

MIAA Ice Hockey Committee
Meeting Minutes – Sept. 30, 2024

1. Call to Order, Welcome & Introductions, New Members
2. Election of Officers
 - Chairman - Dan Shine (M. Mead, S. Paine) 16-0-0
 - Vice-Chairman - Bob Ware (S. Paine, T. Hooten) 15-0-1
 - Secretary - Michael Mead (J. Rudzinsky, S. Paine) 16-0-0
3. Minutes of Previous Meeting – May 7, 2024
 - Move to approve (J. Rudzinsky, M. Mead) 15-0-1
4. Ice Hockey Official Fees 2024-2025
 - 2024-2025 Fees will remain as published
 - Fees will be reviewed during the next budget cycle.
 - Discussion regarding concerns for this upcoming season for the South Shore and Cape
 - Concern by committee members as to impact this may have for this season
 - Chair and Vice Chair to carry forward thoughts of the committee
5. Tournament/Format 2025 - Update
 - Round of 8, Semi-Finals, & Finals
 - Review of the Video Replay policy in Format (if the venue has the capability); Chair and liaison to present to the TMC ; additional discussion of video replay beyond goals (offsides, coaches' challenges, etc.)
 - Review of Overtime Rules
 - Tournament Director Opening, will be appointed ASAP
 - Discussion on Goal Judges as stated in format – Motion to not use goal judges (remove from format) (B. Ware, R. Greer) 16-1-0
6. Girls Ice Hockey
 - Concerns remain about the lack of a Super 8 for both boys and girls
 - Cooperative Teams still a challenge
7. NFHS Rule Changes - Neck Laceration Protectors
 - Must be worn according to manufacturer specifications.
 - Brief discussion to committee of what has been communicated
8. Alignments 2025-2027 - Update

- New Alignments will be published on December 1st.

9. Coaches Topics

- Many topics already discussed
- Super 8/1A
- Official fees
- Neck Laceration Protectors

10. Officials Pre-Season Summit

- Consideration for every other year

11. Other

- Bob Ware announced will apply for TD position

12. Rule Change Proposals - Action - Rules 1-17 & 26

- Committee voted on Rule Change Proposal

Next Meeting:

January 28, 2025 @10:00 AM - Virtual

May 6, 2025 @10:00 AM - In-Person