

Ice Meeting
5.31.08
2:30 p.m.
401 Driveway Street

Attendance:
Sue Ellison
Allison Zusi-Cobb

Members submitted information via email or phone conversation before scheduled meeting:

Allan Family
Burbank Family
Skulstad Family
Starks Family

Summer Ice:
June to Aug 19th (school start date)

To date the club has purchased 121 days of AM ice and 45 days of PM ice at a loss to the club of approximately \$16,000.

The Dipper has not notified the club of any fee changes for the coming year.

Due to Sourdough competition it was decided that the Club would offer Club ice through the competition date on Mondays 1.5 hours am, Wednesdays 1.5 hours am and Fridays 1.5 hours am. Currently the Dipper schedules ice maintenance on Friday morning. Club ice is shown on Friday evening 5:30 to 6:30 which conflicts UAF's freestyle ice offer. The request will be made to acquire the morning slot.

From June 19 to August 19 the club will not purchase club ice.
During the school year ice will be purchased as follows for basic ice. Each 90 minute purchase will equal one session.

Monday PM 5:00 to 6:30
Wednesday AM 6:30 to 8:00
Friday AM 6:30 to 8:00

The user fees will need to change to a flat fee of \$15.00 per session, which is approximately 80% of the cost to purchase if 7 skaters attend.

It was requested by Stella Maxwell that a club representative act as a public relations person between the club and the rinks to preserve rink offered freestyle ice and foster good relations. Ken Starks has volunteered to represent the club.

Ken Starks requested that the full year ice request be prepared with a letter of good will and explanation be provided so that he may submit it to each rink. Sue Ellison will prepare both for the boards approval.

Ken Starks provided the following information about the Polar Ice meeting on Wed. 28th at Polar.

Most all users groups and management of Polar Ice Rink were present.

Financially the rink has lost approximately \$100,000. over the last year. They are looking to sell the rink or shut it down. The hope is that the borough/city will purchase the rink.

All users group present agreed to write a letter to the mayor and request the purchase of Polar Ice rink.

Meeting was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.