



**QCHA Agenda
Monday, February 2nd, 2026**

QCHA Board Meeting 6:00pm – 7:00pm CST

The following parties are scheduled to attend the QCHA Board meeting:

**President- Jacob Waterman,
Vice President- Steve Drissel,
Treasurer- Megan Hoffman,
Secretary- Joseph Colombari,
High School Director- John Gray
Travel Director- Josh Orr
House Director- Rich Oswald
At Large- Volunteerism- Tera Jackson
At Large- Asset Management- Bill Osmun
At Large- Community Engagement- Kate Oswald
At Large- Girls Director- Nikki Colombari
Todd Mahoney- Past President
Coaching Director- N/A
Registrar- Steven Clark,
DHSD- Tommy Tsicos,
One Goal- Allen Arndt
Lawrence Alexander- SafeSport Coordinator**

Meeting Agenda: (Come prepared to speak on the following topics)

- I. Call to Order by QCHA President, Jacob Waterman at 6:01 pm**
- II. Approved Absences: Joseph Colombari approved all, Nikki abstained**
- III. Approval of Agenda approved all**
- IV. Approval of Minutes approved all, Todd abstained**
- V. General Update: Jacob Waterman (10 Min) had meeting with rink in January, trying to schedule one in the coming days. Sounds like dasher board deal is being taken away; rink wanting to hire it to outside advertising firm. Oz suggests using removable banners to put up behind home bench during games**
- VI. Storm Committee update: Kate Oswald (10 Min) tentative proposal put together; continuing to work on it. Five year partnership, including staffing a Director of Hockey/Assistant Coach with a split salary between the association and the Storm. Scheduling tournaments, oversight of clinics. Similar to Tommy's position. Storm**



would provide skill specific coaches, cover jerseys, Select and House would be \$20/\$50 to keep, Travel would get practice jerseys and could pay \$100 at end of season to keep. Socks would be provided. Storm opening a pro shop at River's Edge, Storm would designate each week to sponsor an hour ice time to get extra ice time (rotating basis), QCHA players would get free admission to all home Storm games, dasher board at Vibrant, still do 50/50, rebranded as Jr Storm from top to bottom, Storm handle all spirit wear and give percentage back to association (70/30 split which is more than we currently receive), have supplies at RE pro shop and at Vibrant, looking at potential vote at April meeting. Still have association autonomy, potentially giving Storm a voting board position. MWAHA on board; will just need notified of name change, will still be QCHA, Steve brings up what is protection if the Storm folds and what happens if they do to QCHA, will be contractual agreement

- VII. Financial Update: Megan Hoffman (5 Min) Will have budget actuals for January by EOD Friday 2/6. CSDHL calls for \$1000 new association bond one time fee, motion to have association pay for this fee made by Megan, seconded by Kate, no discussion, passed unanimously
- VIII. Dibs and workout equipment Tera Jackson: (5 Min) wanting to update policy for people with injuries dependent on time injured. Off ice workout equipment list created, hopefully get it for this summer, Tera wanting more ideas, will work with Bill to create formal proposal
- IX. Travel Policy Update: Josh Orr (10 min) girls policy separated out, Discipline removed with a reference to QCHA discipline policy/By law 10, NIHL replaced with CSDHL, tryout policy...proposing policy in travel policy go in place and remove existing travel tryout policy, update to who may participate in QCHA travel practices, removing non-roster requests to include HL/girls/AAA players, etc. Concern that more players will leave to play AAA because if they are allowed to practice here, negative by-products. John raised concerns from the Blues and why they didn't allow it and how discipline procedures could be enacted/followed on someone who is not a QCHA player. Josh motions to adopt travel policy, seconded by Todd, friendly amendment from Steve Drisselto adopt changes to end of section 8 to allow any rostered QCHA player to participate in travel practices at the discretion of travel director and coach. Jacob, Oz, and Nikki vote no, 0 abstentions, motion passed.
- Josh motioned to remove existing tryout policy, seconded by Kate. Motion passed unanimously
- X. Goalie Committee: Josh Orr (10 Min) Would like feedback on policy, plan is to vote at April board meeting. Discussed Stanaway goalie clinic with \$10k annual fee that would provide two annual clinics that would include our coaches. Looking at 50% off



ice fees for goalies across association (ice related fees only). Need to be a full time goalie on the team, would be for higher age groups only. Megan to ask Honkamp if Storm pays for goalie camp at Stanaway if those funds can be earmarked or if it is considered fundraising and has to be spread evenly.

XI. Election Update: Rich Oswald (3.5 Min) information sent out with information with bios, has received two applications so far, will work with Steven and Kate to get blasts out

XII. New Business: Bryan needs information for spring/summer programming from directors. Also needs blackout dates from RE.

Oz brought up NIHL offering a spring coed league, 10U-18U. Will run April-June. \$300/team to register. See what kind of interest is out there, using QCHA USAH # but teams fully responsible for all costs. Oz and Josh will explore further.

XIII. Old Business:

Steve motioned to adjourn at 7:27, seconded by Megan

Next Meeting: March 2nd, 2026 6:00 p.m. Rivers Edge Conference Room