**Northwoods Figure Skating Club**

**November 10th, 2020 6:30pm**

**Zoom**

1. **Call to Order**

Hilary called the meeting to order at 6:31 pm. No additions or corrections to the agenda.

Those present: Hilary, Jamie, Jason, Ali, Sarah, Marni, Jena, Ashley - Coaching director

Absent: Nicole

Guests: Shanda and Jen from show committee

1. **Secretary’s Report: Review meeting minutes from 10-13-2020**

Sarah made a motion to approve last month’s meeting minutes. Jamie 2nd. Vote taken. Motion carried.

1. **Treasurer’s Report**

Jamie made a motion to approve last month’s treasurer’s report. Sarah 2nd. Vote taken. Motion carried.

1. **2020-2021 Fundraising**

Pizza sales forms are due on the 16th.

1. **NFSC Apparel**

At any time, a skater or family member can go to United Team Elite and have an apparel item embroidered. Screen printing has a 6-piece minimum. Glitter or rhinestone print would require an order larger than 6 pieces. Hilary will put a feeler out to see if there are skaters that would like to order club jackets.

1. **Holiday Gift**

No holiday gift this year.

1. **Show Committee**

Shanda and Jen

Met on the 29th. Putting packets together.

Only 2 shows. One on Saturday. One on Sunday. Both at 2 pm.

Packets will be “handed out” on the 15th and 16th.

Packets are due back the following Sunday and Monday.

1. **2020-2021 Sponsorships**

Discussion:

Should the tiered sponsorship plan be off the table this year due to the economic hardship that most businesses are encountering?

Without soliciting for donations, our club will continue to lose money.

There is reservation about asking businesses for money right now.

Maybe we should cut back on some of the “extras” for this year’s show.

A flat donation request and then a smaller promise of advertisement or have skater’s solicit for sponsors as they have in past years. We could simplify the process.

-We will increase the cost of show participation to $115.

-We will be charging for programs. Programs will be pre-order only. There will be no paper copies if you do not pre-order them.

-It was decided that the skaters will ask for donations for a “club sponsor”, as in previous years, a minimum of $100. These donations will be due???

-Show dates are March 6th and 7th

1. **2020-2021: Rice Lake**
   1. **Session 2 update**

First hour Rice Lake set up is going really well, socially distanced, etc. Looking at how we can mirror this in Cumberland.

1. **2020-2021: Cumberland**
   1. **Session 1 Update**

27 skaters

May have to do Learn to Skate for an hour, Free Skate for an hour and Free Style for ½ hour.

1. **Skating Director Report**

Things are going well with mask wearing and distancing.

Cumberland will have 8 coaches which will be nice to spread skaters out.

Sarah made a motion to adjourn. Jena 2nd. Vote taken. Motion carried.

**Next Meeting: December 8th, 2020 Zoom**