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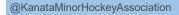
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President's Message

No matter how many years I've been at Kanata Minor hockey, every year I am amazed at the amount of work it takes to sort house league players to levels and teams and the incredible number of hours the volunteers, our convenors in particular, put into the process. Competitive teams aren't easy to be sure but house is huge. All are to be commended and thanked for their commitment to our hockey community.

Now that teams are formed and the season is underway for all Kanata players, we trust that all will have a memorable year.

Andy McAfee





KMHA House League Picture Days will be on Saturday October 13th & Sunday October 14th on the soccer field at the Bell Sensplex on Maple Grove. The final schedule will follow shortly.



KMHA are holding our 2nd Annual Halloween Contest for all members, Send us a photo of your hockey themed Halloween costume or Pumpkin and be entered to win. All entries will be shared on our social media. The deadline to submit your photo is Nov 1st.



LAST YEAR'S WINNER!

KMHA has made a change to the sponsorship policy for teams seeking sponsorship. The split is now 50-50 between team and individual.

50% of all sponsorship funds shall be credited to the player as their personal contribution, up to the amount of their budgeted team fee, with the remaining amount credited to the team's operating fund. All sponsors must have this sponsorship policy clearly communicated to them in advance so that they understand where their sponsorship dollars are being allocated.

<u>Changes to Penalty Calls:</u> There are a few changes taking place this hockey season when a penalty is called. Face-offs will be in the offending team's defending zone with a few exceptions. See below for more information.

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- (a) If a player on the team in possession of the puck commits an infraction of the rules which would call for a Match, Major, Misconduct, Bench Minor or Minor penalty, the Referee shall blow her whistle immediately and give the penalty(les) to the deserving player(s). When this situation leads to a time penalty or multiple time penalties being placed on the penalty time clock to one (1) team, making that team shorthanded, the ensuing face-off shall be conducted at one of the two end zone face-off locations in the offending team's defending zone. There are four (4) exceptions:
 - When a penalty is assessed after a goal, the face-off will take place at centre ice.
 - (2) When a penalty is assessed at the end (or before the start) of a period, the faceoff will take place at centre ice.
 - (3) When a gathering is taking place following a stoppage of play leading to a penalty and one (1) or both defensemen, point players or any player coming



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from the players' or penalty bench of the attacking team, enter deeply into the attacking zone (the top of the circle being the limit), the ensuing faceoff will take place in the neutral zone at one of the face-off spots outside the offending team's defending zone [see rule 10.2 (j)].

(4) When the non-offending team clears the puck and icing is called, the ensuing face-off will take place at one of the face-off spots outside the zone of the team that iced the puck.

NOTE: When a time differential occurs because of multiple penalties, the ensuing faceoff will take place in the shorthanded team's defending zone. In the case of multiple penalties when no time differential occurs, the ensuing face-off will take place at the face-off spot nearest to where the stoppage of play occurred, unless otherwise stated in the rules.

















KMHA are fortunate to have so many dedicated coaches who give up countless hours to make our minor hockey program rock! We are very grateful for all they do for our hockey community in Kanata. #ThanksCoach



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