



Mission Statement: It is the objective of Special Olympics North Bay to develop, promote, and guide Special Olympic athletes in a lifetime of activities. Special Olympic North Bay shall provide leadership to promote programs in which participants may safely achieve their goals to their potential.

Énoncé de mission: C'est l'objectif des *Olympiques spéciaux North Bay* de développer, promouvoir et guider les athlètes des olympiques spéciaux vers une vie active (dans une d'activités). *Olympiques spéciaux North Bay* doit fournir un leadership afin de promouvoir des programmes dans lesquels les participants peuvent atteindre leurs objectifs en toute sécurité et en réalisant leur plein potentiel.

Date: December 19 , 2016

Location: Wacky Wings

Attendance: Shannon Johnson, Sam Larmand, Lisa Knight , Amy Lake , Sue Lang, Heather Grigg , Bev Phippen , Diane Woods , Diane Windsor and Liz Deschene

AGENDA

1.0 Due to privacy issues minutes of last meeting waived as minutes read by committee prior to Christmas dinner meeting

2.0 Community Coordinators Report:

- Our share from the OHL Big Game was approximately \$700.00
- We received a \$380.00 donation from the Magic Show held at the Davedi Club
- November 19th - 7 NipU students and new committee member Diane Windsor were coach certified
- All coaches will receive a token of appreciation on Athlete Appreciation night
- Nominations for Male/Female Athlete of the year, Coach of the year and the Peer choice to be done by ballot

- Joe Dunn and Jackelyn Osborne have been endorsed for the Provincial games in the sport of Bocce
- 2 new snowshoeing coaches have come on board
- Cross country skiing will now be a generic sport with athletes skiing on their own
- Fundraising letter needed for the first week in January for the prize table at the Polar Plunge

3.0 Community Fundraiser Report:

- Defer till next meeting

4.0 Media Relations Report:

- Ad asking for volunteers will be sent to media as well as posted on the community board at Community Counselling Centre
- Dance dates to be sent to media
- Dance-a-thon will be moved to May

5.0 Registrar's Report:

- Defer to next meeting

6.0 Treasurer's Report:

- Bank balances as of November 30, 2016 are General Acct: \$5262.38
Trust Acct: \$6262.38

7.0 Sports Update:

- **All sports have wrapped up for Christmas break**
- Nominations for S/O Athlete of the Year for the Sports Hall of Fame are needed by January 9th
- Bowling : returns January 8th
- Basketball : returns January 10th
- Snowshoeing : starts January 12th
- Powerlifting : returns January 2nd on Monday and Fridays
- February 19th is the Chris Thacker Memorial Powerlifting tournament
- February 24th & 25th is the year end basketball tournament in Peterborough at a cost of \$50.00/athlete
- February 28th : dryland training for all Provincial athletes at One Kids Place at

6:15

- When snowshoeing ends, dryland training for Bocce will begin Thursday nights
- March 4th - Polar Plunge

Next meeting will be January 16th at F.J. at 6pm

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO EVERYONE