

# BC Hockey Championships 2021/22

# U15 Tier 2

March 19-23,2022

Hosted by

# **Greater Vernon Minor Hockey Association**



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Players, coaches, officials and parents,

On behalf to the Greater Vernon Minor Hockey Association, welcome to the 2021-22 U15 T2 Provincial Championships in Vernon, BC. Congratulations! It is a considerable achievement to qualify for the BC Hockey Championships and it is our goal to make the experience a life-long memory for you and your teammates.

With teams representing all corners of British Columbia and the Yukon, this tournament is a true representation of the game. Hockey unifies our country more than any other sport and it is with this perspective that we approach our celebration of the game.

Thank you to BC Hockey and the Okanagan Mainline Amateur Hockey Association for the opportunity to host this tournament. We hope to represent the GVMHA at its best. Although we are a relatively small association compared to our coastal counterparts we depend tremendously on our volunteers and community sponsors. I cannot emphasize enough how hard our volunteers have worked to make this tournament possible and the financial support provided by our sponsors. Please take a moment to thank a volunteer and an event sponsor during these championships.

Finally, thank you to all the players, coaches, referees and parents. You are the reason we are all here. You fill us with pride, anticipation and excitement and we look forward to seeing you play some great hockey. Play fair, play your best, and enjoy the tournament!

Sincerely,

Gord Sitter President - Greater Vernon Minor Hockey Association



# TOURNAMENT CONTACT INFORMATION

### KAL TIRE PLACE NORTH

## 3445 43<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Vernon, BC V1T 8P5



Chris Collard	Host Committee Chair	jaxxonjace@gmail.com	250-938-1770
TBD	Game Manager		
TBD	Events Manager		
Gord Sitter	GVMHA President	presidentgvmha@shaw.ca	250-542-0754
Michelle McCrea	GVMHA Administrator	gvmha@shaw.ca	250-542-0754
Sam Mowat	GVMHA Director of Hockey	directorofhockey@shaw.ca	250-542-0754
TBD	BC Hockey Representative		
TBD	BC Hockey Officiating Supervisor		

### **OTHER IMPORTANT CONTACTS**

## **EMERGENCY – DIAL 9-1-1**



Vernon Jubilee Hospital

2101 32 Street, Vernon, 250-545-2211

7 minutes away from Kal Tire Place North. 24 hrs/day, 7 days a week

Primacy – North Okanagan Medical Clinic

5001 Anderson Way, Vernon, 250-545-8338

Located in Real Canadian Superstore – upper level

4 minutes away from Kal Tire Place North. 9am-9pm, 7 days a week



Police – RCMP 9-1-1

3402 30th Street, Vernon, non-emergency 250-545-7171

### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### Saturday March 19, 2022

### 5:00 pm Coaches and On-ice Officials Meeting

- > Meeting will take place in the Breakaway room at Kal Tire Place North
- Meeting will be chaired by the BC Hockey Representative and the BC Officiating Supervisor

### Sunday March 20, 2022 – Wednesday March 23, 2022

### Tournament – see schedule

- First game 10:00 am Sunday March 20
- > Opening Ceremonies 6:15 pm, Kal Tire Place North
  - Attendance is mandatory for all teams. Players starting or finishing a game before or after the ceremony will be in full gear. All other teams are asked to wear their home jerseys.

### Wednesday March 23, 2019 – Championship Day

Semi final games in morning at 8:00 and 8:15

### Bronze & Gold Medal Game – 2:00 PM & 5:00 PM

Closing Ceremonies – upon completion of Gold Medal game

# PLAYOFF SCHEDULE TEMPLATES

### EIGHT TEAM FORMAT

DAY 1	Sunday 20th	DAY 2	Monday 21st
10:00	A1 vs A4	10:00	A3 vs A1
12:45	B1 vs B4	12:45	B3 vs B1
3:30	A2 vs A3	3:30	A4 vs A2
6:15	OPENING CEREMONIES	6:15	B4 vs B2
6:45	B2 vs B3		
DAY 3	Tuesday 22nd	DAY 4	Wednesday 20th
10:00	A3 vs A4	8:00	1 <sup>st</sup> A vs 2 <sup>nd</sup> B
12:45	B3 vs B4	8:15	1 <sup>st</sup> B vs 2 <sup>nd</sup> A
3:30	A1 vs A2		
6:15	B1 vs B2	2:00	BRONZE
		5:00	GOLD

First Place Team in the Round Robin will be the Home Team in the Championship Game.

## ACCOMMODATIONS

ACCOMMDATIONS BLOCKS HAVE BEEN ARRANGED WITH OUR SPONSOR HOTELS.

### WE REQUIRE TEAMS ATTENDING TO CONTACT OR CHAMPIONSHIP CHAIR TO BE HANDED OFF TO ONE OUR RESERVED HOTEL BLOCKS.

CHAIR CONTACT IS CHRIS COLLARD 250-938-1770

# **VERNON DETAILS**

# **ACTIVATE** YOUR GETAWAYS

GENERAL TOUR INFORMATION | VERNON, BRITISH COLUMBIA



## **VERNON** OVERVIEW



Located 30 minutes drive north of Kelowna International Airport

# 6 DRIVING

4 1/2 hours from Vancouver 7 hours from Calgary 7 hours from Seattle

FLYING

55 minutes from Vancouver 1 hour from Victoria 1 hour, 5 mins from Seattle & Calgary 4 hours, 15 mins from Toronto

#### TOURISM SEASON

BEST TIME TO VISIT: May 1 - October 31

PEAK July & August

SHOULDER May-Jun & Sep-Oct

SLOWEST SEASON Nov-Apr

#### HOTELS 26 | ROOMS 1400

\*\*\*\* INDEPENDENT: Sparkling Hill Resort, Predator Ridge Golf Resort, Village Green Hotel

\*\*\*-\*\*\*\* BRAND: Fairfield Inn & Suites, Best Western Pacific Inn, Prestige Inn & Suites, Holiday Inn Express, Sandman Inn & Suites

INDEPENDENT: Vernon Lodge & **Conference** Centre

\*\*-\*\*\* BRAND: Super 8, Days Inn INDEPENDENT: Silver Star Motel, Schell Motel, Polson Park Motel

### ACTIVITIES







YEAR ROUND







Hot Air Ballooning Winter Carnival YEAR ROUND YEAR ROUND FEB



ATVing Paragliding MAR - OCT MAR - OCT











Farm Experience MAR - OCT

Hiking MAR - OCT



Kayaking MAR - OCT

Boating

Snowshoeing

Snowmobiling NOV - APR

NOV - APR







APR - OCT







# **VERNON DETAILS...cont**

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#### BEES & HONEY FIT/GROUP/SCHOOL

- Planet Bee Honey Farm &
- Honeymoon Meadery

ACTIVITIES: Honey tasting | Mead tasting | Educational tours | Shopping

#### SKI EXPERIENCES FIT/GROUP/SCHOOL

- SilverStar Mountain Resort
- Sovereign Lake Nordic Centre

ACTIVITIES: Downhill Ski & Snowboard | Nordic/Cross Country Skiing | Fat biking | Snowshoeing | Ice Skating | Snow Tubing | Sleigh Rides | Rentals | Restaurants/Pubs

#### **BIKE TRAIL RIDING FIT/GROUP**

- Sun Country Cycles
- Kalamalka Lake Provincial Park
- Okanagan Rail Trail
- Ellison Provincial Park

SilverStar Mountain Resort

ACTIVITIES: Trails & Bike Park | Bike & Gear Rentals | Guides

#### **TESLA RENTALS** FIT/CORPORATE

Power Trips

#### ACTIVITIES: Electric, luxury vehicle rentals

#### AFTERNOON TEA FIT/GROUP

Mackie Lake House

ACTIVITIES: Heritage home tour | artist in residence | Afternoon Tea |

#### COWBOY RANCH EXPERIENCES FIT/GROUP/SCHOOL

• The Historic O'Keefe Ranch

ACTIVITIES: Heritage Ranch | Farm animals | Tours | Cowboy Dinner | Special events | Stagecoach rides | Roping lessons | Restaurant

#### **GOLFING** FIT/GROUP/CORPORATE

- Predator Ridge Golf Resort
- The Rise
- Spallumcheen Golf & Country ClubVernon Golf & Country Club

ACTIVITIES: Golf | Golf lessons | Dining | Biking, Yoga, Fitness Centre & Fine dining at Predator Ridge Resort

#### STAND UP PADDLE BOARDING FIT/GROUP

Kalavida Surf Shop
 ACTIVITIES: Rentals for SUP & bikes |
 SUP Lessons | Café

#### CRAFT CIDER, BEER, MEAD, SPIRITS & WINERY TOURS FIT/GROUP

- The BX Press Cidery
- Okanagan Spirits
- Planet Bee Honeymoon Meadery
- Farmstrong Cider Company
- Scenic Sip 8 wineries (Lake Country)

ACTIVITIES: Tastings & tours | Dining at Farmstrong Cider Company, Gray Monk, Chase, Arrowleaf and ExNihilo

TOURING COMPANIES: Mojo Tours | SIP Happens | Beach Bum Tours | Cheers Okanagan Tours

#### ORCHARD & FARM TO TABLE EXPIERENCES FIT/GROUP/SCHOOL

Davison Orchards

ACTIVITIES: Train ride & farm tour | You-pick fruits & vegetables | Market | Bakery | Apple juice | Local products | Café





NATURE TOURS & RAPTOR SHOWS FIT/SCHOOL/GROUP

Allan Brooks Nature Centre
 ACTIVITIES: Nature tours | Raptor show |
 View point

#### VOYAGEUR CANOEING AND SALMON TOURS

- FIT/GROUP/SCHOOL/CORPORATE
- Elements Adventure Company
- ACTIVITIES: Guided Canoe Tours

#### ALPACA FARM TOUR

FIT/SCHOOL /GROUP

Camelot Haven Alpacas
 ACTIVITIES: Guided tours | Country store

#### WELLNESS RETREAT

FIT/GROUP/CORPORATE
• Sparkling Hill Resort
ACTIVITIES: Wellness & Fitness programs |
KurSpa | Hiking | Yoga | Fine dining

#### KAYAK RENTALS FIT

• Ed's Kayak Rentals ACTIVITIES: Kayak rentals delivered to you

#### WAKESURFING FIT

Tricky Wakesurf School
 ACTIVITIES: Wakesufing lessons |
 Watersports lessons

# **OTHER INFORMATION**

Sports stores & skate sharpening

Sun Valley Source For Sports – official sponsor of Greater Vernon Minor Hockey 5601 27 Street, Vernon 250-542-2852 8:30am – 6:00pm

Excellent Edge Pro Shop – 4320 29 Street Unit 1A, Vernon 10:00am – 6:00pm

<u>Sport Chek</u> – 4900-27 Street Unit 340, Vernon 250-260-2860 9:30am – 7:00pm

<u>Blades of Lori</u> – Skate Sharpening – Kal Tire Place North Mike 250-540-8833

# MANAGER AND SAFETY PERSON INFO

# **Manager Planning Info**

If you are planning ahead, you can start to think about the following information that we will be requesting from teams once your place in the Championships has been confirmed.

- ✓ Official Team Picture: High resolution jpeg will be required for use in the program. Please attach names of everyone in order as they appear in the team photo;
- ✓ Association Logo: Please send an EPS or Illustrator image of your association logo and your home and away jersey colours;
- ✓ Contact Information: Please provide Head Coach and Manager names, home/cell numbers, and email addresses;
- ✓ Sponsor Acknowledgements: All teams will be given the opportunity to acknowledge their team sponsor(s) with logo on their team page in the Championships program.

# **Mandatory Equipment Checks**

The supervising referee lead will do an equipment check before the start of each team's first game and randomly anytime afterwards. Players will not be able to participate using illegal/worn equipment. Bring extra helmet screws, gloves and tape. Ensure your local Risk Management Coordinator or District Director does an equipment check with your team before coming to the Championships to avoid any disappointment or last minute scramble.

Most frequent illegal equipment findings are:

- ✓ gloves with palm holes
- ✓ poor helmet fit and J hooks
- ✓ helmets not CSA certified
- ✓ helmets missing ear pieces/protection
- ✓ missing stick plugs
- ✓ altered neck guards
- ✓ BNQ certification not clearly visible on neck guards
- ✓ Goalie helmets must have chin cups and side straps

# **BC HOCKEY APPAREL**

Link to clothing that you can pass along to the families on the team.

Clothing ordered by March 8<sup>th</sup> will be available for pickup at host office When you arrive for championships.

https://u15tier2provincialchampionshipwebstore.itemorder.com/shop/sale/

Here is the address to use when asked:

Greater Vernon Minor Hockey Attn: Chris Collard Kal Tire Place North - 2nd Floor 3445 42rd Ave Vernon, BC, V1T 8P5

# PLAYER CONTRACT

It is the intention of this contract to promote fair play and respect for all participants within the

Association. All players must sign this contract stating that they will observe the principles of the Fair Play Code before being allowed to participate in hockey.

### FAIR PLAY CODE

I will play hockey because I want to, not because others or coaches want me to.

I will play by the rules of hockey and in the spirit of the Game.

I will control my temper - fighting or "mouthing-off" can spoil the activity of everyone.

I will respect my opponents.

I will do my best to be a true team player.

I will remember that winning isn't everything - that having fun, improving skills, making friends and doing my best are also important.

I will acknowledge all good plays and performances - those of my team and my opponents.

I will remember that coaches and officials are there to help me. I will accept their decisions and show them respect.

I will observe the rules of BC Hockey such as the Zero Tolerance to alcohol and banned substances.

I know that if I break this Fair Play Code, I will be subject to governing bodies' disciplinary procedures.

I agree to abide by the principles of the FAIR PLAY CODE as set by Hockey Canada and supported by the Association.

I also agree to abide by the rules, regulations and decisions as set by this Association.

PRINT NAME(S) DATE	
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SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_\_ JERSEY # \_\_\_\_\_

# **TEAM ADMINISTRATORS' CONTRACT**

It is the intention of this CONTRACT to promote fair play and respect and respect all participants

within the Association. All sport administrators must sign this CONTRACT before being allowed to participate in hockey and must continue to observe the principles of Fair Play.

### FAIR PLAY CODE

I will do my best to see that all players are given the same chance to participate, regardless of gender, ability, ethnic background or race.

I will absolutely discourage any sport program from being primarily an entertainment for the spectator.

I will make sure that all equipment and facilities are safe and match the athletes' age and abilities.

I will make sure that the age and maturing level of all participants are considered in program development, rule enforcement and scheduling.

I will remember that play is done for its own sake and make sure that winning is kept in perspective.

I will distribute the fair play codes to spectators, athletes, officials and media.

I will make sure coaches are capable of promoting fair play as well as the development of good technical skills and I will encourage them to become certified.

I will observe the rules of BC Hockey such as the Zero Tolerance to alcohol and banned substances.

I will not condone the athletic use of alcohol, drugs or banned performance-enhancing substances.

I know that if I break this Fair Play Code, I will be subject to governing bodies' disciplinary procedures.

I agree to abide by the principles of the FAIR PLAY CODE as set forth by Hockey Canada and supported by the Association.

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SIGNATURE	