## Minutes for EIFSC Board Meeting 8/11/11

Members present: Melissa Haars, Susan Blocker, Becky LeDuc, Michelle Thornton, Michelle Catlett and Kristen Clark

Meeting called to order at 6:48 pm

Election of officers: Hollie Braid, Secretary

Kecia Farr was appointed to the board

New members were approved. Michelle Catlett has a list of members from last year that are likely to renew membership. She and Becky LeDuc will be contacting those members

## Calendar of Events:

- Melissa Haars reported that the Rough Rider schedule is still not finalized, so there has been no progress on setting up the club's competition for March of 2012
- Exhibition to coincide with "Skate with Santa" Kristen Clark reported that Amy Blades is willing to participate and Meilissa Haars reported that Echo Cassill would like to be involved as well.
- Further discussion around working with other clubs to increase participation in local events. Suggestions were made to have a point system or series of patches as a way to reward the commitment of the skaters
- Still no information on Snowflake Classic due to lack of figure skating director
- Iowa Games Sue to call to find out if ice skating will be in Cedar Rapids or Dubuque next year

Club Ice: The schedule is finished and Melissa will email out

Club Competition: Need volunteers to handle different areas like housing, promotion, etc

Discussed ways to increase membership by trying to include Basic Skills skaters. Suggestions of pot lucks, informational workshops were discussed

Discussed the competitions the club wants to bid on. The decision was made to indicate our interest in the following competitions:

- 2013 Adult Sectionals
- 2013 Adult Championships
- 2014 Regionals
- 2014 Sectionals
- 2014 Synchro Sectionals

Meeting adjourned at 7:57pm. The next meeting will be September 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm.

Hollie Braid, Secretary

8/12/11