



**2022-23  
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BC HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIPS  
March 2023**



**West Vancouver Minor Hockey Association**

*BC Hockey Mission Statement:  
"Lead, Develop and Promote Positive Lifelong Hockey Experiences"*

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**MISSION**

*To provide the **best possible hockey experience** to players and families residing in West Vancouver in a fun and safe environment that promotes personal and athletic development and good citizenship.*



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## Planning Committee

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## General Championship Information

### Registration Package

Once your team has earned their spot in the Championships, a complete registration package with detailed instructions will be sent to the team manager. We will require the following information:

- 1) Official Team Picture: Highest resolution jpeg will be required for use in the program and other professional print material. Please include names of everyone in order as they appear in the team photo;
- 2) Association Logo: Please send a PDF, EPS or Illustrator image of your association logo and your home and away jersey colours; please include associate website and hashtag if available
- 3) Contact Information: Please provide Head Coach and Manager names, telephone numbers, and email addresses;
- 4) Team roster will need to be returned promptly to allow time to print.

### Banquet

The West Vancouver Minor Hockey Association invites all players, team officials, BC Hockey representatives, on-ice officials, and dignitaries to the opening banquet as our guests.

**The banquet will be held at Rogers Arena, home of the Vancouver Canucks on Saturday March 18th (doors open) starting at 4:30pm.** Attendance is MANDATORY for all teams. The host committee will contact the team managers to determine the number of attendees.

The guest speaker is still to be determined.

The banquet is free for players and rostered team officials to a max of 25 tickets. An extra 20 tickets will be available to purchase for additional attendees. Dress your best and make your team proud, shirts and ties please.

**All teams are asked to prepare a short video “Our Journey to the BC Hockey Championships” and representing their home town (1-2 minutes).**



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### Coaches & Managers Meeting

There will be a MANDATORY meeting of all coaches and managers at 4.00pm prior to the Banquet on Saturday, March 18. Topics covered will include introductions, review of rules and regulations by BC Hockey, collection of team registration materials, distribution of Championship packages, and an opportunity for questions and answers.

### Opening Ceremonies

Opening Ceremonies will take place on Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm on the ice at the West Vancouver Arena. Team attendance is MANDATORY in appropriate team attire. There will be more details closer to the Championships.

### Closing Ceremonies

Closing Ceremonies will be held following the final Championship game on March 23<sup>rd</sup> at approximately 1.30pm.

### BC Hockey Championship Apparel

BC Hockey Championship apparel will be made available for pre-order. Teams or individuals can order apparel by April 30, 2022 through the online store:

<https://2023-bc-hockey-championship-u13-tier-3.itemorder.com/>

### Venue

Games are scheduled to be played at the West Vancouver Arena (<https://westvancouver.ca/parks-recreation/community-centres/ice-arena>). There will be food trucks, some concession food available, and there is a small cafe in the community centre next door.



## Location

The District of West Vancouver is located on the north shore of Burrard Inlet in southwest British Columbia on the Trans-Canada Highway which begins on the mainland in Horseshoe Bay and continues east through North Vancouver, and into East Vancouver and Burnaby across the Ironworkers Memorial (or Second Narrows) Bridge.

Horseshoe Bay provides ferry transportation to and from the Sunshine Coast and Nanaimo on Vancouver Island; and north of Horseshoe Bay, Whistler is about 90 minutes drive. West Vancouver is joined to downtown Vancouver by short drive across a historical landmark, the Lions Gate Bridge, which was constructed in 1936 by the Guinness family.

There are many things to do in West Vancouver, as it is home to amazing parks, ski areas, beaches, and many amazing nature walks. You could enjoy a 15 block seawall walk along the ocean, hike in coastal old-growth rainforest in Lighthouse Park, cycle along paths from West Vancouver through North Vancouver, take a 20min ferry ride over to Bowen Island, or enjoy 100's of stores found at Park Royal Shopping Centre.

There is something to do in all directions. Pop over to North Vancouver and have a treetop adventure at the Capilano Suspension Bridge, go into downtown Vancouver via the Lions Gate Bridge and visit the Vancouver Aquarium or stroll through Stanley Park's 400 hectares of natural West Coast rain forest, with scenic views of the mountains and ocean.

**There is always something to do, to see or to eat! West and North Vancouver (collectively the North Shore) is home to many different restaurants.**

<https://vancouvernorthshore.com>

[https://www.tripadvisor.ca/Attractions-g183731-Activities-West\\_Vancouver\\_British\\_Columbia.html](https://www.tripadvisor.ca/Attractions-g183731-Activities-West_Vancouver_British_Columbia.html)

<https://vancouvernorthshore.com>



## Transportation

### Ferry Travel

Ferry Reservations are recommended between Horseshoe Bay and either Vancouver Island or the Sunshine Coast using [www.bcferries.com](http://www.bcferries.com).

### Bus Travel and Public Transportation

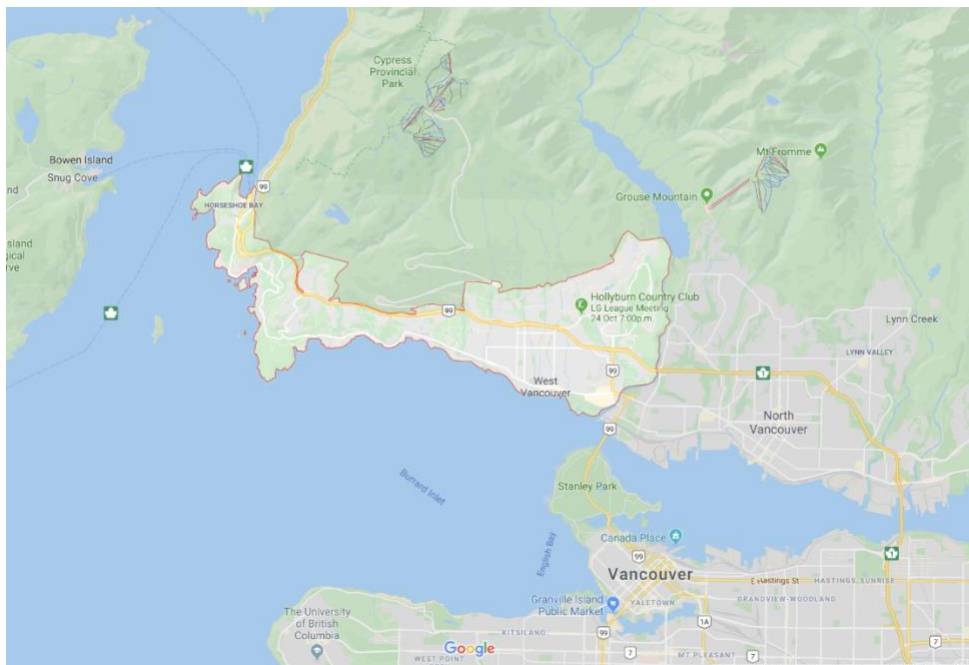
The District of West Vancouver offers bus travel throughout the Lower Mainland including transportation from the Seabus, Downtown Vancouver and the Horseshoe Bay ferry terminal.

\*Vancouver Travel <https://www.translink.ca>

\*West Vancouver Schedule <https://westvancouver.ca/transportation-roads/blue-bus/blue-bus-schedule>

### Air Travel

Vancouver International Airport (YVR) is approximately 24km from West Vancouver. You can go to the North Shore from the airport by bus, light rail and seabus or taxi, Uber & Lyft.





## West Vancouver Arena

The District of West Vancouver's Arena is found at 786 22<sup>nd</sup>, West Vancouver. It is located beside West Vancouver's Community Centre which has a variety of amenities including a pool, waterslide, a youth lounge, gyms and workout facilities:

<https://westvancouver.ca/parks-recreation/community-centres/west-vancouver-community-centre>









## Accommodations

West Vancouver is a small community and unfortunately there are no hotels directly within West Vancouver. Below you will find a list of a number of different types of hotels in areas which are approximately 10-25 min drive from the West Vancouver arena, in either downtown Vancouver or the adjacent community of North Vancouver.

We have requested blocks of 10 rooms at the first four below hotels and are currently negotiating contracts. You will need to call the hotel directly to confirm rates and rooms. There are a number of other hotel options near by depending on your preference.

## Hotels

### **The Vancouver Marriott Downtown**

<https://book.passkey.com/event/50497809/owner/4374/home>

1133 W Hastings St, Vancouver, BC V6E 3T3

\$229 per night

### **The Delta Vancouver Suites**

<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1675299615830&key=GRP&app=resvlink>

- \$210 per night
- Cancellation policy for each guests booking is before February 17.

### **The Metropolitan**

<https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1675219427671&key=GRP&app=resvlink>

- \$209 per night
- book by Feb. 16

Pinnacle Hotel, Harbourfront, Downtown Vancouver

<https://book.passkey.com/event/50496301/owner/2075/home>

- \$199 - 249

### **Pinnacle Hotel at the Pier**

- \$209.00 - [Mountainside King or Double/Double](#)
- \$249.00 - [Superior Harbouview King or Double/Double](#)

There are a number of other options in Vancouver depending on your preference.



## Skate Sharpening & Equipment

**Preferred Vendor** - one free skate sharpening included in SWAG Bag

Larry's Sports Shop

712 - 2601 Westview Drive (*Westview Mall*)

North Vancouver, BC

V7N 3X4

(604) 987-6630

Sport Chek – Park Royal

1000 Park Royal S,

West Vancouver, BC

V7T 1A1

(604) 922-3336

Time Out Source for Sports

235 Mountain Hwy,

North Vancouver, BC

V7J 3P2

(604) 980-9211

## Medical Care

### **Lions Gate Hospital**

231 15th St E.

North Vancouver, BC

V7L 2L7

604-988-3131

### **West Vancouver Beachside Medical Clinic**

Open: Monday - Friday 9am – 6pm

Saturday: 9am - 5pm

Sunday: Closed

Phone: (604) 922-7390

Location: 1405 Bellevue Ave, West Vancouver <https://www.wvbeachsidemed.com>

### **North Vancouver Urgent and Primary Care Centre**

Open: Monday - Saturday 8am – 9pm

Sunday: Closed

Location: 221 Esplanade W. Suite 200, North Vancouver

Phone: (604) 973-1600 <http://www.vch.ca/your-care/urgent-and-primary-care-centres>



## Shopping Malls

### **Park Royal**

2022 Park Royal South  
Over 150 Stores and Cineplex  
Theatre  
<http://www.shopparkroyal.com>

### **Pacific Centre - Downtown Vancouver**

701 West Georgia Street  
[https://www.cfshops.com/pacific-centre.html?cid=lis\\_pcc\\_en\\_hp\\_gb](https://www.cfshops.com/pacific-centre.html?cid=lis_pcc_en_hp_gb)

## Restaurants and Things to Do!

There are a huge range of eating options on the North Shore, many close to the Arena. We will be working with some of the local restaurants to get discounts for BC Championships players and families. There will be food trucks outside the arena and two nearby restaurant options are:

Casa Mia  
<https://www.casamiacucina.ca/>  
2215 Marine Drive  
West Vancouver, BC V7V 1K5

Red Lion  
<https://www.redlionbarandgrill.com/>  
2427 Marine Dr,  
West Vancouver, BC V7V 1L3

### **North Shore**

<https://vancouvernorthshore.com>

### **Vancouver**

<https://www.tourismvancouver.com>

### **Superfan Steve**

Superfan Steve is a well known fan who attends tournaments around the lower mainland cheering on the teams in a variety of tournaments. He will be attending the Provincials at WVMHA Ice arena and will be cheering on individual players and teams.