



Rink Board Support

With the implementation of the 'portable rink board divider systems' for the U9 age divisions, specific to the U9 group, teams will require volunteers to help ensure the set up and take down of the 'rink-boards' is done in a safe and timely manner.

NOTE: The U9 'Rink-Board' Support volunteers are **NOT to go on the ice at all**. The purpose of this position is to **help bring the panels from the storage location TO the gate, for the coaches to then set up** on ice.

When a team is responsible for removing the panels, the U9 'Rink-Boards' Support volunteers will **meet the coach at the gate** and then take the Rink Board Divider System from the gate and place on the cart. The cart / panels will then be placed in the storage location; as per the facility.

IMPORTANT: **ONLY the coaches who are on the official team roster are to be on the ice, setting up the boards. At NO time should parents be on the ice; due to insurance reasons.**

There is a maximum of two (2) parent volunteers required for each U9 game. Duties include, but are not limited to:

- Assist with getting the cart on and off the ice. Gloves are recommended.
- If the facility does not allow the cart on the ice, then the parent volunteer would assist with unloading the panels one-by-one to the coach. Gloves are recommended.
- As the panels are numbered, volunteers should be able to load and unload in sequential order.
- At the end of an ice time, panels should be returned to the cart in reverse numerical order.
- Volunteers wishing to fulfill their bond in this way, can reach out to the Team Manager to find out how the team will be scheduling this duty.
- Volunteer must record dates / times of each game volunteered for on the Volunteer Credit & Time Form and must have the Team Manager verify.
- **Volunteer Bond Category – Sign-up Required: “4 Games = 1 Credit”.**
 - **NOTE:** This sign-up is managed and tracked at the team level, with your Assistant Team Manager.