



## OGHA Executive Meeting

### Minutes

**Date:** Monday September 12, 2011

**Time:** 7:00-10:00 pm

**Location:** Alder Arena Room 1

**Attendance:** Liesa Brett, Doug O'Malley, Barb Mason, Barb Godin, Sherry Thomas, Jim Collis, Deanne MacDonald, Mike Schultz, Melissa Williamson, Melody Morris, Tammy Reeve, Katrina Granger, Connie Lewis

**Regrets:** Don Williamson, Paul Noble, John Middleton

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1. Opening comments and approval of minutes from August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011 – Jim Collis/Tammy Reeve.
  2. **Hollywood Presentation:** Leanne Doeg came to present and discuss having a partnership with OGHA. At present their numbers are down (no final number yet) and the girls they have are often driving 2 hours to play. Hollywood is a part of the WOAA association. They would like to have an opportunity to play out of Orangeville and still practice in Hollywood. All in favour of a 1 year trial opportunity – 10. Leanne to discuss it more with her President and families involved and contact Barb Mason once a decision is made.
  3. **"Girls Night" (Jim)**- November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2011 is being held for the "Girl's Night" in Orangeville. That evening the Junior A Flyers will be playing at Alder Red. Each player from House League and Rep will be given 3 tickets (1 free and 2 at \$10.00 a piece.) Each girl is responsible to hand back the \$20.00 as part of a fundraiser to get money back into the association. Melody will be in charge of getting the tickets out to House League coaches and Jim will hand out to the Rep coaches. It was discussed at having one of the girl's teams playing before the Junior game.

4. **CW Game- January 28<sup>th</sup> Tournament** – (Jim) The Canadian Women’s Hockey League will be coming to Orangeville to play on the 28<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm. Jim is still looking in to sponsors for the game and advertising in the local paper.
5. **Sherry** – Sherry gave a run-down of all the coaches’ names to date. She is still looking for a few spots to fill. DS Information: the DS games will be held on the weekends, the opposite day that the child plays House League. More information to come.
6. **Connie** – Connie mentioned that Alex Clodd is willing to help out with any goalie practices where needed. As well, she has offered to help out with the Tyke Program.
7. **Meeting Location:** It was discussed that the Hillcrest School is offering to have our monthly meetings at the school on Little York Street for free.
8. **Day of Champs** – a tentative date for the March 23-25 weekend to hold the Day of Champs with possibly using Tony Rose upstairs for the banquets, but the Dufferin Room may be a better cost. The cost will have to be determined. All in favour of the date – 10.
9. **Connie** – Connie brought a pair of the new socks (from the rep teams) from this season. It appears that the socks are not holding up, and it has only been roughly 3-4 games. The supplier will be notified to see what they can do for us.
10. **Mike** – There will be a slight increase for refs this season. A reference from Mississauga and Brampton was looked into and that will be posted for coaches. Novice will stay the same at \$10.00, Atom will be increased from \$10.00 to \$12.00. Peewee will be increased from \$12.00 to \$15.00. Bantam will increase from \$15.00 to \$20.00 Midgets will stay the same at \$20.00 and Senior Rec will stay the same at \$25.00. All in favour 10.
11. **Contacts** – OWSA has changed some rules in regards to contacts. It is important that all coaches check them over and to aware when the calls are being made. This is posted on the OWSA website. Melissa will send out an e-mail to coaches/managers regarding new rules and John will post a link on the website for all to view.
12. **Connie** – Steve S, to come out to House League clinics. It was discussed that possibly the end of October will be the starting time. It was discussed that specialty clinics rather than skills will benefit the players. Looking into **1. Contact Confidence**, looking into a 2 hr ice time for 30 people. **2. Shooting Clinic**, house league could benefit from this. Looking into a 1 hr ice time and 20 kids max. and **3. Defence Clinics**. Bryan Anderson has volunteered to do this for free.
13. **Barb G** – Tournament update: 15 teams registered so far. No new information on the DS tournament.
14. **Melissa** – Rosters are all in, all girls can play. HL rosters-coaching meeting is set for September 27, 2011. Each player has to have an updated information form for

registration. The Coach/Trainer info all needs to be in and updated after the 1<sup>st</sup> game.  
Adding people to rosters? Melissa is waiting for clarification on rules for waivers.

15. Don – Waiting to hear of a tender of Photography for next meeting. Once decided, it will be added to the website.
16. Katrina – In the Senior Rec, there are 42 registered ladies so far. They are 2 confirmed goalies, looking for more goalies. There is a discounted rate of \$100.00 for goalies. There will be a letter put up in Hillsburg stating the cost reduction in hopes of getting a goalie for Orangeville ladies. September 30<sup>th</sup> is the opening ice date, Katrina will check with Don to confirm times. All ladies must be 20 or older to play.
17. Tammy – The Timbit Jerseys are in and Paul has picked them up. The House League survey will be sent out to everyone. Tammy is still seeing lots of special requests for carpooling. WDGPHU- (Wellington, Dufferin, Guelph Public Health Unit) wants to promote the Tobacco Free Policy. They are willing to give out water bottles. Barb Mason will contact the unit as the spokesperson to make it happen.
18. Deanne – Financial update. The Rep template has been sent out to all treasurers. Deanne requested to be tracking ALL transactions and communicate with parents for the financial records. Just a reminder to all rep teams on the increase in ref costs.
19. Motion to Adjourn: Tammy/Melissa

Next Meeting: Monday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011- 7:00 pm. Location to be determined.