Manning Valley Hockey Association Junior Match committee 2018 Tuesday 27/02/18

Meeting opened 6:30pm

Jason Sipek elected chairperson for the 2018 season

Raelee Booth elected secretary

General discussion followed about the upcoming season.

Nominations are due 16/03/18 with a \$100 non-refundable deposit required for teams

2 umpires are required to be nominated with each competitive team nominated (u11, u13,u15, u18)

Umpire coordinator from the board (Adam Birkefield) will need a junior coordinator to help assist throughout the season. Nominations required

2018 competition starts 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> April

U18 mixed playing Tuesday nights

Each delegate was asked to go back to their clubs and discuss the possibility of fielding mixed teams in each age group instead of same sex.

Ratio would be a minimum of 4 of the same sex not including the goalie in a team fielding 11 players or 3 of the same sex not including the goalie in a team including 9 players in U13 and U15. We should look at keeping any changes in place for the next 3 years.

Juniors have 9am till 12:30pm timeslots on a sat morning and there are 10 spots during the week for any games to be played under the lights

Gloucester will field a mixed u13 side and they have stated they prefer sat morning games due to traveling etc

U11 will play half field with a joey ball and will field 7 a side plus a goalie.

Kookaburra 8's morning being held on sun 4/3/18 it is encouraged that all coaches of junior teams attend the workshop.

Come and try days scheduled for 17/3 and 24/3. These are open age

Sharks U9 have been approached by a family who have a child with a disability. They will need a carer on the field with them at all times as well as the coach. Sharks to do a risk assessment to ensure the safety of the child.

Tim LeStrange put his hand up to do the junior registrars position for 2018

Draw to be completed 27/3. First 2 games need to be set in stone by this date

Next meeting Tuesday 20/3 6:30pm, at the clubhouse, agenda to be sent out beforehand

Meeting closed 7:30pm