

The Southwest Slapshot



Southwest Hockey Association

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From your Communications Team



IT'S OFFICIAL! Southwest Hockey has a NEW website!

Click on this link: www.southwesthockey.ca to have a look around!

hockey Registration Coming Soon

2019-2020 Registration - Set to open the 1st week of July.

Once registration goes live, communications will be sent. You can also visit the SWH website now to review some information that has been posted.

When registration does open, please give yourself adequate time to navigate the new system and to use the TIP guide that will also be provided.

Final details will be posted to the website when registration opens.



Interested in Coaching?

Teams NEED Coaches! If you have been a coach before, or are interested in becoming a coach - here are some details:

Minimum Requirements & Certifications: **Police Check**, **Respect-in-Sport Leadership Certification**, **Safety Certification**, and completing the **Online Registration** with Southwest Hockey.

NEW: Respect-in-Sport Leadership expires **every 4 seasons**. To verify if your certification is still valid, log in to your [Respect-in-Sport](#) account, or you can also check your [e-hockey account](#).

Visit the Southwest Hockey website for details on these certifications, as well as the instructions on how to register and become a coach. Click on the "Hockey Coaches Wanted" image, to take you to the Coaches tab.

If you would like to be considered for a coaching position, complete the instructions that have been provided. If you need some (or all of the requirements/certifications), **then please don't delay as the certification clinics can fill up fast & the Police Checks can also take some time as well.**

You can also contact our Director and/or Assistant Director of Coaches at:

coaches@southwesthockey.ca and/or asst-coaches@southwesthockey.ca



Volunteer Bond Information for the 2019-2020 Season

Southwest Hockey relies heavily on the involvement of volunteers to ensure that the hockey program, and all events are sufficiently covered, so they run with ease and efficiency. Without the participation of the membership's **valuable time and efforts**, the hockey program and events would be at risk, as they may not provide as much of an enjoyable experience as hoped.

Southwest Hockey does have a Volunteer Bond Program in place, with MANY ways to become involved. Here is some information, and reminders as we head into another season:

The Volunteer Bond requirement, remains at a minimum of 15 hours per family; from the Timbits to Midget Community Program only.

*While it seems antiquated, cheques are still the simplest and most cost effective method of collecting postdated payments. Ensure you have cheques on hand, as the postdated cheque will be required when your player(s) check-in for evaluations. If you don't have cheques on hand, this would be a good time to order some. **NOTE:** Money Orders and Cash will not be accepted for the postdated payment.*

Volunteer Bond Opportunities and further information, can be found by clicking on the "Volunteer Information" image.

*Upcoming opportunities include (but not limited to); Coaches, Evaluators, Welcome Table, Dressing Room. **Many more opportunities are available**, which can be reviewed under the Parent>Volunteer tab, on the SWH website.*

Thank you, for your support!

A volunteer's time is VERY valuable, and appreciated!



Registration for the August Prep Camp, will be available once the general registration goes live!

The August Prep Camp will be for:

Players: In the Novice, Atom & Pee wee Division

Goalies: In the Atom, Pee wee, Bantam & Midget Division

The September Prep Camp will be held Sept 9th - Sept 13th for:

Players: Bantam & Midget Division only



A Reminder --> It is the **member's responsibility** to stay informed. The website is the main source of information so please be sure to check it out at www.southwesthockey.ca

You can also find us on Social Media by clicking on the picture below:

Thank you!!