



BUFFALO PLAINS RINGETTE ASSOCIATION

Annual General Meeting

7:00pm, April 26, 2023

Ecole White City School - Library

1. Call Meeting to Order - By Cara Kirkham at 7:03pm

2. Adoption of Agenda

- Motion to adopt agenda: Denise Corbin
- Seconded by: Daegan Moore

Note: Quorum was met with more than fifteen (15) eligible voters in attendance, as per the BPRC Constitution.

3. Board Member Reports (attached to minutes)

- President – Cara Kirkham
- Vice President – Denise Corbin
- Treasurer – Angela Charlebois
- Registrar – Jamie Mokry
- Coaching – Amanda Dauk
- Sport Development – Vacant
- Scheduling – Ken Nagy
- Website – Nathan Kirkham
- Tournament – Ian Bonnell
- Policy and Fundraising – Jeff Paterson
- Equipment Manager – Colleen Butz-Purdue
- Bingo – Cherie Young

4. Commissioner Reports (attached to minutes)

- Children's Ringette – Denise Corbin/Jen Kreklewich
- U12 – Melissa Wasilow
- U14 – Daegen Moore
- U16+ – Crystal Laverdiere

5. New Business

a. Review of the 2022-23 financial statements

Budget update is provided in the Treasurer Report. Year End Financials will be completed following our year end.

b. Financial Review/Audit - Decision Item

Overview: Last financial audit was completed following the 2020-21 year end. At the 2021-22 AGM, members voted in favor of waiving/deferring a financial audit.

Motion: BPRC resolves to not appoint a person to conduct a review of the financial statements of the association for the 2023-24 season. Motioned by Angela Charlebois, seconded by Francine Brule

Vote: Carried (20 voters / 95% in favor)

c. Constitution Update - Decision Item

i. Community Recreation Board Representative

Motion: The BPRC Constitution will be amended to remove the position of Community Recreation Board Representative for each community rink as board position(s). There has not been representation of the community rinks at a board meeting in over 2 years. Motioned made by Ian Bonnel, seconded by Amanda Dauk.

Vote: Carried (20 voters, 100% in favor)

ii. Changes to Voting Positions

Motion: The BPRC Constitution will be amended to allow one representative from Children's Ringette (sub-committee or commissioner), and the commissioner from U12, U14, U16, U19+ divisions to receive BPRC voting rights. Motion by Amanda Dauk, seconded by Ian Bonnel.

Vote: Carried (20 votes, 100% in favor)

d. Executive Positions - Decision Item

- President - One nomination accepted - Amanda O'Donnell.

Vote: 20 votes, 100% in favor.

Amanda O'Donnell will be BPRC President for a two year term starting immediately.

- Treasurer - One nomination accepted - Angela Charlebois

Vote: 19 votes, 1 abstained, 100% in favor.

Angela Charlebois continues as BPRC President for another two year term starting immediately.

e. Open Board Positions - Individuals interested in filling any of the following roles are requested to reach out to a BPRC Board Member.

- Director, Sport/Player Development
- Director, Officiating
- Scheduling (current Scheduler will train new Scheduler)
- BP Charge Tournament Coordinator

6. Adjourn - Motion to adjourn by Cara Kirham at 7:46pm.

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1. President Report - Cara Kirham

The 2022-2023 season was a completely “normal” season with zero covid influence, a very welcome change compared to the previous 2 seasons.

The rebrand of BPRA was kicked off at the beginning of the season, bringing a new logo and a story of how this new logo was chosen. 2 sets of jerseys were ordered and given to the U14 division to try out the reversible set vs the regular home and away set. The equipment manager will take the feedback from the teams and decide which type we move forward with.

The rebrand also coincided with the new website run off the TeamLinkt platform to align with Ringette Regina.

During the offseason, a sub-committee met numerous times and developed a timeline outlining when time sensitive tasks must be completed before, throughout, and after the season. This committee also focused on streamlining evaluations and it proved to be very influential on getting the coaches and teams selected earlier.

There were a couple of new policies implemented, one being the Equipment and Performance Bond that was later rescinded due to lack of clarity. The second being the Open Team Registration Policy to align with Regina Ringette.

BPRA joined ROAR (Ringette Officiating Association of Regina) this season to handle all the scheduling of the officials, due to the void of this board position. This collaboration proved to have both positives and negatives that should continue to be worked on in seasons to come.

Spring and Fall 3 on 3 were both run successfully again this season.

BPRA’s first European Team, the U16 Impact completed their 2 years together and traveled to Europe for exhibition games and a tournament. Regina Ringette had the same type of team, and the same type of challenges this season with which division the team should play for adequate competition. Regina Ringette has implemented a policy for these special type of teams, that I recommend BPRA adopt.

Thank you to all the board members for your support and collaboration during my time on the board. It has been a pleasure working alongside each of you, and I am grateful for the friendships we have developed.

2. Vice-President Report - Denise Corbin

Congratulations to all the BP teams, coaches, volunteers and families on a successful 2022-23 season!

During this season, the transition to the Children's Ringette program continued. It is recognized that our Children's Ringette program is the foundation of BPRA's future. We will continue to work on ways to improve the Children's ringette program in collaboration with Regina Ringette, Saskatoon Ringette Association and the Ringette Association of Saskatchewan to help ensure players, parents and volunteers stay engaged and player development occurs. Thank you so much to all the players, parents and volunteers who participated and supported Fun 1, 2, and 3 throughout the season.

With the change of websites to TeamLinkt, communications to members was improved greatly by allowing updates to be sent to the required targeted audiences in a timely fashion. In addition, efforts were made in 2022-23 to increase BPRA's presence on social media, including FaceBook and Instagram. This is an area that BPRA can continue to grow to support engaging new and existing players and promoting ringette as a sport to our communities and broader public.

Working closely with Regina Ringette on promotional activities, disciplinary actions and changes to policy will continue to be a focus for the upcoming season. As the VP, I am also looking forward to being the liaison with ROAR to improve our relationship and referees.

Wishing everyone a wonderful spring/summer and looking forward to a successful 2023-24 season!

3. Treasurer Report - Angela Charlebois

**Copy of Operational Budget is attached*

General

- The decision was made to increase the cost of registration fees this year to cover increasing costs for the association, particularly ice rental which increased by approximately 3% over last season.
- Switching to TeamLinkt has resulted in improved reporting for payment of registration fees.
- In the past, the December Charge tournament has operated separately from the BRPA general account but starting in the next fiscal year, the account and funds associated with the tournament will be rolled into the general account and will be included in the budget and financial statements going forward. The raffle revenue from the most recent tournament has already been incorporated.

Reffing

- Switching to having ROAR manage refs this year resulted in significantly less work each month to pay refs, however, the manual calculation for each teams ref fees remains. We are dependent on ROAR to provide us with the data at the end of the first and second half. Getting the final amounts calculated and sent to teams at the end of the season is important so that teams can close off their bank accounts. The association should continue to work to find improvements to this process.

Grants

- BPRA received \$500 from the Town of Balgonie Lottery Grant
- BPRA received \$3,200 from the Town of Pilot Butte Lottery Grant
- BPRA received \$1,961.34 from the Town of White City Recreation Board Grant
- BPRA anticipates receiving ~\$8,000 from the Membership Assistance Program (MAP) from Ringette
- Association of SK
- Overall, grant funding is expected to decrease from last year

Revenue/Expenses - Projected for May 31, 2023

- Revenue: \$174,302
- Expenses: \$156,846
- Revenue over Expenditures: \$17,457
- The association is in a much healthier financial situation compared to this time last year due to increased registration revenue and prudent cost management.

Buffalo Plains Ringette Association						
Operational Budget						
June 1, 2022 - May 31, 2023						
	2022-23 Budget	2022-23 YTD	Remaining	Outstanding	YEE	Variance
Revenue						Notes
Player Registration	144,000	138,670	5,330	200	1,38,870	(5,130)
Skills	10,000	14,455	(4,455)		14,455	4,455
Provincial and Municipal Grants	18,000	5,098	12,902	9,600	14,698	(3,302)
Other	500	6,279	(5,779)		6,279	5,779
Total Revenue	172,500	164,502	7,998	9,800	174,302	(1,802)
Expense						
Ice Rental	141,416	134,981	6,435	2,000	1,36,981	4,435
Equipment	2,000	50	1,950		50	1,950
Administrative	1,000	79	921		79	921
Officiating & Mentorship	3,500	5,472	(1,972)	(4,000)	1,472	2,028
Events & Sponsorships	500	0	500		0	500
Insurance	17,000	16,273	728		16,273	728
Other	4,000	1,991	2,009		1,991	2,009
Total Expense	169,416	158,846	10,570	(2,000)	156,846	12,570
Excess of Revenues over Expenditures:	3,084	5,657			17,457	

Funds not yet received for two grants
December Charge raffle revenue is now reflected here

April ice for 3 on 3 outstanding
Ref fees outstanding for 2nd half

4. Bingo Coordinator Report - Cherie Young

- BINGO contract has been renewed.
- BPRA families continue to work the BINGOs.

5. Coaching Development Report - Amanda Dauk

On behalf of the BPRA Board, I would like to extend our appreciation to all of the head and assistant coaches who volunteered this season. Coaching takes a lot of time and effort and it's not always easy, so for that, THANK YOU!

During the 2022/23 season, we had 14 head coaches, 44 assistant coaches and one junior coach. Of the head coaches, five were female, making it easier to accommodate the female on the bench requirement. We also had three trainers registered this year. Thank you to these volunteers as well – your dedication to your teams and the well-being of the athletes is greatly appreciated and valued!

Coaching clinics were provided through a hybrid model of in-person and online learning. We had a couple coaches take online clinics offered by other provinces which was very helpful as it provided additional opportunity to complete the RAS required certifications and training.

This season, RAS enforced their bench staff first aid requirement, in which one member of each team's bench staff must be certified in first aid/CPR. This requirement, although somewhat challenging, was met by every team. BPRA will be discussing potential improvements with RAS in regards to this requirement, which we hope to be in place for next season.

Again, thank you to the coaches and trainers for teaching our athletes sport-related and life skills. Thank you for your mentorship, for your guidance and for supporting one another. We hope to see you at the rink next year!

6. Equipment Coordinator Report - Colleen Butz-Purdue

Equipment Distribution and Return

- Will have equipment hand out and returned by divisions next season for organizational purposes and efficiency. There will be time slots implemented for each age group moving forward.

Jerseys

- Two new sets of jerseys were purchased for the U14 division. One set was reversibles. Overall, feedback on jerseys was positive. Sizing was quite large, so they may be better suited for U16. Material and thickness on reversible and regular style jerseys are the same and both styles held up in terms of condition other than some Velcro marks from equipment. Not sure of the durability in comparison to the thicker old style jerseys as far as longevity goes.
- For storage reasons it makes the most sense to go the reversible route. Jersey replacement plans will be discussed with the board in terms of continuing with the rebranding initiative with more new sets in the seasons to come.
- Going through all jerseys and will be purging the oldest sets, giving away the Tim Bits jerseys at come try events and fixing any damaged jerseys and garment bags over the summer.

Other Equipment and Supplies

- There are lots of pads, however some need attention/repairs.
- May invest in a couple more blockers and Keely's as supply is very limited, especially in younger divisions.
- Other than that all supplies are well stocked and in good condition.

Equipment Deposit (Performance Bond)

- Recommends the performance bond being implemented for equipment return purposes as well as volunteer purposes. Several teams still need to return equipment for 2022-23..

7. Policy and Fundraising Report - Jeff Paterson

Fundraising and Policy Report

Fundraising Report:

The MEGA 50/50 fundraiser has been discontinued and replaced with proceeds from the December Charge Tournament. BPRA teams will not be provided a refund from the December Charge Tournament. The fundraiser position obtains the lottery licences from SLGA. Please see Tournament update for funds raised.

Recommendations:

- Have a board discussion if another form of fundraising is still something the association wishes to continue.
- Ensure any SLGA permitted fundraising activities are deposited into SLGA approved account(s).

Policies Report:

The association has the following policies/guidelines in place:

General

Buffalo Plains Ringette Association Constitution
BPRA Board Member Roles and Responsibilities

Upcoming Policies

Travelling Team Policy – TBD

Conduct Policies

Appeal Policy (BPRA)
Confidentiality Policy (BPRA)
Discipline and Complaint Policy (BPRA)
Dressing Room Guideline (BPRA)
Parent Code of Conduct Policy (BPRA)
Privacy Policy (BPRA)
Social Media Policy (BPRA)
Team Selection Policy (BPRA) 2022
Trans-Inclusion Policy (Regina)

Team Formation Policy and Procedure

Player Movement Policy (BPRA)
Player Movement Form (BPRA)
Coach Selection Policy (BPRA)
Registration Policy (BPRA)
Open Team Registration Policy (BPRA) 2022
Equipment & Performance Bond (BPRA) 2022
Volunteer Tracking Form (BPRA) 2022

Playing Rules, Policies and Procedures

Regina Ringette Playing Rules (Regina)
Affiliate Player (Temporary Promotion) Procedure (Regina)
Event Sanctioning Policy (Regina)
Game Change Procedure (Regina)
Game Sheet and Game Score Policy (Regina)
Sample Score Sheet (Regina)
Shot Clock Operation (Regina)
Team Bank Account Letter (BPRA) 2023

In September 2020 the Buffalo Plains Ringette Association incorporated as a non-profit corporation. A non-profit corporation can earn a profit, however, the profit must be used to further the goals of the Association and not be used to pay its members.

Why Incorporate?

- Recognized as a legal entity having rights and responsibilities.
- Liability of the members is limited (members are not personally liable for debts of the corporation);
- Continuity of the association is assured while the membership changes;
- Increase chances of receiving government grants due to stability of association;
- Can own property in its name.

What were the costs to incorporate?

- It costs approximately \$100 to incorporate.
- The association can opt to have an external accountant review the financials yearly. This will cost approximately \$2500-\$3000/year. This will help ensure the associations financial statements are in conformity with financial reporting frameworks.
- The association opted out of having an external audit for 2022-23.

8. Registration Report - Jamie Mokry

The Buffalo Plains Ringette Association had 239 ringette players registered for the 2022/2023 season. This is a slight decrease from last year's total of 266. This is primarily due to one less Open team in the association this season. Still an area of concern is a decrease in the number of youth ringette players for the 4th consecutive year down from 181 in the prior year to 175 this season. There were 14 new ringette players this year in our association compared to 26 new ringette players last season. The registration breakdown by division is as follows:

<u>Division</u>	<u># of Teams</u>	<u>New Registrants</u>	<u>Returning Registrants</u>	<u>Total Registrants</u>	<u>2021/22 Comparison</u>	<u>2020/21 Comparison</u>
Children's Ringette – Fun 1	1	5	4	9	9	13
Children's Ringette – Fun 2	2	4	15	19	25	17
Children's Ringette – Fun 3	2	3	19	22	22	39
U12 (Petit)	2	1	25	26	32	24
U12 A (Petit)	1	-	13	13	15	13
U14 (Tween)	2	1	23	24	25	45
U14 AA (Tween)	1	-	15	15	15	13
U16 (Junior)	2	-	31	31	38	21
U19 (Belle)	1	-	17	17	-	12
Subtotal	14	14	162	176	181	197
U19+ (Open)	4	-	63	63	85	44
Grand Total:	18	14	225	239	266	241

For the 2022/2023 season registrations fees were \$400 for FUN 1 & FUN 2, \$800 for all other youth registrants. New registrants continue to receive a 50% discount in their registration fees.

9. Scheduling Report - Ken Nagy

- The 2022/23 year consisted of 663 scheduled ice times including fall 3 on 3, A and AA camps and tryouts, come try ringette, fall 3 on 3, regular season, as well as playoffs and spring 3 on 3.
- Gym sessions ran Monday nights from October to March.
- Each team received about 38 practice ice times. This is 3 more than previous years. If we continue to lose teams / members then we will likely have to consider giving up some weekend ice. This is a difficult choice as once given up it would be very difficult to get back.
- 2023 /24 ice has been reserved for U14 AA and U12 A tryouts and practices, Come Try Ringette, Fall 3 on 3, evaluations, and regular season.
- Ice costs for next year are not yet confirmed.

10. Website - Nathan Kirkham

BPRA moved website platforms from Goalline to TeamLinkt during the off-season to align with RRA. The transformation was successful thanks to the great support from our TeamLinkt account manager that was able to link our association to RRA and allow registration and scheduling to happen with ease.

Practice schedules still need some work to be completed using the template that is easily uploaded into TeamLinkt. Website coordinator to work with scheduler during the early part of the season to get this functional and allow the scheduler to do the uploading.

Payments for registration and other team fees are set with Stipe pay, which is the company that TeamLinkt uses. This has proven to work well, but there is a high and inconsistent fee for doing so. Treasurer and website coordinator may look at other methods of payment, such as e-transfer.

11. Sport/Player Development Report - Vacant (no report)

12. Tournament Coordinator Report - Ian Bonnel

The 2022 December Charge showcased some excellent ringette early into everyone's season. The volunteer team did a tremendous job of ensuring the tournament ran smoothly. The schedule could have been better, and we have carried some lessons forward to prevent the same backlog we had in 2022.

Some highlights of the tournament included the medal games, where competition was incredibly intense. Also, the video compilation of our teams was well done, and we were thankful for the effort everyone put toward making that come to fruition. It made for a lovely keepsake of the tournament and all those involved.

This year's tournament raised \$5617.05. In addition, we were given \$1056.67 from the grants we applied for from SLGA. Our total amount raised from the tournament was \$6,673.72. In previous years, we have returned up to 75% to the teams as a thank-you to all the volunteers for their effort to make the tournament happen. This year, as a Board, we decided to use the money to help pay for the association's re-brand and gradually re-purchase jerseys with the new logo. Over the past few years, the increase in costs of everything in our post-pandemic world has impacted BPRA, and because of COVID, fundraising for the association has been more difficult. The decision to keep the funds to pay for these increased costs and the re-brand was not taken lightly, but it has allowed us to weather the challenges of increased costs more efficiently.

Despite our decision, we must reiterate our gratitude to everyone who helped make the tournament happen. The tournament allows us to showcase our association, a perennial powerhouse; these funds help ensure the association can continue long into the future.

Thank you, everyone.

13. Childrens Ringette Report - Jennifer Kreklewich

Children's Ringette this year had 1 fun-1, 2 fun2 and 2 fun 3. All 5 of these teams were smaller numbers so these kids definitely saw a lot of ice.

Fun 1 (no feedback provided by teams)

- Struggled through the season with their numbers.
- they didn't have commitment from all of their players which resulted in their numbers being smaller. At some points during the season, players were “borrowed” from Regina as they had bigger rosters.
- Fun 1 did not like the weeks of excess ice. As per guidelines they are to have ice once a week and some weeks we ran into 3-4 with games and practices.
- I arranged ice help for the first bit of the season, after which they felt they were doing okay and didn't need it in the second half.

Fun 2

- Very successful teams this year from both Fun2. Both had lots of ice time and strong teams; almost to the point where Regina was not to excited to play them as they were "too strong".
- Coaches say most of these kids would be ready for fun 3 next year based on their skill!

Fun 3

- Very successful season.
- Fun 3 feels evaluation needs to be more for the Fun program. I.e. evaluation on a 1-5 instead of a 1-3.
- A Lot of concerns with reffing. Requested more support from senior refs while Jr refs are learning, so can be more supported.
- One concern raised was having Regina players registered in BPRA.
- Fun 3 wants registration raised so we can all have the new jerseys but also feel our goalie equipment needs a big upgrade!
- Fun 3 would like to see one full ice practice a month.

We hosted our first Jamboree for BPRA! I felt this was a great success and everyone had a lot of positive things to say.

14. U12 Commissioner Report - Melissa Wasilow

U12B Thunder

We had a great Season for U12B.

Team Thunder attended four tournaments- taking a medal in all of them, and placing third in city playoffs. I was quite concerned and not 100% supportive of all of the preseason player movement.

I felt our reffing this year lacked support. We have very junior refs that either did not make any calls or were unconfident in their ability on the ice. I would like to see more support for our younger refs, and continuation of this support throughout the season.

We had plenty of local ice. I also continue to enjoy dryland and the fun a team can have with this.

U12B Rage - No report provided.

U12A BPRA Rush

The BP Rush had a fun and successful season on and off the ice. The team played in the U14 loop of the Regina league and definitely held their own against the teams in their league. This challenging regular season schedule helped the Rush develop into a very strong U12A team. So much so that they were able to finish their season with a perfect undefeated record against U12A teams from Alberta, SK and Manitoba.

The team participated in 6 tournaments over the course of the season: the Brass Ring in Beaumont, AB, the BPRA December Charge, The Jim Benning in Regina, The Golden Ring in Calgary, AB, The City of Bridges in Saskatoon and the Western Cup in White City. The Rush were able to come away with 6 gold medals including an exciting season finale Western Cup Victory to conclude their season in late March.

15. U14 Commissioner Report - Daegen Moore

This season we had one U14AA team and two B teams. The AA team held evaluations in August of 2022 with the B teams evaluating in September.

We were lucky enough to have 4 players from the U12 division move up to U14, including a goalie. This allowed us to move one U14 goalie into U16 to fill the gap as U16 had no goalies registered other than the two on the Impact's Roster.

All three U14 teams had very successful years both on and off the ice. Many medals were won and memories were made. The players developed their skills and worked hard, which is evident in their achievements throughout the year. On top of all the medals from tournaments, the U14B Renegades won Gold and the U14B Warriors won Bronze in the League playoffs.

The U14B teams were able to test the new jerseys (with our new logo) during the 2nd half of the season. Overall feedback was very positive from both teams.

I'd like to extend a big thank you to the coaches, managers, treasurers, and any additional volunteers I might have missed. Your hard work, investment, and time spent with our athletes ensure their continued growth and success. BPR is recognized for our strong, competitive teams and we couldn't do it without you.

U14AA Rush – provided by Cherie Young

The Rush had a very busy season. The athletes bonded on and off the ice and made some long-lasting friendships along the way. With Manitoba going to the high-performance plan this season, we had to travel to Alberta for all of our competitions.

We attended a number of tournaments throughout the season. They included the Rusty Ring (Cochrane) in September, the Bernadette Price Tournament (Saskatoon) in November, The Wood Tournament (Leduc) in December, the BP Charge Tournament (December), The Esso Golden Ring Tournament (Calgary) in January, Provincials (Saskatoon) in March and the Western Canadian Ringette Championships (Winnipeg) in March. We were scheduled to attend the Jim Benning Tournament in January as well, however, they canceled our division.

Even though we did not medal at every tournament, we were able to keep the gap of competition between our team and the Alberta teams at a minimum. We did come away with 1 bronze, 1 silver, and 1 gold medal this season.

For league, we played in a mixed loop which included the U14A, U16A, and U16AA. We did play a couple of the U16B teams at the start of the season but not into the second half. We had 2 double headers scheduled with Saskatoon and traveled to Saskatoon in October to play the first

series against them. They later traveled here and played us in January.

We were able to schedule a meet in the middle, in Virden to play a doubleheader against the U14AA Team Manitoba late in March. In between games, we scheduled a lunch and a team-building activity with them. The Rush players welcomed Team Toba with open arms and managed to make a few friendships that carried into cheering for each other at Westerns.

Overall, the development of each of these athletes was tremendous. They developed both on the ice and off the ice. They formed tight bonds and friendships that will last a lifetime. Together they grew, they cheered, and they cried. The season was memorable and one we will never forget!

U14B Renegades – provided by Dave Devers

We (Renegades) finished first in the league and won the league playoffs. We won the Saskatoon tourney and got silver in the Regina tourney and silver in Winnipeg. Finished 4th in Provincials. We didn't get into the Alberta tourneys we applied for, but played some good Medicine Hat and Sherwood Park teams in other tourneys.

I have coached most of the girls on my team before, in ringette or softball, so we had a good group of families, so not really any hitches or glitches. The girls (and coaches) were great and I had a great time coaching them.

We had the reversible jerseys and the girls really liked them. They weren't too heavy or anything.

U14B Warriors - No Report Provided

16. U16 and Up Commissioner Report - Crystal Laverdiere

U16 Impact

U16 Impact had a great second-year season. We continued with various fundraising activities (Cornhole tournament, chace-the-ace, bottle drive, halloween cabaret, poinsettia sales) and off-ice activities (dryland, MMA training, run for the cure) and attended 4 tournaments; Medicine Hat (U16B Gold); December Charge (U19B Silver); Saskatoon (U19B Silver); Regina (U16A no medal); Provincial (U19B Bronze); and finished with League Championship Mixed Elite (Silver). Impact finished up their 2 year season with the European tour of Sweden, Finland, Estonia and Czechia. We played an exhibition game in Sweden (W 4-3); 2 exhibition games in Finland (L 4-5; W 9-5); a tournament in Finland (Bronze) and 2 exhibition fun games in Czechia, who just started playing ringette and only has one team. The tours and sightseeing in every spot were spectacular.

I would like to thank the association for supporting this once in a lifetime opportunity, the parents for supporting me and the team and most importantly 15 unbelievable young athletes for making the last two years unforgettable.

For future travel teams I highly recommend keeping athletes in one age division (for second year) as European rules move teams into the oldest age division and the Regina team that had 2 age divisions on the team were pitted against very, very strong competition.

U16 Outlaws - No Report Provided