

## **PLAYER REGISTRATION**

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1. No player may participate in GDMHA activities unless properly registered. A player is registered when a completed registration form has been filed with the Association and registration fees have been paid.

- Registration will be rescinded if fees or arrangements for payment have not been made by October 15<sup>th</sup>.
- All NSF cheques must be made good within four weeks of notification or registration will be rescinded.

2. GDMHA is committed to working with families with financial constraints to ensure any and all children who want to join the association are able to. If required, financial assistance and/or payment plan can be coordinated after discussion with the treasurer

3. Each player must be properly registered and insured through the Association with Hockey Canada and BC HOCKEY before stepping on the ice with the exception of specialty programs throughout the year organized under iPlayHockey rules. Examples such as lunch programs, female programs, and training camps, players must have the full name, address, and age of the participant. All on ice activity must be in full gear.

4. Children under the age of 10 shall not be left in the arena unattended.

5. Players may participate on teams of their identified gender.

6. Female players may choose to play on an integrated team or a female team for their age group. If both teams are available they may also chose to dual roster and be on both the integrated and female team. In doing so they will chose a primary team so that planning can be made to ensure that both teams have sufficient players to participate in games and tournaments. A player who is dual rostered is expected to attend a minimum of one practice per week for each team at a minimum. To dual roster there will be an additional \$150 fee paid at registration.

7. Families with three or more children registered in GDMHA will pay a discounted rate equivalent to the new player rate for the third child and subsequent children. The discounted rate shall apply to the lowest rate.

8. Refunds

- Players withdrawing from the program prior to October 1st will receive a full refund
- Prior to November 1st 75% of the registration fee will be refunded
- Prior to December 1st 50% of the registration fee will be refunded
- On or after December 1st no refund will be issued.

9. GDMHA reserves the right to charge a \$50 administration fee for any pre-registered events for which a player does not show up nor informs GDMHA of the reasons for non

attendance within a sufficient period of time prior to the event.

10. Any player that registers after January 1st will be welcome to join and practice. The coach and registrar will communicate expectations to the new player about participation in games and tournaments when joining the team with consideration of oversized rosters and overall skill level.