

RUSTIN ICE HOCKEY CLUB

ELEMENTARY PARENT MEETING MINUTES

OCTOBER 9, 2008

I. Kate Nelson-Rustin Hockey Club President--Welcome and Introductions

- All members welcomed with present Board members introduced
- Spirit wear items available for purchase
- General Club overview-Our Varsity team is predicted to be #1 this year in the Breakaway Magazine. We will have 2 middle school team, 3 high school teams and a girls Varsity team in addition to the 2 Elementary teams.

We are the only school in the area with over 30 players in the Elementary program. We will divide the players in to an A and B team.

- Nick Russo is our Club's Hockey Director. Nick will coach the Elementary B team in addition to the Varsity team this year.
- Team Divisions-The A team will consist of the players who are more experienced while the B team will consist of the beginner players.
- Dues-Elementary dues will be \$600 this year and will include a gold jersey for all new players. All players received a new gold jersey included in their dues last year and we are glad to be able to offer this again. All players will receive new socks included in dues.
- The first practice for both teams will most likely be on 10/25/08.
- Team Representatives-we will need a team rep for each of the A and B teams. The reps will help with team communication to parents and in planning parties etc.
- Trophy Case-Our club has a trophy case at Ice Line which is located near the chalk boards.
- Team Polo shirts-this year we are going with a solid blue polo. They will be available to the Elementary players for purchase.

II. Karen Young-Secretary

- First Aid Kit-each team will have a first aid kit available for use
- Each team's coach will receive a binder filled with player information

- Parents are reminded to get their player's USA Hockey Registration done if not done.
- All gold jerseys and socks have been ordered and will be distributed once they have been delivered. Players have been given the option to purchase a shell.
- Rustin Hockey website: Parents informed that they can access further club information from our website: www.rustin-ice.org

League Structure:

Elementary League Structure:

- Season runs: October 2008-March 2009
- Playoffs: Mid March
- League playoffs with trophies
- Weekend play only
- Grades 1-4 (5th grade is MS no check)
- 12 practices—First Practice Date
- Practice slot is 1 hour and 15 minutes
- 12 games comprised of three 12 minute periods
- No checking
- USA Hockey rules apply