

Your Fort Sask Minor Hockey Accurate and up to date Information



This is our second monthly newsletter of the season! If you missed the first issue, don't worry - you can find all our previous newsletters on our website under News/Updates. We look forward to an amazing season ahead!

• IMPORTANT DATES



What is New this Month:

JRC Renovations- Update from the City:

Here are some changes that occurred over the off season:

- The NEW Zamboni room is reaching final stages of completion.
- The score clock is in a temporary location for the season due to this change.
- For the first few months, only one full size set of nets will be available for use



Things to consider for the ice season:

- Emergency exits are only used only for emergency.
- Parking available along the road behind the JRC. Drop off zone available for parents to let their child out and then locate available parking.
- Temporary change rooms and washrooms do have a "step up" to enter as do the public washrooms.
- Rubber matting is available, and skate guards are encouraged.
- Encourage ice participants to arrive with two full water bottles (if they require) for practice or games. Water bottles can be filled at the water bottle fill station inside of the arena.

Sports Evaluations

- U9-U18 Co-Ed Rangers teams are now in Evaluations. If you have questions about your players evaluations please visit: <https://www.sportsevaluations.com/faq/>





What's Happening

Registration and Ice:

Registration season has officially closed, and we are now in the process of forming teams. We understand that this year's registration was challenging due to limited ice availability in our community. Unfortunately, this year we were not able to grow our association as much as we would have liked but with the change from Hockey Alberta this year increasing team sizes to 18 skaters and 2 goalies it did allow us to take one extra player at all teams.

Thanks to the addition of some Bruderheim slots, we have removed Lamont from our ice allocation this season. This season FSMH has secured ice in Fort Sask, Bruderheim and Redwater.

Wait List:

This season, we have seen an increasing waitlist in most of our divisions. We accepted as many players as possible given our current team capacity.

In the Fury division (U9-U18), there is a total of waitlist of 4 players that have been released or that have found a surrounding association to participate with for the 24-25 season, with a couple of spots still available for skaters in U9 Fury.

Continuation of Waitlist Details:

For the Rangers division:

- U11: There is a waitlist of 10 players, of which 9 have already secured registration spots with surrounding associations.
- U13: There is a waitlist of 5 players, all of whom have secured spots with surrounding associations.
- U15: The current waitlist stands at 14 players. However, we will not be able to confirm how many of these players we can accept until the AAA and AA teams have completed their formation.
- U18: We will not have information on this waitlist until the AAA and AA team formations are further along.

Schedules:

We are currently finalizing all team practice schedules and will share them with team managers before October 1.

Game schedules are also being developed. It's important to note that Fort Sask Minor Hockey does not schedule games; instead, we provide ice to the league ice allocators, who are responsible for creating the season schedules.

The AAA and AA leagues have received their schedules, and the EFHL is currently working on the tiered hockey schedules.



Sponsor Feature

We are thrilled to announce that **Winners Way Source for Sports** is sponsoring FSMH Coaches this Season!

Every Head Coach will receive an awesome tote bag filled with essentials: a whistle and lanyard, a whiteboard, extra whiteboard markers, and a special coach VIP discount card to use throughout the season!

But that's not all—Winners Way is also providing each FSMH and RAC player with a discount card to enjoy all season long! We couldn't be more excited about this partnership and the incredible support for our coaches and players!

Thank you Winners Way Source for Sports for all your support!!!



Canadian Brewhouse Community Hero of the Month

Stay tuned for our first player that is awarded the Canadian Brewhouse Community Hero of the Month!!! - Coming Soon



Bladz Heart and Hustle Award

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River Valley Chrysler Team of the Month

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