

Year End Report, 2nd Vice

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The 2nd Vice position, this year, was responsible for securing sponsorship for recreational teams and for the U11 development team, organizing a gear swap, facilitating team and individual photos, coordinating with Royal LePage for the Sharing the Christmas Spirit Hamper program, organizing the Association's annual raffle, facilitating celebrations for Minor Hockey Day in Canada for the teams, inputting recreational game play into HiSports/Spordle, assisting with the mentorship program, distributing equipment to all teams as well as distributing goalie equipment, as it was needed, to any player wishing to play as a goalie and needing equipment. The 2nd Vice position also organized a jersey sale for the old jerseys.

Sponsorships were secured for all recreational teams and the U11 development team, with the exception of the U7 teams that are sponsored by Tim Hortons and the U11 recreational teams that are sponsored by McDonalds. One U11 recreational team did have an additional sponsor. The Association moved from Sponsor Bars to Banners that were displayed at each of the three arenas - SC1, SC2 and GG. A gear swap was held in August. Several families and the Glacier Kings filled the lobby at SC2 with gear for sale. The sale was well attended by several additional families. Team and individual photos were held during the first week of November. For the younger players, the team photos continued to be combined from individual photos but the older teams were able to sit for team photos together again this year. Families were able to order photos through an online link and the orders were distributed prior to Christmas. All teams participated in the Royal LePage Sharing the Christmas Spirit Christmas Hamper program. CVMHA filled hampers for 31 families. The Association-wide annual raffle was held in mid-December with ticket sales occurring the two preceding months. Two-thirds of tickets were sold. \$6770 worth of prizes were awarded and \$15 280 was raised for the Association. The majority of the money raised was set aside for the Association's rebranding. All teams were provided with funds to celebrate Minor Hockey Day in Canada, during the month of February. All recreational games, for league play, exhibition games and tournaments, were input into HiSports/Spordle. A mentorship program was started in October. Players in U15 and U18, and then expanded to include players in U13, who were interested in being mentors for younger players were given an on-ice training session and then assigned to U7, U9, U11 or U13 teams to help when they were available. An inventory of all equipment was conducted through the month of August in order to distribute pucks, cones, pinnies, first aid kits and jerseys to teams at season start-up. Socks were distributed after team photos were completed in order to ensure that teams could have matching socks at their team photos. The goalie equipment was also organized, inventoried and distributed to goalies, as needed, throughout the season. In February, a jersey sale was conducted to sell the old jerseys that had been in storage for years.