

FORT SASK

MINOR HOCKEY

NEWSLETTER

Your Fort Sask Minor Hockey Accurate and up to date Information



HAPPY HOLIDAYS

December brings with it a time of celebration, reflection, and togetherness, and we are so thankful for the Fort Saskatchewan Minor Hockey family that makes this season bright.

Whether it's a first goal, a great save, or the spirit of teamwork, these moments remind us of the joy hockey brings to our community. A huge thank you to our coaches, volunteers, and families who make it all possible.

As we celebrate the holidays, we encourage everyone to take time to relax, recharge, and enjoy quality moments with family and friends. Whether you're attending a game or simply enjoying the festive cheer, we hope the holiday season brings joy, laughter, and special memories for all.

On behalf of the Fort Saskatchewan Minor Hockey, we wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Here's to a successful second half of the season filled with great plays, teamwork, and community spirit.

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What is New this Month:

FSMH 50/50 - December Raffle

- Draw Date: Dec 24, 2024
- Ticket Sales End: Dec 23, 2024

Please remind your family and friends to select your player's name from the dropdown list when purchasing tickets. This ensures that every ticket sold will contribute towards your fundraising bond reimbursement.

[Purchase Tickets Here](#)





What is New this Month:

FSMH CHRISTMAS CAMPS

Player Camps

- DEC 27 & 30
- EdgeBoss Equipment & Defensive Edge
- \$50.00

This holiday season FSMH is hosting a quick two-day camp to keep players moving over the holidays and to get some experience with our new Edgeboss equipment from one of our preferred development instructors Defensive Edge.

• GOALIE CAMPS

- DEC 27 & 30
- Kurtis Mucha
- \$25.00

This holiday season FSMH is hosting one-day camps to keep goalies moving over the holidays with our preferred goalie development instructor Kurtis Mucha.

CHRISTMAS
•DEVELOPMENT•

PLAYERS:

DEFENSIVE EDGE & EDGEBOSS
 U9 - DEC 27 & 30 - 4:15-5:15 PM - JRC
 U11 - DEC 27 & 30 - 5:30-6:30 PM - JRC
 U13 - DEC 27 & 30 - 6:45-7:45 PM - JRC
 U15/18 - DEC 27 & 30 - 8:00-9:00 PM JRC

COST: \$50.00

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CHRISTMAS
•DEVELOPMENT•

GOALIES:

KURTIS MUCHA GOALIE DEVELOPMENT
 U9/U11 - DEC 27 - 3:00-4:00 PM - JRC
 U13/U15/U18 - DEC 30 - 3:00-4:00 PM - JRC

COST: \$25.00

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Another Reminder:**No Refs No Play:**

FSMH is committed to creating a positive, supportive environment for all players, coaches, and officials. We would like to take this opportunity to remind all parents, players, and spectators that any form of abuse or disrespect toward referees or officials will not be tolerated.

Officials play a crucial role in ensuring fair play and safety during every game, and they deserve to be treated with the same respect we expect for our players and coaches. Disrespectful behavior, including verbal abuse, harassment, or negative comments directed at officials, undermines the integrity of the game and the positive atmosphere we strive to foster.

As a community, we all have a responsibility to model good sportsmanship and uphold the values of respect and fairness. We ask that you support our players, coaches, and officials in a way that reflects these principles, ensuring a safe and enjoyable experience for everyone involved.

No Refs No Play cont...

Starting in December, Fort Saskatchewan Minor Hockey is implementing a new measure to help ensure that our games remain respectful and enjoyable for everyone involved. A QR code will now be displayed in the officials' dressing room, allowing referees and officials to directly report any instances of unruly or abusive behavior to FSMH for immediate review.

This new tool ensures that any inappropriate conduct, whether from spectators, parents, or others, can be addressed quickly and appropriately. Please be aware that any spectator reported for disruptive or abusive behavior could face disciplinary action from FSMH. This may include but is not limited to a ban from attending FSMH-sanctioned games, practices, and events.

In cases where unruly behavior is reported during a game or practice, the individual in question will be asked to vacate the FSMH rented space (arena). If the request is not complied with, municipal enforcement will be called to assist in the removal.

We appreciate everyone's cooperation in maintaining a safe, positive, and respectful environment for all players, officials, and spectators. Let's work together to make this season enjoyable for everyone by fostering sportsmanship and respect in all aspects of the game. Thank you for your understanding and support!



Sponsor Feature



Strike Based in Western Canada with a head office in Calgary, Alberta, we provide energy and industrial construction and maintenance services across the largest geographical area in Canada. Our diversified service offerings answer all of your needs while meeting your safety, community engagement, and diversity requirements — on time and on budget. We're more than just a dealership; we're your neighbors in the Fort Saskatchewan community, passionate

Thank you Strike for your continued support of the Rangers Athletic Club! FORT SASK U18AAA RANGERS PLATINUM SPONSOR.

The Tim Hortons Timbits Sports Program is a community-oriented program that provides opportunities for kids aged four to eight to play house league hockey and soccer. The philosophy of the program is not based on winning or losing, but on learning a new sport, making new friends and just being a kid.

Tim Hortons provides jerseys, along with participation medals and other items, to Timbits players in local hockey and soccer associations across the country. Last year alone, more than 300,000 boys and girls were proudly supported through Timbits Sports.



Thank you Tim Hortons for your continued support of the Timbits program in Fort Sask.





Canadian Brewhouse Community Hero of the Month - Sawyer Bieganek

Sawyer has truly embraced his role as a goalie coach mentor to our U9 team.

Sawyer has shown a maturity beyond his years. He comes to the arena with an exceptionally positive attitude which is contagious. He is looked up to by the team as a leader and a role model.

-coach kevin



Bladz Heart and Hustle Award - Jada Pesony

Jada Pesony is a remarkable hockey player whose determination, sportsmanship, and enthusiasm set her apart on the ice. Every game, she approaches her performance with an unwavering commitment, pushing herself to improve and inspire her teammates. Jada's positive attitude is infectious; she celebrates not only her own successes but also those of her opponents, demonstrating true sportsmanship that fosters respect and camaraderie. Her relentless energy and passion for the game shine through in every shift, making her a role model for aspiring athletes. Whether she's executing a flawless play or encouraging her teammates during tough moments, Jada embodies the spirit of the sport, proving that hockey is about more than just winning—it's about heart and character.

-COACH ANDREW

RIVER VALLEY



River Valley Chrysler Team of the Month - FS407

This holiday season our Fury girls joined local organization "the paper bag fairies" to make Christmas cards for seniors in our community.

This group prepares 500 cards for residents of local senior homes and we were thrilled to help one evening to contribute a few dozen cards.

-manager andrea





Important Dates:

- Dec 24-27 FSMH Office Closed
- Jan 1 New Years Day - FSMH Office Closed
- Jan 10-19th Edmonton Minor Hockey Week
- Feb 1-March 16 - EFHL U9 Exhibition series
- Feb 15 Female Hockey Day
- Feb 23 - U18AAA Regular Season ends
- Feb 26-March 30 - U18AAA play offs
- March 1-15 EFHL U11-U18 Play off Season
- March 2 - U15AAA Regular Season ends
- March 5-15 - U15AAA Playoffs
- March 9 - U17AAA Regular season ends
- March 12-30 - U17AAA Playoffs
- April 18 - Good Friday

