



MISSISSAUGA GIRLS HOCKEY LEAGUE

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MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

Purpose: The purpose of the program is to offer an opportunity to **Midget age girls playing hockey in the MGHL to acquire volunteer hours for school** by assisting teams at the Novice and Atom levels.

Eligibility: Midget age girls playing hockey in the MGHL at either the rep or house league levels.

Staffing: Mentorship program coordinator position will be created and staffed by a parent volunteer. This position will be a member of the House League Executive committee and report to the President of house league.

Job Description: Assist with the recruiting, assigning, monitoring and documentation of the players and teams involved in the program. Report to the President of House league on the progress/ problems associated with the program. Identify any ways to improve the Mentorship program.

Benefits: The benefit of this program is that it assists girls currently playing hockey in the MGHL with a means of securing volunteer hours for school, assists younger aged girls playing in the MGHL by providing positive role models and potential develops a pool of future female coaches for the MGHL.

Process

1. Communication will be sent out to the conveners of the Novice/ Atom and Midget divisions and Rep Director.
2. Midget age players interested in participating in the program will forward an email to the Mentorship Program Coordinator or President of House League expressing their interest to participate along with their hockey experience (playing and/or coaching).
3. The Novice/Atom conveners in consultation with President of House League will identify the teams to receive a Midget age player in order of need (most required to least required).
4. Mentorship Program Coordinator will assign a player to a specified team and email both coach and Midget aged player of placement. The house league coach will be required to submit to the Mentorship Program Coordinator a monthly update on the Midget aged player's hours for tracking purposes.
5. At the end of the season the Mentorship Program Coordinator will complete letters confirming the hours the Midget aged player has completed and forward the letters to the President of House League for his/her signature. The letters shall be returned to the Mentorship Program Coordinator to be distributed to the involved Midget player.
6. Copies of all letters shall be retained for three years by the Mentorship Coordinator.