



Key Dates

Dec 21-29: U7-U9 Winter Classic
Jan 2-5: U11A Winter Classic
Feb 8: ND Fights Cancer Night
Feb 1: NDMHA Night @ Vancouver Giants
March 15-18: U13C & U18C Spring Classic
March 20-23: U11C & U15C Spring Classic

Send us your pics!

Each team has great stories within their group - on and off the ice. Help us celebrate them with you by sharing the information, videos and pictures.

If each team has one or two parents who want to be the team official communications volunteers who sends a couple pictures/stories each week, imagine how much of our story we can share!

Send pictures with names, team info etc to Amit at media@ndhockey.com

Hockey One Program

Registration is open for any U6 player to join ND Hockey's unique intro to hockey program. If you know any neighbours or younger siblings of your child's friends that live in North Delta, be sure to spread the word and let them come out and have a blast on the ice! Starter hockey equipment package is included!

[Click here for more information.](#)

Welcoming in a new season



With the season set up now behind us, we always try to look back at what went right and build on the positives and at the same time we look to identify what things we can improve upon. We sat down together as a group and identified a few key areas that we hope to be able to make changes to help make the process a little bit smoother for next season. This year, we had a lot of new people in key executive roles that were trying their hardest to learn on the fly and try to stay on top of everything that was / is coming their way. We appreciate your patience and consideration

It has been my honour to serve as President of NDMHA over the past five and a half years. I have been privileged to coach hundreds of kids alongside some fantastic coaches. I have met many parents and the one question that parents tend to ask me a lot, besides "You're still here?". Is about their players' development. From my experience, there are two things that are far more important than our players' development.

#1 - The importance of building character, playing the game with integrity, accountability, and discipline. Making sure that your player speaks to their coaches with the utmost respect. Respect for their teammates, the game, opponents, and officials.

#2 - It is imperative that they learn good work ethics, instill in them the importance of never missing a practice, always being on time. Hockey imitates life, the habits and values formed through hockey - hard work, commitment and resilience - will serve them well beyond the rink, in every aspect of life and work.

Looking forward to a successful season, filled with tournament wins, playoffs, banners, and memories for both parents & players.

Rob Reid
President
NDMHA



2024 Jersey Day - Lights, Camera, Smoke Machine?!

It's a special day when you get handed your ND jersey for our U7 and U9 players and we were so happy to catch the smiles from the day. Thanks to Amit and Ashley for making the event so special for the players this year.



Helmet Decals honoring Dominic Giammarco

Helmet decals to honour Dominic Giammarco are being distributed across the association.

Dominic was a 2009-born player and would have been a 1st-year U18 skater this season. He started hockey late but quickly excelled as he was a natural athlete who absolutely loved to compete. Though he was soft-spoken, he was a natural leader and someone that we could always count on both on and off the ice. He always had a smile on his face and his enthusiasm was infectious, and it was an easy choice to name him a team captain.

When medical issues prevented him from being able to play hockey, he returned as an assistant coach and continued to give his time at practices and on the bench at games. He never stopped supporting and caring for his teammates, even when he could no longer be on the ice with them in competition.

Helmet decals won't make things better, but we hope that they will help us all keep Dom in our hearts this season and beyond.



Have you been wondering how to get your player outfitted with some ND Hockey branded apparel? [Click here](#) to go to the ND Team Store and show your Sun Devils pride today!

2023-24 Season Award Winners

Each year the association recognizes outstanding contributions from our members. We gathered together in June to celebrate the award winners. Below is a listing of all those celebrated for last season. Be sure to watch out for people this year who go above and beyond to make the hockey experience for those around them a great one so they may have the chance to be recognized at the end of this season.

- Brad Hack Award:** Gurveer Jaswal (U18C)
Nick Boyce (U18A)
- Jeff Kerpluck Award:** Avi Rai (U15C)
- Reginald Atkinson Award:** Barik Berar (A1)
Jerome Levangie (C)
John Smith (A2)
- Connor Anderson Award:** Chauncey Yu (U13C)
Kelan Bringsli (U18A)
- Clifford Wright Award:** Houston Minhas (U11C)
- Leo Sweeny Memorial Award:** Teshaan Pooni
- Ken Waterman Memorial Award:** Curtis Stadnek
- James Rennie Memorial Award:** Peter Karppa
- Neil McDonald Award:** Dominic Giammarco
- Leadership Awards:** Chayse Hainz (U18A1)
Carter Miedema (U15C2)
Dan Kay (U18C)
Evan Lau (U11C)
Harshinder Senghera (U15C1)
Henry Ircha (U11A1)
Houston Minhas (U11C1)
Jack Saunders (U11C3)
James Marek (U15A2)
Keaton Walker (U13C2)
Kevin Goodale (U13A1)
Kyle Pugsley (U15A1)
Landon Corpuz (U9C1)
Lukas Seath (U13C1)
Parker Martin (U7C2)
Sawyer Delisle (U18C1)
- Sportswoman of the Year:** Harneet Teja
- Sportsman of the Year:** Gary Brar
- Trainer of the Year:** Jeff Walker
- Official of the Year:** Linden Chow
- Coach of the Year:** Aaron Nordean (C)
Peter Pothier (U6-U9)
Reggie Hayer (A)
- Outstanding Service Awards:** Devin Dandiwal
Dominic Figurelli
Jeff Miller
Maddison Wing



Introducing our Division Leadership

With each newsletter, we will introduce some of our team starting with our Vice-Presidents and Division Managers who are taking care of all of our families. This group is the driving force behind getting all of our players on the ice, coaches set up and supporting our team managers this season and we are so grateful for the hours of time they have all spent making the start of this year so smooth.



Vice-President 1 (Rep A)
Dave Zemlak



Vice-President 2 (U13-U21C)
Kim Dennis



Vice-President 3 (U6-U11C)
Ashley Swartz



U6 Division Manager
Monica Reid



U7-U9 Division Manager
Amit Khanna



U11C Division Manager
Zoey Erwin



U13C Division Manager
Raj Nagi



U15C Division Manager
Brandi Weir



U18C Division Manager
Amy Becker