

MIAA Ice Hockey Committee
Tuesday, May 6, 2025
Minutes

- 1) Approval of Minutes Previous Meeting – Jan. 28, 2025
Moved and Approved (J. Rudzinsky, T. Hooten) 15-0-0
- 2) Tournament 2025 – Update/review
 - B. Ware, TD presented 2025 a tournament recap report
 - R. Pearson mentioned rink capacities and the work to be done; discussion among committee, suggestion to keep informing about online sales; must buy online and pay attention to limits and possible sold out, maybe timeframe of posting
 - Suggestion to communicate with schools about ticket sales for round of 32
 - JJ Alberts speaks to the partnership with Chick-fil- a and the tournament
 - Discussion of the success of video replay at first game; went very well
 - Other suggestion to be attentive to Wi-Fi challenges with digital ticketing
 - Use 8:00 as last game
- 3) 1A Division – Update
 - D. Shine and R. Pearson updated the committee on process and July 1, 2025 date coming around the bend
 - Discussion by the committee
- 4) Coaches Topics – Girls and Boys
 - M. Flaherty, boys coaches rep., gave a presentation and handout to the committee; vision of coach’s association: goal of developing student athletes; how to get more student athletes participating; MOV may be impacting “pulling the goalie”
 - Discussion by the committee
- 5) Other
 - Update - Throat/Neck Protectors; committee discussion; working ok; no major challenges
 - R. Pearson mentions current Association topics for information purposes:
 - Ice Hockey Calendar
 - Calendarization - J. Brown mentioned the work of the AD’s on this topic
 - Removing and adding sports
 - D. Shine mentions the coach’s association banquet and academic all-stars which is in collaboration with the MIAA

Meeting adjourned (J. Rudzinsky, J. Brown) 15-0-0

Next Meeting: Fall 2025; TBD