

Ennismore Minor Hockey Association (E.M.H.A.) General Rules and Regulations

- 1) It shall be the responsibility of the Executive Committee and Coaching Staff to see that all players are played equally as possible on all teams.
- 2) All registration fees must be collected annually at Registration of each hockey season. Failure to pay by that date will result in playing privileges being revoked until such time as all outstanding balances owing are paid in full.
- 3) Anyone owing fees from the previous year will not be allowed to register until all outstanding balances owing are paid in full.
- 4) At the discretion of the Executive Officers, financial assistance may be arranged through E.M.H.A., area service club or government services for those who express and confirm inability to pay.
- Juvenile aged players attending college or university outside of the Peterborough area and residing at their place of education qualify for financial relief in the amount of a 20% discount of their annual registration fees. All requests must be submitted in writing to the EMHA Executive for approval.
- 6) All players must play for their proper age classification unless approved by the Executive as per the EMHA Tryout Policy.
- 7) Any player wishing a release must come before the Executive Officers to state their reasons. All cases will be dealt with individually after consultation with parents and coaches involved.
- 8) The President may suspend a player or a coaching staff member for one or more games for the following infractions committed during, before, or after any game or practice:
 - a) Abusive Language
 - b) Smoking and/or alcohol in the dressing room
 - c) Destroying or mishandling property belonging to others
 - d) Ungentlemanly conduct on or off the ice
 - e) Stealing the property of others
 - f) Any other infraction or act that the President identifies.

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- 9) All members of Ennismore Minor Hockey Association (players, coaches, parents, executive members) are subject to progressive discipline for any infraction under rule 8.
- 10) No one shall intentionally deface or modify any sweaters owned by the E.M.H.A.
- 11) The E.M.H.A upon approval of the Executive Committee will reimburse rostered coaches and trainers for courses/certifications that are mandatory for them to serve in these positions.
- 12) The E.M.H.A. shall pay the registration fee and mileage for each delegate to a maximum of three to attend the O.M.H.A. Annual General Meeting when funds are available.
- 13) Executive Committee members appointed to attend O.M.H.A., O.H.A. or other approved league meetings shall be paid Thirty-Five Cents (\$0.35) per kilometer. Such mileage shall be submitted to the treasurer for his/her approval.
- 14) Admission is to be charged for all League and Play-off games. The coaching staff of the visiting team, parents and siblings of players on the Ennismore team playing, Executive Members, and Sponsors will be exempt.
- 15) The following is a list of recommended duties and responsibilities of all team Managers:
 - a) Shall hand out a projected budget in writing to all team members at the beginning and end of the season. Expenses that are not pertinent to the necessary functions of the team shall be approved by a majority of the team parents.
 - b) Shall purchase a receipt book at the expense of the team and shall hand out receipts for team monies collected.
- Once the first playoff game begins, it will be at the discretion of the Ice Scheduler and the President of E.M.H.A., when teams in the Association will practice and play such games. The schedule will be posted one week in advance and appropriate team managers will be contacted. It is also the duty of managers to confirm with the Ice Scheduler of game times and practice times once playoffs begin.

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