

GGHA

# Guelph Girls Hockey

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## Guelph Girls Hockey Association

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## Welcome to the 2018-2019 Hockey season!

GGHA would like to welcome everyone to the 2018-2019 season!

In this fall newsletter you will find some important information for the season.

Please watch our website for updates, or contact us, and we will be happy to answer your questions.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the rink!

# Photo Day – October 14<sup>th</sup>!

## Photo Day Schedule:

Bring your smiles! GGHA photo day will be on Sunday, Oct 14<sup>th</sup>

Location: Delta Guelph Hotel and Conference Centre - 50 Stone Rd W

Please arrive 15mins before your scheduled time.

Each player will receive an individual photo and a team photo as part of their registration. Additional photos can be ordered on picture day or online ([click here](#)).

Players are to bring their jerseys, gloves and stick

<b>Time:</b>	<b>Camera 1:</b>	<b>Camera 2:</b>
9:00	Midget BB	
9:30	Novice B	Novice Red
10:00	Novice White	Atom Red
10:30	Midget A	Atom White
11:15	Pewee Yellow	Pewee Red
11:45	Pewee B	Pewee White
12:10	Fundamentals	Bantam Red
12:50	Bantam White	Bantam Yellow
1:15	Bantam A	Atom B
1:45	Midget Red	Midget White
2:30	Atom A	Pewee A
3:00	Bantam AA	Intermediate Silver
3:30	Intermediate A	Atom Black

## Storm Game



## Girls Hockey Day

This year we were very proud to partner with the Guelph Storm for our first Girls Hockey Day.

On this day our Bantam A girl's team invited the Sarnia Bantam A girls to a game before the Guelph Storm played the Sarnia Sting. What an exciting and fun time! Both teams played hard and had an opportunity to spend time with World Champion Halli Krzyzaniak. Halli spent time at both the benches, cheering on the teams and providing some good feedback. The game was close and ended in a tie. Great Job Bantam A, you made us all very proud!

The GGHA also conducted a fundraiser to help keep registration fees down, and we sold approximately 231 tickets to the game. The money raised from this will be reallocated back to the organization to subsidize registration costs and development fees.

The GGHA also had the privilege to run and be the benefactor of the 50/50 draw. Thank you to the volunteers who took time out of their busy schedules to sell tickets, count money and help support our organization.

We will have one more GGHA 50/50 draw and ticket sale on **December 28th**. So, watch for the emails and plan some family fun between Christmas and New Years. It will also be a great time to plan a Christmas party with your team.

Thank you to everyone who supported the fundraiser, who volunteered selling 50/50 tickets.

We look forward to seeing everyone again December 28th.

# Guelph Tournament

## Volunteers:

Our GGHA tournament can only be successfully with your help. Each Rep and DS team is responsible for providing volunteers to help run their respective tournaments.

### *Roles:*

#### **Arena Convenors:**

- Oversee all aspects of the arena with the help of the assistant convenor's (Ref. Tournament Manual).
- Ensure registration table is set -up
- Ensure signs are posted
- Ensure the games run on time (Referee's, time keepers are present and ready.
- Text final scores so the website can be updated
- Wear Gryphon clothing and the event volunteer hockey jersey provided
- Ensure replacement Volunteers and Convenors are present and communicate all information to the next convenor.

#### **Assistant Convenors:**

- Assist the Convenor with all aspects of the arena listed above and fill that role if required.

### **Winter Classic Skills Competition Sat. Dec. 8**

Fastest Skater

Shoot out

Top Goalie

Novice 1:15pm-1:55pm Atom 1:55pm-2:35pm Peewee 2:35pm-3:20pm



Rep tournament: Dec 7-9<sup>th</sup>

DS tournament: Jan 4-6<sup>th</sup>

**Volunteers are needed!**  
**tournament@ggha.com**

## FUNDAMENTALS:

GGHA is pleased to introduce our Fundamentals coach for the 2018-2019 season - Mark Penelton. Mark has coached teams ranging from Novice House League, to Bantam AA, and the CWHL Toronto Furies who won the 2014 Clarkson Cup Championship.

Fundamentals begins on Oct 13<sup>th</sup> and will be held on Saturdays at 12:00 – Exhibition arena

Note: Full equipment is needed.

## LOCAL LEAGUE:

Local league is set to begin this weekend!

GGHA is happy to announce that our local league program has grown – this year we are offering 2 novice, 3 atom, 3 peewee, 3 bantam, 2 midget and 1 intermediate team!

### Important Dates:

Dec 27-30<sup>th</sup> - Cripps Tournament

### Links:

[Local League Standings](#)

[LLFHL/stats/scheduleds](#)

[OWHA Handbook](#)

## Rep League:

### Important Dates:

Regular session: October 1<sup>st</sup> to January 31<sup>st</sup>

Playoffs:

- Round 1 – February 1<sup>st</sup> to February 17<sup>th</sup>
- Round 2 – February 18<sup>th</sup> to March 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Round 3 – March 4<sup>th</sup> to March 24<sup>th</sup>

Playdowns: February 1<sup>st</sup> to March 11<sup>th</sup>

LFHL Championships: March 29<sup>th</sup> to March 31<sup>st</sup>

OWHA Championship: April 5<sup>th</sup> to April 7<sup>th</sup>



Congratulations to our Atom A and Peewee B teams on winning Silver!

## Development Stream (DS):

The Development Stream (DS) program is a subset of the House League program, offering a tryout-based, enhanced opportunity for House League players who are looking for a competitive development in hockey.

Each DS team can play a maximum of 8 games and 3 tournaments starting December 1<sup>st</sup>.

Cost: TBD

We will be offering (based on interested) teams at the following levels:

Novice – Atom – Peewee – Bantam - Midget

### **Tryouts:**

Tryouts will be held on November 4 and 5<sup>th</sup> at a cost of \$10 per tryout.

Please watch our website for tryout times and registration.

## GGHA Calendar downloads and text alerts:

Did you know that you can import your GGHA team calendar to your phone or email? Or that you can setup text/email alerts?

To import your calendar:

1. Select you GGHA team, and select you team calendar
2. From the top menu bar select Subscribe

To setup text / email alerts:

1. From the GGHA home page left hand menu select Manage Subscriptions

# Volunteers Needed!

GGHA is currently looking for board members for the following positions:

**Rep Director:**

Attend OWHA and LLFHL meetings and liaise between rep players, coaches, and GGHA Board

**Director of Purchasing and Equipment:**

Order equipment and jerseys, and arrange photo day schedule

**Communications:**

Prepare communications and manage media relations

**Secretary:**

Attend GGHA board meeting, take meeting notes, update meeting agenda, and assist in membership relations

If you have any questions or are interested

In any of the above roles, please e-mail: [info@ggha.com](mailto:info@ggha.com)



See you at the Rink!

