

MINUTES KBC Meeting July 21, 2016

Meeting opened at 7:06 pm

Attendees: Rosalie, Christine, Mike, Heather, Karen, Warren

Special Guests: Penny from Badminton BC, Scot Young

Regrets: Andy, Tony, Donna

1. Nomination of Christine as Junior Director - unanimously approved
2. No agenda to approve for this month, due to presentation by Badminton BC
3. Presentation from Penny/Badminton BC
 - Funding is available (through reimbursement of travel receipts) for travel for junior A events
 - focus is to promote badminton at the elementary & high school level, by finding a teacher within the school that will promote it; City of Kelowna is currently running a badminton program through a ladder at OKM

BBC providing support in 3 ways:

- 1. Develop resources
- 2. Gaming Applications - Badminton BC can show us how to start an application for a gaming grant
- 3. Support during transition of Society Act - Penny recommends we get sample of model bylaws from BBC; bylaws to be introduced at next AGM
 - Pkg of info on Society's Act transition - Penny will send link to Mike C.

New Horizons for seniors- offers funding

257 seniors playing in 55+ games

Sanctioned tournaments:

- club has to be member of Badminton BC; 3 tiers of club affiliation
- fill out form & pay \$65
- Tiered membership structure: \$5/member for insurance, etc.
- "A" Tournaments - Badminton BC now part of Canada National database, with additional fees of \$25 for a total of \$60 for competitive members

On-line Payment System - Penny recommends that we partner with City, which uses "Class" system

Penny raised the issue of Para-Badminton, which is not really an option to develop for us, given that we have an Access problem in our building

4. Approval of Minutes from last meeting - approved after one addition made regarding discussion about junior program

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 pm?