

2019 INTERNATIONAL CHRISTMAS HOUSE LEAGUE HOCKEY TOURNAMENT OSHAWA, ONTARIO CANADA

DATES

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27TH
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28TH
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29TH

MAKING HOCKEY "FUN"



up to 100 TEAMS

DIVISIONS FROM ATOM (9 YRS.) TO MIDGET/JUVENILE
"NO BODY CHECKING" IN ALL DIVISIONS



O.M.H.A. SANCTIONED

ONTARIO MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION
N.A.S.C. HOCKEY, OSHAWA ONTARIO CANADA
N.A.S.C. (NEIGHBOURHOOD ASSOCIATION SPORTS COMMITTEE) Hockey

GAMES:

THREE (3) ROUND ROBIN GAMES GUARANTEED
(3-10 MINUTE STOP TIME PERIODS GUARANTEED)

SCHEDULES:

SCHEDULES WILL BE POSTED ON OUR WEBSITE APPROX. THE SECOND WEEK OF DECEMBER.
(<http://www.naschockeyoshawa.org>)

HOW TO REGISTER:

- All teams MUST register on-line and download and print a copy of the mandatory documents.
- All teams MUST supply an official copy of their Team Roster endorsed by their Governing Body (OMHA / Alliance / USA Hockey) by no later than Dec.13th, 2019
- All teams MUST provide proof of permission to participate in the tournament, signed by their league President/Chairman no later than Dec.13th, 2019

All documents can be scanned and emailed as .pdf files to tournaments@naschockeyoshawa.org
OR they can be faxed to (905) 721-1035

**TEAMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNTIL PAYMENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED AND THE ABOVE
CONDITIONS MET IN THEIR ENTIRETY**

ONCE ACCEPTED AND PAYMENT PROCESSED, NO REFUNDS ARE PERMITTED

MAIL TO: N.A.S.C. Hockey Annual Christmas Tournament
350 Durham Court
OSHAWA, ON L1J 1W9
FAX TO: (905) 721-1035

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:
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EVERY PLAYER WILL RECEIVE A TOURNAMENT MOMENTO

**OSHAWA N.A.S.C. Hockey Annual Christmas Tournament
HOUSE LEAGUE TOURNAMENT PLAYING RULES**

DECEMBER 27 – 29, 2019

1. ALL O.M.H.A. RULES WILL APPLY. All players must wear a mouthguard.
2. Approved House League roster sheets must be submitted to the Tournament Committee before the first game. All players must be on an O.M.H.A. or similar governing body roster sheet, submitted to the Tournament Committee, to be eligible for play.
3. No application fees will be refunded after December 13, 2019.
4. NO PLAYERS can be added to a team under any circumstances for this tournament.
5. **All teams must be prepared to start all games fifteen minutes prior to their scheduled game time.** If not ready, a TWO-MINUTE PENALTY MAY BE ASSESSED. This is to ensure the schedule is maintained.
6. Referees decision is FINAL.
7. NO protests will be permitted.
8. ***ALL FIGHTING MAJORS SHALL result in IMMEDIATE SUSPENSION from the TOURNAMENT.***
9. All round robin games will consist of three ten (10) minute stop time periods. If the game is prolonged through excessive game stoppage, the buzzer will sound to end the game. **All preliminary round robin games adhere to a curfew.** This is to allow all games to start on time and eliminate delays. There is no curfew for final round playoff games.
10. If there is a five (5) goal or greater spread, in the third period, the clock will be allowed to run. If the spread becomes less than five (5) goals, the time clock will revert to stop time. This applies in Round Robin and Semi-Final rounds only.

THIS APPLIES TO ALL AGE GROUPS

11. Ties count in round robin game play (no overtime).
12. Ties in round robin standings will be broken as follows:
 1. Winner of game between tied teams
 2. Least goals against
 3. Least penalty minutes (3 game series total)
 4. "Goals for" divided by "Goals against" (according to Game Sheets)

13. Overtime in Championship games, will consist of one (1), five-on-five, five (5) MINUTE SUDDEN DEATH PERIOD. At the end of the 5 minutes, if no winner has been declared, there will be a shootout.

Before each Championship game the coaches are required to list on the game sheet, the first five (5) players for the shoot-out in the order they are to shoot. Players will be lined up on their respective benches in the order that the coaching staff has identified on the game sheet. Shootout will be conducted by referee instruction and both players will go upon the signal of the referee.

Both players will leave the centre ice circle upon signal of the referee. In the event that the score is still tied after the first five (5) selected players have gone, the coach then selects a new player for each next shot and shootout play then becomes sudden death.

Note: The original 5 players identified on the game sheet prior to the start of the game, CANNOT be re-used unless all players listed on the game sheet have been used.

If a player who has been identified on the game sheet prior to the game is in the penalty box at the end of the game's overtime period, and the Referee determines that a shootout is required, the player(s) in the penalty box are ineligible to participate in the shoot-out and alternate players must be provided by the coach prior to the commencement of the shootout.

14. One (1) – thirty (30) second time-out is permitted in final round championship games only.
15. The tournament committee reserves the right to make decisions regarding the interpretation of the tournament rules. ALL DECISIONS ARE FINAL.
16. Any player assessed a 3rd penalty in a game, the player will be ejected for the remainder of the game.
17. Any team found playing an ineligible player will forfeit any points earned in the game, and shall be reported to their league executive and the O.M.H.A. As a result, the Head Coach will be suspended from further tournament play.
18. Payment of any damage caused to facilities will be the responsibility of the offending team. The tournament, Oshawa N.A.S.C. Hockey, Arena Staff and Management will not be responsible for any injuries, damages or thefts that may occur during the tournament.
19. **There will be absolutely NO Tolerance of any form of abuse towards any game, league and/or tournament committee member or official. Such acts will be dealt with immediately and may result in the team being removed from the event.**
20. **Any concerns/complaints are to be discussed with the N.A.S.C. Hockey Tournament Chair, N.A.S.C. Hockey 1st Vice Chairman and/or N.A.S.C. Hockey League Registrar. Dependent upon the issue at hand, a 24-hour “cooling off period” may be invoked by the Tournament Committee and no further discussion will be permitted.**

THERE IS NO BODY CHECKING IN ALL DIVISIONS.

PLEASE NOTE: It is your responsibility to get a dressing room key.

NOTE: Please advise your team spectators there will be NO gate fees and they will be allowed to access the arenas at any time to watch games.

POINT SYSTEM FOR ROUND ROBIN GAMES

WIN	TWO (2) POINTS
TIE	ONE (1) POINT
LOSS	ZERO (0) POINTS
WIN A PERIOD	ONE (1) POINT
TIE A PERIOD	HALF (1/2) POINT

MAXIMUM POINTS PER GAME FIVE (5)

Check your game sheets after each game against the Official Tournament Standings and bring any discrepancies to the attention of the Tournament Committee.

Playoff format is determined by the size of each division. Each division may have a different format. Please check the standing sheets outside the Tournament Committee office for your division format. While every effort will be made to have all divisions the same, sometimes-unforeseen circumstances force the tournament committee to make changes.

BEST OF LUCK TO EVERYONE AND ENJOY OSHAWA...

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