

# Kent Skating Club Board Meeting

June 8, 2010

Zeagers' home

Present: Julie Zeager, Frank Obreza, Patrick Mail, Kate Medicus, Teri Tacchio, Helen McGrew, Crystal Chadimon, Vince Faverty

The meeting was called to order at 6:30pm.

## **Approval of previous meeting's minutes**

Minutes will be circulated via e-mail

## **Treasurer's report**

Frank Obreza reported that we did need to utilize funds from the Morgan Bank account (approx. \$4,000) in order to pay the May ice bill (which includes the ice fee for Grassroots to Champions). The April and May ice bills have now been paid. We received \$461.01 from the Malley's chocolate sale. The main club account has an approximate balance of \$800.

## **Administrator's report**

Stephanie Collins is collecting membership renewals; memberships expire at the end of June (and anyone skating at the Mentor Sunshine Invitational in July needs to renew membership as soon as possible . Stephanie will then update the USFS roster online soon.

## **GCC Report**

Julie Zeager reported that the Kent Skating Club has two delegates for the Greater Cleveland Council of Figure Skating Clubs (Meg Faust and Joy Cunningham) and that it would be good to have an alternate delegate (possibly Helen McGrew?).

## **Fundraising news**

Julie Zeager has not heard back yet from USFS regarding her question about whether the Club would be allowed to use Memorial Fund money to cover Grassroots to Champions expenses. She will also contact them and ask whether these funds could be used to purchase a jump harness for the Club.

There are a few skaters who still owe the remainder of their fundraising amounts; Stephanie Collins has a list of people who did not meet the requirement; she will process their membership renewals only after the 2009-2010 fundraising requirement has been met.

Julie Zeager read a letter she received from Crystal Chadimon requesting that money her family raised by selling tickets for the Duck Dash be included in her fundraising requirement amount. The Duck Dash was held the day after the last day of Club ice, so the Board discussed whether this would be fair to include considering the Duck Dash as part of the 2009-2010 season and including the amount raised as part of the fundraising requirement.

T. Tacchio motioned to credit Duck Dash funds to the fundraising amount; V. Faverty seconded; the motion passed unanimously

### **New board officers**

Board officers for 2010-2011:

Julie Zeager, president

Patrick Mail, vice president

Lisa Rhoades, treasurer

Kate Medicus, secretary

Stephanie Collins, administrator

H. McGrew motioned to approve the new slate, V. Faverty seconded the motion; the motion passed unanimously

### **Sk8toberFest**

It is probably too late to begin planning for a fall competition this year. Julie Zeager asked whether anyone feels strongly about hosting this, and whether there is anyone who feels strongly enough about it that they would volunteer to organize the competition.

### **2010-2011 Test Dates**

List of test dates for next year will be going out soon, Meg Faust has compiled the list of dates.

### **Spirit Wear**

Lisa Rhoades knows someone who can match any price on spirit wear items. The Club will put together a flyer in the fall with information for ordering a jacket (same jacket as the 2009-2010 spirit wear), or pants and possibly items such as garment bags. An order form will be included, and skaters can choose whether they want to order spirit wear or not; the Board was reminded that spirit wear is not covered by the membership fee in the 2010-2011 season.

### **Club Bids for Competitions**

Julie Zeager does not recommend that we bid on hosting any of the skating competitions that are currently open for bidding; the Kent State Ice Arena is not large enough for two of the competitions and the adult sectionals competition conflicts time-wise with Skating for Skills.

**Fall Ice**

No information is available yet on what ice times will be offered to the Club for next year. Julie Zeager asked Richard Mest to send her this information directly and as soon as possible. J. Zeager is concerned because she said she thought we have the fall ice offer from the Ice Arena by this time of year.

**Next meeting**

The next board meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 7, at 6pm the Kent Free Library (located on W. Main St. in Kent, just west of downtown Kent)

**Summer Garage Sale**

Teri Tacchio has offered to host the garage sale this summer; the date has not been set yet. The Board discussed advertising the sale on Craig's List again this year.

T. Tacchio motioned to adjourn; C. Chadimon seconded; the motion passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30pm