

# Northern Blades

October 2009

**Attendance:** Shari K., Lauri B., Anna, Kim, Heidi, Renee, Sherry L., Jim V., Ross, Dennis K., and Kristie.

**Welcome Coach Ross:** Shari K. introduced Ross, NSC's new coach. Ross shared a bit about himself. Thanks for coming Ross and welcome!

**Financial Report:** Kristie reported on bills that were paid and deposits made. Heidi reported on NB credit for Summer Sizzle and Frosty Blades.

**Approval on E-mails sent to Club Members:** Heidi wanted this tabled. Ideas were to be brought to the November meeting.

**Testing Ice Costs:** Renee reported on ice costs for test sessions. The goal is to get the club comparable testing ice costs.

**Coats for Club:** NSC Shop to bill NB for coats ordered through the club. Club decided to stay with Mondor coats. Heidi motioned and Sherry L. second the motion.

**Club Skating Session:** A question was brought to the club on whether a second club session was needed for high level skaters. Ross said he would not need evening sessions for his high level skaters. Those skaters would be using morning ice. A suggestion was given for a second club session on Monday evening. This was tabled for a later date.

**Exhibition Skate:** Anna reported that there are 6 skaters so far for the November 1<sup>st</sup> exhibition. Will look into whether we will keep doing this if numbers stay down.

**Club Pins:** Flyer was placed on bulletin board. The Club will sell at National Skate Month event, Frosty Blades and Summer Sizzle.

**National Skate Month Event:** Kim reported that she had ordered items and registered for this event. More info to come.

**Wreath Fundraiser:** Anna reported that 20 skaters participated and the order was to be placed Mon. October 26<sup>th</sup>. Heidi motioned and Kristie second the deadline had passed and Anna was to place the order on time. Thank you Anna for doing this. Great job girls!

**Board and Officer Terms:** Shari K. brought proposed options. Number of Members voted on, Lauri motioned and Heidi second. Terms voted on, Heidi motioned and Shari K. second. Transition proposals were tabled to be rewritten for next meeting. Kristie, Sherry L. and Kim agreed to another year to help with the transition next year. Nominating Committee voted on, Lauri motioned and Kristie second. Age of Board Members voted on, Lauri motioned and Anna second. A Coaches Liaison position was suggested and Heidi will send an email to coaches to inform them of this. This also was tabled for more info.

**Cub Food Bagging Info:** Save the date Sunday November 22<sup>nd</sup> at Blaine Cub Food. Watch for more info.

**Next USFS Testing Date:** Forms are Due November 10<sup>th</sup> for the November 24<sup>th</sup> testing session.

**Next Meeting: Sunday, November 15th at Caribou Coffee by the rink at 6pm**