

Pond Hockey Tournament Registration Form

Please fill out the following online registration form. Note that your registration will only be confirmed upon reception of the fees by SIRCH. Payment can be made by calling in (VISA or Master Card) or mailing/bringing in a cheque or cash. Confirmation of placement in the tournament will be confirmed once payment has been confirmed. The first 16 teams to pay will play – others will be placed on a wait list in case one of the 16 confirmed drops out or can't play.

If you are a an individual registering we can put you on a team roster as available

Team Name: _____

Team Representative's Information:

Individual Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov.: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Team Category:

Men ☐ Women: ☐

Age: 18+ ☐ 45+ ☐

Team registration fees

Registration is due before February 17th 2012: \$20 individual or \$120.00 team.

GENERAL

Sportsmanship: The game of hockey is meant to be played with passion and effort but also within the rules of good sportsmanship and respect for others.

SIRCH Pond Hockey: The Pond Hockey Festival is an outdoor event and will be held regardless of weather conditions

Rules

*Teams will consist of 6 players. Two substitutes, four players on the ice and changes on the fly.

*No goaltender

*Games will be 30 minutes in duration 2 15-minute running time periods with a 5 minute break

*Guaranteed three games per team with playoff Sunday

*Schedule to be posted Tuesday February 21st

*Rinks to measure approximately 135' by 65'

*Surface will be shovelled in between games if needed

*All players must wear skates and helmets. Other protective equipment is recommended but optional

*No goalie equipment or goal sticks permitted

*All teams must have white (home) and dark (away) shirt.

*There will be one off-ice pond official to monitor the play (scoring, time, puck drop and reset and arbitrator of infractions)

*Penalties will be called for rule infractions. Penalties called on honour system. A minor penalty will result in a goal awarded to the opposing team as well as possession of puck.

*Any major penalties which include any action that could possibly injure another player will result in ejection from the game. The off-ice pond official will determine major penalties.

*Abusing of official will be considered a major penalty. This includes yelling, swearing or arguing about calls

*No body checking allowed. Such action will result in a minor penalty, unless deemed serious enough to result in a major penalty.

*Players cannot fall on the ice to protect the goal area. This will be a minor penalty.

*Players cannot lay their sticks down to protect the goal area. This will be a minor penalty

*If ball goes out of bounds the last team to touch it loses possession. During restart defence must give two stick lengths of space.

*There will be no off sides or icing calls

*Goals must be scored from the attacking side of center ice

*Teams must give their opponents $\frac{1}{2}$ the ice after a goal is scored or an infraction takes place

*There are no overtime periods in round robin play. During championship games, teams will play three minute overtime. The team that scores the most will be declared the winner. If the score remains tied at the end of the three minute overtime, play will continue unabated and the first team to score wins.

*Teams are not allowed to lift the ball off the ice no more than 12 inches; doing so will result in the opposing team taking possession.

*No Slap shots. Stick blades must remain on the ice at all times