

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
KENT VALLEY HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

ARTICLE I

The term of existence shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE II

The purposes for which this corporation is organized are:

1. To encourage and improve the standards of ice hockey in the Puget Sound area.
2. To develop and encourage sportsmanship and wholesome competition among all players for the betterment of their physical and social well being.
3. To have teams participate in local and long distance hockey leagues.
4. To conduct ice hockey play in local tournaments and to be able to host the local team playoffs, State tournaments, Regional tournaments, and to be able to host the long distance league weekends.
5. This corporation is organized exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of section 501 C3 of the Internal Revenue Code.
6. No part of the net earnings of the corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to, any of its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the organizations 501 C3.
7. No substantial part of the activities of the corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.
8. Notwithstanding any other provisions of these Articles, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on (a) by a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501 C3 of the Internal Revenue code or the corresponding section of any future United States Internal Revenue law, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170 C2 of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding section of any future United States Internal Revenue law.

ARTICLE IV

The name of the registered agent of the corporation is Kent Valley Hockey Association. The address of the registered office of the corporation is P.O. Box 65 Kent, WA 98035.

ARTICLE V

There shall be one (1) Executive Director and include the following Board of Directors:

1. Les Grauer (Executive Director)  
5631 110<sup>th</sup> Place SW  
Mukilteo, WA 98275
2. Lew Sellers, President  
806 Hazal Ave. N  
Kent, WA 98031
3. Les Grauer, Vice President  
5631 110<sup>th</sup> Place SW  
Mukilteo, WA 98275

4. Dawn Rutherford, Secretary/Treasurer  
20815 119<sup>th</sup> Ave SE  
Kent, WA 98031
5. Jill Grauer  
5631 110<sup>th</sup> Place SW  
Mukilteo, WA 98275
6. Jackie Doner  
9310 60<sup>th</sup> Ave West  
Mukilteo, WA 98275

The Executive Director shall have no vote except in those instances where it shall be necessary to break a tie vote among the remaining Board members who are present and voting.

#### ARTICLE VI

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to charitable and educational purposes.

Upon the winding up and dissolution of the corporation, after paying or adequately providing for the debts and obligations of the corporation, the remaining assets shall be distributed for one or more exempt purpose within the meaning of section 501 C3 of the Internal Revenue Code or the corresponding section of any future United States Internal Revenue law, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose. Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a court of competent jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations as said court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

#### CONSENT TO APPOINTMENT AS REGISTERED AGENT

I, Lew Sellers, hereby consent to serve as registered agent in the State of Washington for the corporation herein named. I understand that as agent for the corporation it will be my responsibility to receive Service of Process in the name of the corporation; to forward all mail to the corporation and to immediately notify the Office of the Secretary of State in the event of my resignation or of any change in the registered office of the corporation for which I am an agent.

Dated this, 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2014

  
Lew Sellers