

Welcome to the 2020-21 SPECIAL MMHA On-line Registration.

PRIOR TO REGISTERING PLEASE REVIEW ALL PROTOCOLS FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE UNDER THE RETURN TO PLAY TAB. You will be required to acknowledge understanding of and agree to these protocols when registering.

PLEASE READ ALL INFORMATION THOROUGHLY.

As per OMHA regulations, registration is not considered complete until all registration fees are paid, and the one-time Parent Respect in Sport Online course has been completed (additional charge). Refer to our website>parents corner tab>Parent Respect in Sport Access for more information.

AFTER REGISTERING ONLINE, YOU WILL RECEIVE AN EMAIL RECEIPT - PLEASE RETAIN FOR PROOF OF PAYMENT.

Parents/guardians registering their players are required to read through this material prior to registering. By registering for the season, the family acknowledges their understanding of, and agreement with all the following:

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- **CHANGES:**
 - **Parent and Participant Protocols regarding Covid 19:** Prior to registration, please review the Protocols on our home page under the Return to Play tab. By completing the registration process, all parents and participants are acknowledging agreement with these protocols.
 - **Age Division Name Changes:** Aligning with Hockey Canada, all age division names have changed. When registering, your player will automatically be registered in their proper age group. For a listing of the new division names, please visit our website>Parents Corner tab>2020-2021 Age Reference Chart.
 - **Registrants can choose to pay for the season in full at time of registration or opt for a payment plan. All declined credit card payments will be subject to a \$5 administrative fee.**
- Registration is limited to a certain number of teams, predetermined by facility return to play protocols and available ice. All registrations are treated on a first come, first served basis. Some divisions may fill quicker than others. Once a division is full, you will **not** be able to register online. Please follow the directions on the front of our website to be placed on a waiting list.
- IP Program (Initiation Program): Beginners (U5's) Due to the current limit of one volunteer on ice with a group of 10 players, and the amount of hands on instruction the program requires, the MMHA has made the difficult decision not to offer a Beginner (U5) program at present. This will be reviewed through the fall and if the OMHA and the Town of Milton ease restrictions on numbers, we may offer a program as of January.
- Try Outs: As per OMHA guidelines, there will be no tryouts this season. Players will be placed on teams as per last season's level of play.
- Returning players can register online using Visa Debit, Visa, MasterCard Debit or Mastercard until the close of registration, or until the division is full, whichever comes first. Please take the time to verify/update contact information on your player's Hockey Canada profile.
- New players will be required to fill out the "New Member Hockey Canada Profile Request" online form prior to registering online. Please go to our website and follow the instructions on our home page for "new players". Proof of age and residency will be required. Once the completed form has been received by the office, a Hockey Canada Profile will be created for the player. ***This can take up to two weeks, depending on the volume of requests.*** Once complete, you will receive an email with registration instructions. When registering online, please take some time to fill in your contact information, including

addresses and contact info, especially email addresses. This is the information the MMHA uses to contact you. **Members do not have log in privileges to the Milton Minor Hockey website**

Respect in Sport Parent Program: The OMHA mandates that one parent/guardian of every player complete the Respect in Sport Parent Program. Due to OMHA regulations, players will not be allowed on the ice until this course has been completed. There is a separate charge for this course, paid to the Respect Group, who manages the online program. Please navigate to www.miltonwinterhawks.com>parents corner>Parent RIS access instructions.

- **Transferring in? Played before but new to Milton?** Due to Covid-19, the OMHA has put rules in place surrounding player transfers. Please contact us directly at transfers@miltonwinterhawks.com.
- **Special Requests:** This will be an exceptional year regarding player placement. Due to the number of restrictions and regulations set in place by all of our partners, including Hockey Canada, the OHF, the OMHA and the Town of Milton, MMHA will not be accepting special player requests for coaches or for play with friends. Our focus is team placement within the restrictions and regulations, all the while attempting to ensure every player in the association has a safe, fair and equitable season.
- **Medical Information Sheet:** We ask families of all players to complete the medical information form (located under the Parent's Corner>forms tab on the website) and provide it to the team trainer at their first practice. This form must be provided annually as medical records are not kept from year to year.
- **Sibling Discount:** Due to the strictly limited number of players on the ice this season, our annual budget has been severely impacted. Please review latest correspondence posted on the website. MMHA is not able to offer a sibling discount this season.
- **Refund Policy** All refund, cancellation or withdrawal requests must be submitted using our online form (found on our website under the Parents Corner tab>Registration Info>forms>refund request). Our Refund Policy has changed and can be found under the Return to Play Corner tab on our website: Please review the policy prior to registering.

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- **Interested in volunteering?** This year more than ever, MMHA will rely very heavily on volunteers to help our program run. How can you help? Navigate to our website and fill in the volunteer application under the volunteer/sponsors tab.
 - Our Board of Directors is made up of volunteers who have children playing with the MMHA. If you are interested in a Board position, please contact our Secretary at secretary@miltonwinterhawks.com for more info.
 - Timekeepers/Office Help: Are you a high school student looking for community hours? Please contact our admin staff at admin@miltonwinterhawks.com for info on volunteer opportunities on and off the ice.
 - Bench staff: Parents/Guardians can help in various ways with our teams. We are always on the lookout for coaches, trainers and on ice helpers. We need to comply with regulations as set out by Hockey Canada and the OMHA (Ontario Minor Hockey Association), so bench staff require the following:
 - All bench staff AND on ice volunteers must complete the one-time Respect in Sport Activity Leader course. The link can be found on our website under the "Coaches Corner" tab. We will repay for the course. This is **not** the mandatory parent course, rather it is a course for coaches and bench staff.

- All bench staff AND on ice volunteers must complete the one-time Gender Identity and Expressions online course. The link can be found on our website under the Clinics and Certifications tab. The course is free.
- All bench staff AND on ice volunteers aged 18+ require a current (within three seasons from date of issue) police check that includes a Vulnerable Sector Screen.
- Each team requires a coach. The coach must have specific coach qualifications as set out by the OMHA, along with the Respect course, gender course and police check.
- Each team requires a trainer. The link to the trainer course can be found on our website under the Managers/Trainers Corner tab. The course is designed to educate people in the prevention, recognition and management of hockey-related injuries and is the only sport-specific risk management, injury management and safety education program in Ontario. The trainer also requires the Respect course, gender course and police check. We repay for the course.
- All volunteers must review the Rowan's Law/Concussion protocol online annually.

Please understand that these mandatory qualifications must be met within two weeks of the beginning of the season or a team may be required to forfeit ice time until such time as they are met.

- Interested in Sponsoring? MMHA is grateful to all our wonderful sponsors who, through their generous donations, help keep hockey affordable for over 1,800 players in Milton. For a nominal fee, sponsors can have their business logo uploaded on our website and their business name on name plates affixed to a team's jerseys. For an additional fee, sponsors can also have player names affixed to a team's jerseys. If you are interested in more information, or in sponsoring a team, please visit our website and navigate to the Volunteers/Sponsors tab.
- Our Season:
 - Ice Schedule: In accordance with OMHA regulations and restrictions placed on our current season, players will participate in three distinct sessions. Session 1 will provide skills development. Sessions 2 and 3 will provide a modified hockey format following directives from Hockey Canada. Refer to our website under the Return to Play tab for more information. The season schedule will be available online as of September, once we have secured our insurance and the Town has released our ice permits. We do our best to keep the house league schedule the same from season to season, however adjustments to times may be necessary depending upon availability of ice. The schedule for the upcoming season will be posted once registration closes, numbers are finalized, and ice is procured.
 - House League Player Evaluations: Due to restrictions on numbers and gatherings, there will be no evaluations or tryouts this season. Your coach will be in contact prior to play with your team placement.

PARENT'S RESPONSIBILITIES:

- COVID-19 and Protocols: Please review the Parent Protocols posted to our website under the Return to Play tab. Parents and participants are responsible for all protocols set out by the MMHA and by the Town of Milton. Regulations regarding entry and exit of facility, use of masks, covid screening and contact tracing, physical distancing, spectators, washrooms, dressing rooms, and illness procedures can all be

found in the document. Disregard of any protocol may jeopardize your participant's registration in the program.

- Online Schedules and Information: Please check our website regularly for schedule updates along with other pertinent information. Information regarding Jumpstart and other funding programs, mandatory hockey equipment, and schedules can all be found on the website. Once the season has started, it is the parent's responsibility to check their schedule weekly. MMHA is not responsible for missed ice times due to scheduling changes.

MHA Policies: All Members of the MMHA, including parents, players and volunteers are required to familiarize themselves with, and abide by all MMHA policies, including the MMHA Code of Conduct, Social Media/Networking Policy, Helmet Policy and Goalie Fair Play Guidelines. The documents can be found on our website at under the MMHA Policies/Library tab.

- Concussion Pre Season Baseline Testing It is recommended that once a year, before each new season, a player has an IMPACT baseline test. This is a computerized cognitive test which takes 30-40 minutes and costs approximately \$30 (covered under most benefit packages with physiotherapy allowances). Parents/Guardians are required to familiarize themselves with MMHA's Concussion Protocol. For more information, visit the Concussion Protocol link under the Trainer's Corner tab on our home page.

Having Difficulty Registering Online? When registering online, you will be asked for your email and password. If you cannot recall your password, click the link to request a new one. If you cannot log in with your email, please contact the MMHA office to verify your account information. New members will need to click the "create a new account" link to register online. Please do so only after the office has verified that your player's Hockey Canada Profile

Our first session of skills development should start September 21. The regular season for all players should begin mid October. You should be contacted by your coach in September. If you have not been contacted by September 18th, please contact the office at houseleagueadmin@miltonwinterhawks.com. For further questions regarding online registration please email info@miltonwinterhawks.com

Please continue scrolling down to access the Registration page.

MMHA Registration Fee Schedule for 2020-21

MMHA will be offering a payment plan to all registrants this season.

The payment schedule will be as follows:

Division	Year of Birth	2019 House Players	2019 Rep Players
U5	2016	N/A	N/A
U6,U7	2014/2015	\$450	N/A
U8	2013	\$630	N/A
U9	2012	\$630	\$680
U10 , U11	2010/2011	\$630	\$680
U12, U13	2008/2009	\$630	\$680
U14, U15	2006/2007	\$630	\$680
U16	2005	\$630	\$680
U17, U18	2003/2004	\$630	\$680
U19, U20	2001/2002	\$630	N/A

Program	Age Group	Initial Payment	Date	Amount	Date	Amount	Date	Amount
2019 Rostered MMHA House League Players	U6 U7	\$150	Sept.14	\$100	Oct.14	\$100	Nov. 15	\$100
2019 Rostered MMHA House League Players	U8- U20	\$220	Sept.14	\$136.66	Oct.14	\$136.66	Nov.15	\$136.66
2019 Rostered MMHA Rep Players	U9- U18	\$225	Sept.14	\$151.67	Oct.14	\$151.67	Nov.15	\$151.66

*New players to MMHA will register in applicable House League Program

*2019 Rostered Rep Players who wish to sign up for House League are welcome to do so.

*2019 RS Players are to register in the House League program

*2019 MD Players are welcome to register in the Rep program

*2019 Rostered AAA players will register in the 2019 Rostered AAA Player package.

*2019 AAA Players returning to Milton will register in the Rep program

*2019 Milton Players rostered elsewhere are to register in House League program

**** Please note, a \$5 fee will apply to all dishonored payments**

