

Kanata Bantam Charity Tournament 2018 Bantam House League A, B & C Friday February 23rd - 25th

Please mail this application with your cheque as soon as possible along with your official team list. **House Tournament Entry Fee: = \$1095** Please also email us a copy of your registration at kmhabantamtournament@kmha.ca

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Postdated cheques are NOT accepted, make payable to Kanata Minor Hockey Association

Mail to - Kanata Bantam Charity Tournament 124 Balbair Road Kanata, Ontario K2L 1G6 **Attention: Karen Waters**

Association & Team Name Contact Person			
Email Address			
Address			
City / Town			
Postal Code			
Home Colours			
Away Colours			
Number of <u>players</u> on Team Please check your level			
() Bantam 'A' House	() Bantam 'B' House	() Bantm 'C' House	
Please print contact info <u>C</u>	<u>LEARLY</u>		
	NAME	HOME PHONE	Email
Manager			
Coach			
Contact (if other)			

Tournament Rules

General Conduct

- KMHA and HEO Minor rules apply. The referee's decision in all matters concerning the application of the rules of the games, and the decision of the Tournament Committee regarding all aspects of the conduct of the tournament, shall be final.
- ZERO Tolerance: Taunting or berating of any players, officials, staff or tournament volunteers will NOT be tolerated
 under any circumstances by parents, players, team officials or other spectators. The KMHA Tournament reserves the
 right to eject any person whom it deems to be acting in an improper manner and we accept no liability in connection
 with ejections.
- 3. Injured or suspended players are not permitted on the bench.

Registration

- 1. Application teams must be participants in Hockey Canada or USA Hockey member association; no all-star or select teams will be accepted. If an all-star or select team is found to be playing in the tournament, all games will be forfeited as well as tournament registration fees.
- 2. Final acceptance into KMHA House League Tournament is decided by the Tournament Committee.
- 3. This is a Non-Contact tournament.
- 4. The team manager or coach must check in with the registration desk 45 minutes prior to each game.
- 5. Upon check in, teams will provide and affix their team roster labels to the game sheet.
- 6. The tournament committee may require a team to start up to 20 minutes prior to their scheduled start time.
- 7. All players must participate in at least one round-robin game to play in the semi-finals or finals. If a team is unable to substantiate its line-up to the satisfaction of the tournament committee, the team will be disqualified from the tournament and no refund shall be given.
- 8. Each team must supply a qualified Trainer (minimum level 1) for each game.
- 9. Teams must bring with them their official branch issued roster or player cards, along with proof of age and identity for all players.
- 10. It is the responsibility of a team official to collect a copy of the tournament game sheet and to ensure that game point allocations are correct for that game. It is the responsibility of the team to ensure that all applicable suspensions are served
- 11. There will be no refunds of registration fees.

Equipment

- Each player must be fully equipped in compliance with HEO Minor rules including throat/neck guard. Chinstraps must be fastened to helmet. ** Please Note, as of February 2014, mouth guards are no longer a required piece of equipment in our district**
- 2. The Home team shall wear white and the Visitor shall wear a dark colour. When it is determined that there is insufficient colour contrast between the colour of the sweaters, the Home team will be asked to change sweaters (where possible).

Game Duration

- 1. There will be a two-minute warmup before each game; the clock will start once the referees are on the ice. Each game will consist of two 10 minute and one 12 minute stop-time periods.
- 2. During the round robin, games will end: i) within the allotted time of 50 minutes or ii) by the curfew time identified on the game sheet, regardless of how much time is left on the scoreboard clock. During playoffs, teams will be allowed to complete all 3 periods.
- 3. A mercy rule will apply if there is a seven (7) goal spread in the first or second period, and a five (5) goal spread at any time in the third period, in which case the clock will revert to running time.
- 4. Teams will not be allowed any time outs during the round robin play.
- 5. Teams will be allowed one (1) 30 second time out in Final Championship game only.

Overtime

- 1. There will be no overtime in round robin games
- 2. For Semi-Final and Final Games, ties will be settled with a single five-minute stop-time sudden death period. Each team will be reduced by one skater resulting in 4-on-4 play. Penalties are carried over into overtime (although a team can have no fewer than 3 skaters on at any time).
- 3. There will be no change of ends, and no break, between the end of the regular time and the start of overtime.
- 4. If the score is still tied after the overtime period, the tie will be broken by a shootout. Before the start of overtime, each coach must submit the names of the 3 players to participate in the shootout. All team members must have taken a shot before any player can shoot again. The shootout is the best of three, with the fourth and subsequent shots sudden death after each team has had an equal number of shots on net.

Tournament Standings

The round-robin standings will be determined by the following criteria:

- 1. Win = 2 points; Tie = 1 point; Loss = 0 points
- 2. If at the end of the round-robin play, there is a tie in the standings, the winning teams will be identified according to the following criteria/steps and in the following order:
 - 1. the 'head to head' results involving the teams tied; if there are more than two (2) teams tied in the standings then go to criteria 2
 - 2. the team with the 'most wins' in the round robin plays
 - 3. the 'highest ratio of goals for, divided by goals for plus goals against (GF/(GF+GA)'
 - 4. the team with the 'lowest number of penalty minutes'
 - 5. the team with the 'lowest number of goals against'
 - 6. the team with the 'most goals for'
 - 7. Coin Toss

NOTE: in the event that three or more teams are tied, there will be no reverting back to a previous tiebreaking step as each seed is determined

Tournament Standings for Teams with 4 games

Tournament standing rules for round-robin games are based on 3 games and rules will be the same for all teams.

- 1. For a team playing 4 round-robin games, the following criteria and order will be used to remove one (1) game from their overall standing calculations:
 - 1. the 'lowest ratio of goals for, divided by goals for plus goals against (GF/(GF+GA)'
 - 2. the 'highest number of penalty minutes'
 - 3. the 'highest number of goals against
 - 4. the 'least "goals for'
 - 5. pick out of a hat

Protests

- 1. No appeals will be entertained and the decision of the referee is final.
- 2. Should an issue fall outside the parameters of these rules; any decision can only be adjudicated by a member of the KMHA Tournament Committee. Their decision will be final.

History

The **Kanata Bantam Charity Tournament** began in 2011/12, with 16 teams competing. A dedicated group of volunteers helped make the tournament a huge success with **\$7,675** raised in its first year.

Since then it has grown to 36 teams and has raised a total of \$76,902.48 and counting.

We have been able to offer support to charities and community services such as The Youth Services Board of Ottawa in memory of Kanata teen Jamie Hubley as well as the Ruddy-Shenkman Hospice in Kanata and "Hopes Rising" a campaign for mental health at the Queensway Carleton Hospital.

This year the Kanata Bantam Charity Tournament will be supporting two equally wonderful causes in memory of Michaela Martel. The Big Brothers and Big Sisters along with the Youth Services Bureau to support mental health will both benefit from your participation in our tournament.

We thank you in advance for helping us make a difference in our community and in the lives of our youth through Hockey.

Mission Statement

"Helping through Hockey" hence it is our goal to have minor hockey players come together, have fun, play the game we all love, while helping the community around us.