

Welcome to the 2017-2018 Major Midget B hockey season!

My name is Andy Brothers, Head Coach, and I want to take this opportunity to introduce myself to those who do not know me as well, give you an idea of what the upcoming season will entail.

I have been involved with the sport in one way or another for 30 years (as a player and a coach). I have been a part of KMHA for the past 6 years as either an Assistant Coach or Head Coach.

My coaching philosophy is that focus, hard work, teamwork and discipline will be vehicles that will allow us to enjoy success. I will be looking for players who are coachable, focused and willing to learn.

The team will be on the ice 2 - 4 times per week (includes games and practices). In addition to the time commitment, the financial commitment will be approximately \$1200-\$1700 per player (this is above the KMHA player registration).

The team will be attending 3 or 4 tournaments this season (yet to be determined where). The plan is to have 2 or 3 away tournaments (1 in Halifax) and 1 local. Once they have been selected, I will provide and update.

The tryouts will likely be the 2nd week of September (dates and times will be posted to KMHA website). These sessions will be a combination of some skills sessions, intra-squad games and exhibition games. The team will be made of 17 (or 18) players who show a high level of compete, discipline and team play.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at <u>apbrothers73@gmail.com</u>.

Have a great summer!

Thanks,

Andy Brothers