

NORTHERN INTERNATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE
SUMMER SCHEDULING MEETING MINUTES
SATURDAY, August 23, 2003 @ MARQUETTE, MI.
11:30 AM at NORTHWOODS SUPPER CLUB
260 Northwoods Road, Marquette 906-228-4343

Associations Present: Keweenaw, Green Bay, Marquette, Cheboygan, Soo Ont. Minor,
Soo Ont. Major, Char – Em; Escanaba, Soo, MI., Traverse City,
Northern Travelers, Alpena: (12)

Associations Absent: Gaylord: (1)

OLD BUSINESS

1. Roll Call; Approved minutes of 05/10/03 & Agenda of 08/23/03.
2. Reviewed 2002-2003 Season.
 - a. Forfeits: Soo, MI (1; PW AA A vs Green Bay); No Fines
 - b. Schedule Changes; Report in writing to Comm. & Stat.
 - c. Playoff Tourney: Good Job.
 - d. Web Page: Need Association Links (6)
3. Fees same as last year. Canadian will be \$450 CD (~ \$318 USD)
4. Scheduling: Complete all NIHL regular Season Games by 02/01/04. MAHA District 8 Tourneys on 01/30 – 02/01/04 for BT A & AA and PW AA in Mqt.
5. MAHA District 7 dates unknown

NEW BUSINESS – Roll Call votes as required

1. New Midget A team from Bay Area Hockey in Green Bay: Approved, 12 F
2. Char Em PW AA to play as NIHL A: Approved, 12 F
3. New Marquette Bantam AA Independent : Denied , 2 F, 3 A, 7 N
4. Proposed Team/Association lineup for 2003 – 2004: see new team matrix
 - a. No Gaylord Teams. TC only scheduling Bantam AA
5. AA Playoff Tourney: Set for weekend of 02/20 to 02/22/ 2004 in Soo, MI. at Big Bear Arena. Division playoff competitors: Change to Two division winners and next Two best records.
6. “A” Playoff Tourney for PW and Bantam A divisions. Dates set for 02/20 to 02/22/2004 at Petoskey, MI. with two ice sheets available. 4g Fr, 8 g Sat, 4g Su (16g total)
 - a. Banners to be provided for Division and Playoff Champions
 - b. Medallions: Gold, Silver and Bronze for top 3 Playoff or Regular Season Teams plus participation medals for 4th place Tourney Teams.
 - c. NIHL to pay for 2004 “A” tourney (same as AA in 2000) as “kickoff.”
7. Changes to Operating Policy: ALL Game Schedule changes must be reported to both teams, Commissioner and VC of NIHL . See Operating Policies on web page
8. Adjourn @ 12:09 pm

Recorded by Mike Drewyor