

Beiseker Minor Hockey Regulations

Equipment

1. All equipment shall be the responsibility of the Equipment Manager. All jerseys and equipment shall be obtained from the Equipment Manager at the beginning of the season and returned in the proper condition. The Equipment Manager shall keep a detailed inventory to make sure that all equipment is returned at the end of the Hockey (BMH) season.
2. BMH colours shall be red and white. The Midget team will have white and black. The logo shall be the one noted above. Any changing of colour or logo shall be done only with the permission of the BMH executive.
3. Every team in our association will be supplied with two sets of jerseys. One set (white and red) will be the home, and one set (red or black and white) will be the away. Players will wear team jerseys provided by BMH during the hockey season.
4. Families will be responsible for the care of the jerseys during the hockey season. They are to be kept in the member's possessions. Proper care of these uniforms such as regular washings and repairs is expected.
5. Jerseys are for game use only. They will not be allowed for use at practices.
6. BMH will supply a basic set of goalie equipment to all teams up to Atom in the association. This does not include the helmet or facemasks. One goalie stick per team will be supplied with a fifty – dollar maximum value.
7. One puck bag containing twenty five pucks will be given to each team.
8. Members will be required to wear BMH hockey socks at all games. These will be made available through BMH.
9. Jersey name bars will be a team option. As of 2001-2002 Hockey season, BMH will no longer fund name bars.
10. Any request for repairs or purchases of new equipment during the current hockey season shall be presented to the BMH executive for approval and then through the Equipment Manager.

11. Starting the 2011-2012 seasons all players playing in a Peewee, Bantam and Midget age games are recommended to wear a mouth guard.

RELEASES

1. BMH will grant "Permission to try-out" for members who wish to try out at an "AA" or "AAA" level. If the BMH member makes a team at this level, a release will be granted. Releases requested for levels below "AA" would only be granted with special permission from the BMH executive.

2. All Hockey Alberta rules and regarding player movement and releases will be followed.

TEAM SELECTION

1. If BMH has more than twenty-two members register at one age level, the teams will be tiered. A selection committee will be appointed consisting of two independent evaluators, BMH coach mentor and appointed head coach for the highest ranked team. The committee will conduct a suitable evaluation and report their choices to the BMH executive.

2. If the members of the same family are involved in such try-out and are tiered at different levels, and wish to play together they will do so at the lower tier. Any member wishing to be on the team at the lower tier will notify the selection committee before the try-outs begin.

3. Try-outs will be held as soon as the ice is in to get the teams and coaches assembled, and ready for league play.

4. When numbers are below twenty-two for age level, BMH will only have one team.

SPECIAL EVENTS

1. Location will be the Beiseker Community Hall.
2. Pee wee members and parents will be responsible for refreshments, desserts, hall clean up and any or all other arrangements for the evening.
3. Trophies will be purchased and presented for teams that win a CAHL age division.
4. Banners will be presented to any team that wins the zone playoffs and advances to the provincial finals.
5. Banners will be presented to any team that wins a provincial title.
6. Teams advancing to a provincial final will be awarded five hundred dollars by BMH to help compensate expenses.
7. BMH teams will be scheduled for power skating/optional practice, which will be given to each team every second week.
8. Skills and checking clinics will be supplied by BMH during the first week of ice time throughout the season. Members will be charged for such clinics if deemed necessary.
9. All teams in BMH shall attempt to hold a tournament during the hockey season.

MANAGERS

1. Managers will be responsible for:
 - a. Preparation of team schedules
 - b. Knowledge of BMH, CAHL and Hockey Alberta regulations
 - c. Arranging minor officials with ref coordinator
 - d. Travel arrangements

e. Reporting and safekeeping of game sheets

f. Obtain basic first aid kits from equipment manager

2. Managers are to make sure all playing members have paid their dues before they are allowed on the ice to participate in practices or games.

3. They will be responsible for the purchasing of all prizes and awards, and payments of referees. They will report back to BMH at the next monthly meeting. Financial reports will be part of the manager's handbook.

4. Managers shall carry team roster, which includes Alberta Health Care numbers, family physicians, allergies etc., and always be aware of the locations of nearby hospitals.

5. Starting in the 2002-2003 hockey season managers will be given a copy of the CAHL Regulations booklet, and should fully understand such regulations.

COACHES

1. Coaches will be responsible for their team conduct during all team functions.

2. All coaches involved in BMH must achieve the necessary certifications required by Hockey Alberta. They are to be present and on the bench at all games. There shall be no coaches on the benches that are not registered with Hockey Alberta and have their Respect in Sport.

3. There shall be registered coach present at all team practices.

4. Any suspensions handed down by CAHL or Hockey Alberta will be reviewed by the BMH executive and will possibly result in further suspensions.

5. CSA helmets are mandatory for all on-ice coaches and assistant coaches.

6. Coaches are responsible to make sure their players are wearing the proper equipment prior to

going on the ice.

7. BMH coaches will be present and on the ice for all power skating practices.

PLAYING MEMBERS

1. All BMH playing members are expected to promote and maintain a positive image for BMH.
2. Playing members shall show respect for the Beiseker Arena and any of the away arenas that they play in. They will be held responsible for any damage done to any facilities that they participate in.
3. Any suspensions handed down by CAHL or Hockey Alberta will be reviewed by the BMH executive and further suspensions may be added on.
4. Playing members shall show respect to all BMH coaches and parents and be prompt for all games and practices.
5. Alcohol or drug abuse is strictly prohibited. The use of alcohol or drugs, while engaged in a BMH game, tournament and or activities associated with BMH, will result in indefinite player suspension.
6. Playing members will adhere to any dress code regulations that have been assigned to the team by the manager or coaches.