

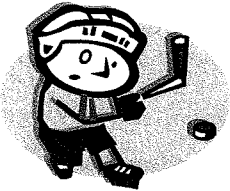
Antigo Area Youth Hockey Assoc.



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Upcoming Dates:

March 2-4—Mite A State Tournament in Antigo
March 9-11—PeeWee Home Tournament
March 16-18—Midget Home Tournament

*Check out our website which
is being kept updated by
Laurie Fleischman
Thanks, Laurie!!
www.antigohockey.com*

ACCEPTING BOARD NOMINATIONS:

The following four board members will be finishing their terms at the end of the hockey season in March: Bill Berg, Laurie Fleischman, Mark Hanke, and Ray Turney. Anyone that is interested in running for a position on the 2007-2008 board of directors should contact a current board member prior to the March board meeting. (A list of current board members is on the back page of this newsletter.) Voting will take place at our spring banquet on March 29th.

Positions Open

The following positions need to be filled for the 2007-2008 hockey season:

- Registrar
- Tournament Scheduler
- Fundraiser Chairperson
- Banner Chairperson

Please contact Becky McPhail (627-4223) if you have any questions about the positions. You will receive your work hours for serving in these positions!

Make a difference — Get Involved!!!

Rink Clean-Up Reminder:

Feb. 12—25	Initiation
Feb. 26—Mar. 11	PeeWee

March Board Meeting

Wednesday, March 14, 2007
7:00 p.m. - Clover Room



AAYHA

Spring Banquet

Thursday, March 29
Knights of Columbus Hall
\$8.00/adult meal
\$6.00 child meal

Tickets will be available from your
Team Mom in March.
Mark your calendars now!

Congratulations!!!

- Squirt B
- Mite A
- Mite B
- Girls

Good luck in your state tournaments!!!

President's Message

Congratulations to the Mite A & B, Squirt B and Girls teams for making it to their State Tournaments. We are hosting the Mite A state tournament this year. You will find a letter enclosed requesting all teams to participate this year. The association does receive money from WAHA for hosting this tournament. Let's help out the Mite A team put on another great Antigo tournament. Good luck to those teams that are still entered in tournaments elsewhere too.

This year has gone so fast already. We have set our Association banquet for March 29. Team moms will be getting their tickets to sell soon. Remember to get your Mel Anderson letters and Hall of Fame letters into any board member or Hall of Fame member before the March board meeting. Also, we are looking for nominations for the AAYHA board. Contact any board member to nominate someone.

*Make a difference — **get involved!***

Becky McPhail, AAYHA President

Dear AAYHA Members,

Back in August, the association applied to host a WAHA state tournament. We were selected to host the Mite A tournament which takes place March 3rd and 4th. Hosting this tournament is very beneficial for both the association and the Antigo area. Our association receives \$5000 from WAHA to host the tournament...not to mention the additional money that is brought in from the concession stand and raffle items.

The Antigo Mite A team, the tournament organizers, would like your help. We are asking that each association family contribute to the tournament in a couple ways. First, we are asking for a small donation to the potluck dinner for the visiting teams. We have come up with a food signup by teams:

- Mite A – Buns, cheese, condiments, meat
- Squirt B- Chips or dip
- Squirt A – Veggies
- PeeWee – Fruit
- Bantams – Cookies or dessert

Food can be brought to the rink anytime on Saturday.

Secondly, we are asking that the teams get together to purchase a raffle prize. Theme baskets seem to work well so we have come up with a signup by teams for this as well. You can contribute anything that would go along with the theme of the basket (and it doesn't need to be expensive):

- Mite A – Money Tree
- Squirt B – Girl Basket
- Squirt A – Boy Basket
- Pee Wee – Movie Basket
- Bantam – Sports Basket

Please give these items to your team mom and we will put the basket together for you. Please have the items to your team mom by February 28th.

And lastly, if you still need winter hours, we will have a sign up sheet posted on the bulletin board if you would like to help out at the raffle table, scorers booth, penalty box, or zamboni. I understand that many of you have had your tournaments already and are probably "maxed out" with donating this and that. However, please keep in mind that this is considered a "fundraiser" for our entire association. Although it is a Mite A state tournament, the burden should not be entirely on the Antigo Mite A team. Also, in order to be considered for future state tournaments, we need to make it a good event for those visiting our rink.

Thank you in advance for helping the association. If you have any question, please call Nancy Wegter (627-4483) or myself (627-7185.)

Stephanie Bartletti

Hall of Fame Nominations

How is the Hall of Fame award selected?

1. Dependability
2. Reliability
3. Family oriented
4. Interest in the program
5. Ambassador for the organization
6. Dedication
7. Continued interest over the years
8. Role model for all



If you know of a person who fits this description, please send a written letter of recommendation to include offices held, jobs done, and time spent for the association. Send to AAYHA, P.O. Box 462, Antigo by March 7. Please write "Hall of Fame" on the outside of the envelope. The award will be presented at the annual hockey banquet on March 29.

Mel Anderson Award

Every year, the Mel Anderson award is given to the skater who best exemplifies AAYHA and the sport of hockey, on and off the ice. Please give your written letter of recommendation to any board member in a sealed envelope, or mail it to AAYHA, P.O. Box 462, Antigo by March 7. Please write "Mel Anderson Award" on the outside of the envelope. The award will be presented at the annual hockey banquet on March 29.

March Game Schedule:

March 2-4—Mite A State Tournament in Antigo.
 Away(Sat.): Squirt A @ Shawano 10:00
 Squirt B @ Marinette 11:30
 March 9-11—PeeWee Home Tournament
 Away:(Sat.): Mite A @ Marinette 9:30
 March 16-18—Midget Home Tournament

AAYHA Concession Schedule—March

Mite 3A State Tournament

Sat, March 3	7:00-11:00 11:00-3:00 3:00-Close	Turunen, VanOoyen, Verhagen Waldvogel, Walentowski, Wegter Weix, West, Will
Sun, March 4	8:00-12:00 12:00-4:00 4:00-close	Williams, Wittrock, Wolter Yarie, Young, Zahurones Madrzak, Matucheski, McPhail* (* see note below)

PeeWee Tournament Weekend

Fri, March 9	5:00-Close	Zalewski, Zamora, Zarda
Sat, March 10	8:00-12:00 12:00-4:00 4:00-Close	Auner, Bartletti, Below Best, Bradley, Brooks Bunnell, Caudell, Czerneski
Sun, March 11	8:00-12:00 12:00-Close	Darling, Easker, Eckerman Falk, Filbrandt, Fleischman

Midget Tournament Weekend

Fri, March 16	5:00-Close	Geiger, Gilbert, Guenther
Sat, March 17	7:00-11:00 11:00-3:00 3:00 -Close	Hanke, Hayes, Horn Howard, Jansen, Kautza Kiper, Kirsch, Krueger
Sun, March 18	7:00-11:00 11:00-Close	Kubacki, Langseth, Levis Lewis, J Lund, Madeson

 There has been an additional shift added to the March 4th kitchen scheduled from 4:00-close, to accommodate the Senior try-outs and the Figure Skating Showcase. This was added AFTER the Midget Tourn. schedule was added.

Sun, March 4	8:00-12:00 12:00-4:00 4:00-Close	Williams, Wittrock, Wolter Yarie, Young, Zahurones Madrzak, Matucheski, McPhail
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The concession schedule is done in alphabetical order – any deviation is not intentional other than NEW MEMBERS. This year the board approved going through the alphabet one time and then adding the NEW MEMBERS into the schedule. NEW MEMBERS will only be assigned 2 shifts throughout the winter.

If you are unable to work your shift, it is your responsibility to find a replacement – NO EXCEPTIONS.

All missed shifts will result in a charge of \$15.00 per hour.

Name in **BOLD** is responsible for opening or closing.