. It was also decided that the games on the current draw would just play through ¼ time and the adjustments would be made to the new draw due out in the next week.
- Next stage of the draw should be out within the next week for delegates to check over before handing it out to clubs
- It was noted that the canteen has been closing at 12-1pm. With junior canteen finishing up around 11:45am. Jason to seek clarification of this from the board
- A reminder has been put out to U11 coaches and managers that the goals need to be moved back to where they came from at the completion of their games.
- Raelee and Jason have received age Waivers
- We need more coaches for rep teams, and we are looking for a rep coordinator for juniors
- Dom Tag to nominate for U13 Boys coach, we are just waiting on his email.
- Chris Davy is interested in running York Cup. Raelee to include him in her email to York cup organisers
- Each rep coach is to come up with trial dates and email these through to Jason and Raelee to advertise on the noticeboard and Facebook page
- Possibly look at only taking 1 boys' side to York cup as it has been an issue organising 2 in recent years
- Raelee to collaborate a list of junior rep sides with their coaches, assistant coaches and managers to see what positions need to be filled
- After Easter school holidays put out an expression of interest regarding York cup. With Jason to speak to Chris about possibly training in the empty time slot between junior and senior games
- Minky to start 4/5/19 at 10:30am on turf 3. Rod Collier to run, clubs are to help the weekend after their canteen duty. It is recommended children wear shin pads and mouth guards. The key to the equipment is in the canteen
- U18 comp: * Camden Haven have pulled out due to low numbers, leaving only 2 teams.
 - * Look at reducing numbers to 6 a side and only playing half field. Split the 2 nominated teams evenly to keep it club based
 - * modified rules to be played e.g. no tomahawks, pushing is the circle, no goalies
 - * look at putting together a 5th side with kids from the remaining clubs

* discussed an email sent through from a concerned parent/coach regarding some issues with the U7 and U9 guidelines and playing rules. Steph to reply to this parent addressing their concerns on behalf of the JMC.

Next meeting 21/05/19 at 6:30pm in the underneath area of the clubhouse

Meeting closed 8:15pm