2024 OBHF Girls Minor Provincial Championships Rules & Regulations

The 2024 Provincial Championships will be hosted by the Mississauga Minor Ball Hockey League in Mississauga on July 5-7, 2024

DIVISION	YEAR OF BIRTH ELIGIBILITY
U10	2014 or younger
U12	2012 or younger
U14	2010 or younger
U18	2006 or younger

All participants must present identification showing date of birth.

(Health Card, Birth Certificate, Passport)

Photocopies and screen shots on personal devices are sufficient.

CHECK-IN PROCEDURES

Once registered with the OBHF representative, each player will receive a wristband that must remain on for the duration of the tournament. If the wristband is removed for any reason, the player will be required to present identification again prior to receiving another wristband

ROSTER

- * Teams can register 22 players of which two (2) must be goalies.
- * Players must have been registered in your league by June 1, 2024.
- * Teams can dress 18 players and 2 goalies in each game. Teams cannot dress 19 players and 1 goalie.

ALL TEAMS MUST COMPLETE THE TEAM ROSTERS FORMS ATTACHED

^{*} Team manager/coach must check in with the OBHF Representative before team's first game to register team.

PICK UPs

* Teams are permitted to only use four (4) pick ups from their own league and from a lower age category.

TEAM PICKUPS FORM must be submitted to Lino at lino@ontarioballhockeyfederation.ca
by June 28, 2024

GAME SHEETS

- * Pre-printed labels for game sheets will be available.
- * Team Manager/Rep, Coach or Assistant Coach is responsible for providing jersey numbers and striking out players who will not be participating in game.
- * Players arriving late must check in with the OBHF representative and must be approved to be eligible to play.
- * Players who arrive once the third period has commenced will not be allowed to play.

GAME LENGTH

A 3-minute warm up will proceed the game.

Games will be three (3) 10-minute periods.

There will be no overtime in preliminary games and tied games will stand.

Please be reminded that in all minor provincial championship games, there are five (5) points per game available; two (2) points for a win, one (1) point for a tie, zero (0) points for a loss and one (1) point for each period won. If a period is tied, then both teams will earn $\frac{1}{2}$ (0.5) point each.

If a team wins by more than a 7-goal spread, the official score will not be recorded with more than a 7 goal difference (ex. A 10-0 victory will be recorded 7-0; a 10-1 victory will be recorded 8-1)

Sudden victory will be played in playoff rounds as follows:

- * Elimination/Quarter-finals one 5-minute period followed by a 5-player shoot out* (if necessary)
- * Semi-finals one 10-minute period followed by a 5-player shoot out* (if necessary)
- * Championship/Consolation Finals sudden victory until a goal is scored
- *Five players from each team will shoot to decide which team advances. If the game is still tied after the five shooters, the shootout will continue sudden victory one shooter at a time. The home team will choose to shoot first or second.

In a shoot out situation where one team has had all players listed on game sheet participate without a winner being decided, they may then, at this discretion, send any player for a second attempt. Should their opponent have a great number of players listed in that game, they too, at this point, may select a player to attempt a second shot, thus not having everyone listed on such roster attempt at least one shot.

TIMEOUTS

- * Teams are allowed two (2) 30-second timeouts per game, but not in the same period.
- * Teams are allowed one (1) 30-second time out per overtime (OT) period.

MERCY RULE

Preliminary/Round Robin Games

* No mercy rule. All games will be played out three (3) periods stop time.

Championship/Consolation Games

* Should a team have a five (5) goal lead in the **third period only**, the clock will be running time until the deficit by the losing team has been lowered to under five (5).

SLAPSHOTS

Slap shots are permitted.

PENALTIES

Any player that receives three (3) penalties in a game will be ejected.

NOTE: Four (4) minute minors for stick infractions will only be counted as one (1) infraction towards game ejection. All penalties are recorded the same as men's/women's. Cross-checking, slashing and high sticking are 4-minute penalties.

HANDSHAKES

Teams will shake hands before each game.

UNIFORMS

- * Each team must carry one (1) set of long-sleeved jerseys; however two (2) sets are preferred.
- * It is the responsibility of the **VISITING** team to change in case of any colour conflict.
- * All uniforms must be of matching jerseys (numbers and logos included).
- * Pants/shorts must be of the same base colour.
- * Any player not in proper uniform must retire to the dressing room.
- * A set of same base colour jerseys but not matching is NOT accepted.
- * A non-offending team may ask the officials to send a player to the dressing rooms should he not have a matching jersey

MANDATORY EQUIPMENT

CBHA policy with respect to equipment will be strictly enforced.

Players MUST wear:

- * CSA approved helmet
- * Gloves. The CBHA/OBHF recommends ice hockey gloves. Gloves that are deemed "SAFE" by the official, by providing adequate protection for the sport of ball hockey, may be worn. If gloves are in disrepair or a level of doubt arises when inspecting the gloves, the player shall retire from the floor and find proper/suitable gloves before returning to play.
- * Identical matching jersey with same base-coloured pants/shorts

Goalkeepers MUST wear:

- * CSA approved helmet and cage (no "Cats Eye" facial protection)
- * CSA approved catcher, blocker, pads, chest protector and hockey pants
- * Same base coloured jersey

Other Important Equipment Information:

- * **Shin pads** are **MANDATORY** for all OBHF tournaments
- * The CBHA/OBHF does not require shin pads to be covered. It is at the official's discretion to ask the player to remove shin pads that are deemed dangerous.
- * J-Clips (cage clips), snap-in visor mounts and frames must be removed if a cage or visor is not being used
- * Jocks must be worn under the player's pants/shorts
- * Any hockey stick constructed for retail purposes (ex. One piece, aluminum with replacement blades or wooden)

TIE-BREAKING PROCEDURES

- 1. Points
- 2. Wins
- 3. Record between teams if applicable (if 2 teams are tied). If more than 2 teams are tied, then go to step 4
- 4. Goals percentage (%) for and against (which is goals for divided by the sum of goals for and against) use a (Goals for/Goals for + Goals against)
- 5. Goal differential (plus or minus)
- 6. Highest goals for
- 7. Lowest goals against
- 8. Shoot out:
 - *Home team will decide to shoot first of second.
 - *Five (5) shooters from each team shoot. The highest overall scores from the five (5) shooters wins.
 - *If tied following the five (5) shooters, the shoot out will continue sudden victory one shooter at a time.

NOTE: In a situation where one team has had all players listed on the game sheet participate without a winner being decided, they may then, at their discretion send any player for a second attempt. Should their opponent have a greater number of players listed in that game, they too, at this point, may select a player to attempt a second shot, thus not having everyone listed on such roster attempt at least one shot.

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STANDINGS & SOCIAL MEDIA

Scores will be available at www.ggts.ca.

Paper result boards will be available at Paramount Fine Foods Centre.

EVENT MERCHANDISE

Merchandise will be sold at this event.

DEFAULTS

Any team defaulting a game will have all of its registered players suspended from the OBHF and CHBA tournaments for one year.

A default will automatically disqualify the team from the tournament and a \$500 fine is levied against the centre.

In an instance where a team defaults on a game, all games against that team will be recorded as a 7-0 victory for the non-offending team.

NATIONAL QUALIFICATION

For U14 and U18 divisions, the top three (3) teams will receive an invitation to attend the CBHA National Championships.

PROTESTS

The OBHF is the governing body of ball hockey in the province of Ontario and is a member in good standing with the CBHA and the ISBHF. The OBHF reserves the right to dismiss appeal applications when it is deemed to be in the best interest of the sport and parties involved. Appeal applications will **NOT** be accepted without the \$200 written appeal and must be handed into or emailed to the tournament RIC within two (2) hours from the end of the game in question.

The one exception is that there will be no appeal fee if it is found that there was a misapplication of the rules in question. The OBHF will review the incident and apply the correct rule associated with the infraction with cost to the player/team in question. All forms can be found online at ontarioballhockey.ca under the tab, Ref Zone

ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY FOR ALL MINOR EVENTS (UNDER 18)

In order to maintain a safe and fun environment for all participants, we will be applying the following Zero Tolerance Rules. Please ensure you share this with all players, parents and bench staff.

- * All teams must have a coach of 21+ years of age on the bench for each game.
- * A single punch to the head during play, or after any whistle, will result in a 4-minute penalty.
- * A fight shall result in an immediate suspension and an OBHF review of the incident. If an instigator or aggressor is evident, the suspension may be elevated to an immediate expulsion from all OBHF events for future years. In all other cases, the OBHF has the right to determine the length of the suspension, which may include expulsion depending on the circumstances surrounding the incident.
- * Verbal taunting of an opponent, or their spectators, is an automatic 10-minute misconduct.
- * Teams are expected to maintain control of their spectators. Failure to do so may result in the banning of their spectators for future games, and/or may result in the removal of the team from the event.

CONTACTS

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Fair play and sportsmanship are encouraged for all competing teams.

Good luck to all teams in the 2024 OBHF Girls Minor Provincial Championships!!



2024 OBHF Girls Minor Provincial Championships Arena Addresses

Paramount Fine Foods Centre

5500 Rose Cherry Place Mississauga, ON L4Z 4B6 905-502-9100



2024 OBHF Girls Minor Provincial Championships Hotel Accommodations

We are pleased to have HTG Sports as our accommodations partner for these Provincial Championships.

HTG Sports has blocks of rooms at host hotels.

It is recommended that teams requiring accommodations book through HTG Sports.

https://secure.htgsports.com/registration.nsf/BTSRP_EventAccess?OpenForm&eventid=540B87FC66D6D9CA85258A740078ED44&pvw=0&lang=en



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Team Registration Form

Name of Team:
Jersey Colour:
Level & League:
League Coordinator: (print)
League Coordinator: (signature)

League Coordinator must approve roster by printing and signing before handing into the OBHF

NAME	YEAR OF BIRTH
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BENCH STAFF	CONTACT PHONE NUMBER
Head Coach:	
Assistant Coach:	
Assistant Coach:	
Assistant Coach:	
Manager/Trainer:	

Once rosters are handed in, they are final!

Team rosters must be submitted to Lino at lino@ontarioballhockeyfederation.ca
by June 28, 2024



NAME OF TEAM:

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Team Pickup Form

(for non all-star teams only)

LEVEL/DIVISION:	
LEAGUE:	
*LEAGUE COORDINATOR:	
(print)	
*LEAGUE COORDINATOR:	
(sign)	
*League Coordinator must approve pickups b	efore it is handed into the OBHF
PLAYER NAME	YEAR OF BIRTH

Pickups must come from same league and from a lower age category.

Once Team Pick Up Forms are handed in, they are final!

Team Pick Up Forms must be submitted to Lino at lino@ontarioballhockeyfederation.ca
by June 28, 2024



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U10 SCHEDULE & FORMAT

Teams will play a round robin.
All teams advance to semi finals.
Winners of semi finals advance to final.

Teams

New Tec Xtreme
Whitby Fire
Withrow Park Knights #1
Withrow Park Knights #2

DAY	PAD	TIME	TYPE	HOME	VISITOR
Friday	2	2:00 PM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #1	Whitby Fire
Friday	4	2:00 PM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #2	New Tec Xtreme
Saturday	2	8:00 AM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #1	Withrow Park Knights #2
Saturday	4	8:00 AM	Preliminary	Whitby Fire	New Tec Xtreme
Saturday	2	3:15 PM	Preliminary	New Tec Xtreme	Withrow Park Knights #1
Saturday	2	4:30 PM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #2	Whitby Fire
Sunday	2	8:00 AM	Semi Final	1 st Overall	4 th Overall
Sunday	4	8:15 AM	Semi Final	2 nd Overall	3 rd Overall
Sunday	2	1:30 PM	Final	Winner Semi	Winner Semi



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U12 SCHEDULE & FORMAT

Teams will play a round robin.

Top four teams advance to semi finals.

Winners of semi finals advance to final.

Teams

Kingston Attack
New Tec Xtreme
Whitby Fire
Withrow Park Knights #1
Withrow Park Knights #2

DAY	PAD	TIME	TYPE	HOME	VISITOR
Friday	2	1:00 PM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #1	Whitby Fire
Friday	4	1:00 PM	Preliminary	New Tec Xtreme	Withrow Park Knights #2
Friday	4	5:15 PM	Preliminary	Kingston Attack	Withrow Park Knights #1
Friday	4	6:15 PM	Preliminary	Whitby Fire	New Tec Xtreme
Friday	4	8:30 PM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #2	Kingston Attack
Saturday	2	9:00 AM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #1	New Tec Xtreme
Saturday	4	9:00 AM	Preliminary	Whitby Fire	Withrow Park Knights #2
Saturday	2	1:15 PM	Preliminary	New Tec Xtreme	Kingston Attack
Saturday	2	2:15 PM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #2	Withrow Park Knights #1
Saturday	2	6:30 PM	Preliminary	Kingston Attack	Whitby Fire
Sunday	2	9:00 AM	Semi Final	1 st Overall	4 th Overall
Sunday	4	9:15 AM	Semi Final	2 nd Overall	3 rd Overall
Sunday	4	1:45 PM	Final	Winner Semi	Winner Semi



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U14 SCHEDULE & FORMAT

Teams will play a round robin format. 1st & 2nd Overall will advance to Final. 3rd & 4th will advance to Consolation.

Teams

New Tec Xtreme
Whitby Fire
Withrow Park Knights #1
Withrow Park Knights #2

DAY	PAD	TIME	TYPE	HOME	VISITOR
Friday	2	3:00 PM	Preliminary	Whitby Fire	Withrow Park Knights #2
Friday	4	3:00 PM	Preliminary	New Tec Xtreme	Withrow Park Knights #1
Saturday	2	10:00 AM	Preliminary	Whitby Fire	New Tec Xtreme
Saturday	4	10:00 AM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #2	Withrow Park Knights #1
Saturday	4	4:30 PM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights #1	Whitby Fire
Saturday	2	5:30 PM	Preliminary	New Tec Xtreme	Withrow Park Knights #2
Sunday	2	2:45 PM	Consolation	3 rd Overall	4 th Overall
Sunday	4	3:00 PM	Final	1 st Overall	2 nd Overall



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U18 SCHEDULE & FORMAT

Two (2) pools of three (3) teams each.

Top two (2) teams in each pool advance to semi finals.

Winners of semi finals advance to Final.

Losers of semi finals advance to Consolation.

Teams

Pool A – Etobicoke Whalers, New Tec Xtreme, South Simcoe Pool B – Hamilton Tigers, Withrow Park Knights, Whitby Fire

DAY	PAD	TIME	TYPE	HOME	VISITOR
Friday	2	4:15 PM	Preliminary	Etobicoke Whalers	South Simcoe
Friday	4	4:15 PM	Preliminary	Hamilton Tigers	Withrow Park Knights
Friday	4	7:30 PM	Preliminary	New Tec Xtreme	Whitby Fire
Saturday	2	11:00 AM	Preliminary	New Tec Xtreme	Etobicoke Whalers
Saturday	4	11:00 AM	Preliminary	Withrow Park Knights	South Simcoe
Saturday	2	12:15 PM	Preliminary	Whitby Fire	Hamilton Tigers
Saturday	4	5:30 PM	Preliminary	South Simcoe	New Tec Xtreme
Saturday	4	6:30 PM	Preliminary	Whitby Fire	Withrow Park Knights
Saturday	2	7:30 PM	Preliminary	Etobicoke Whalers	Hamilton Tigers
Sunday	2	10:15 AM	Semi-Final	1 st PA	2 nd PB
Sunday	4	10:30 AM	Semi-Final	1 st PB	2 nd PA
Sunday	2	4:00 PM	Consolation	Loser Semi	Loser Semi
Sunday	2	4:15 PM	Final	Winner Semi	Winner Semi