



## CYCLONE TAYLOR CUP

The Cyclone Taylor Cup Junior 'B' hockey championship started back in 1967 when the BC Amateur Hockey Association donated the cup in honor of Fred 'Cyclone' Taylor. Cyclone Taylor won two (2) Stanley Cups, in 1909 with the Ottawa Senators, and again in 1915 with the Vancouver Millionaires. Cyclone Taylor earned his moniker in 1908 when Governor General Lord Earl Grey commented that Taylor was "a cyclone if ever I saw one."

The Cyclone Taylor Cup is a BC Hockey event and property and the host committee must adhere to the BC Hockey policy on championships and event host protocol. The host organization is deemed the steward of the event which works in conjunction with the BC Hockey staff to ensure a positive experience for participants, volunteers and fans.

## TOURNAMENT MAKE UP

The Cyclone Taylor Tournament is to be made up of four (4) teams, the three (3) League Champions and the host team.

- Host team
- KIJHL league champion
- PIJHL league champion
- VIJHL league champion

The Cyclone Taylor Tournament is to be held over four days, Thursday to Sunday during the second week of April. The 2022 Championship will be hosted from April 7-10, 2022. Please note these takes are subject to change.

The tournament schedule will be a round robin tournament with two games held daily and the bronze and gold medal games held on Sunday.

## HOST ROTATION

The tournament will be hosted on a rotation basis amongst the three Leagues.

- 2021-22 PJHL will host
- 2022-23 KIJHL will host
- 2023-24 VIJHL will host

## HOST RESPONSIBILITIES

- Arena – an arena that has four (4) dedicated dressing rooms available for the exclusive use of the Cyclone Taylor tournament.
  - Minimum of seven (7) hours ice time daily. Thursday-Saturday 4pm -11pm and Sunday 10am -5pm. These ice costs are to be borne by the host team.
  - A proposed agreement from the facility must be included to confirm the use of ice.
- Accommodations – adequate accommodation for three (3) visiting teams, game officials and BC Hockey staff.
  - Separate accommodation is preferred, and 30 beds are required for each team.
  - Each team may consist of 30 people. This includes players, affiliates, coaching staff and a bus driver.





- The Host committee will be responsible for the accommodation cost of each team for Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of the event.
- Meals
  - Host committee will be responsible for arranging meal service to all teams for Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.
- Awards Banquet/Luncheon
  - The host committee shall organize an awards banquet or luncheon.
  - All teams and officials will be required to attend.
  - The Host Committee will be responsible for the cost of the hall rental and the meal for visiting teams, BC Hockey staff and officials.
- Transportation
  - The cost of transportation including ferry fees for each Junior B League representative will be borne by their Junior B League.
- Communication
  - The host committee will be required to have a dedicated person to update the scores to the Cyclone Taylor Cup website. The website and social media accounts are property of BC Hockey and must adhere to the BC Hockey social media policy.
- Accreditation Passes
  - The host committee shall provide each team with 30 accreditation passes for the event
- On-ice officials – the host will be responsible for providing game fees, travel costs, accommodation and meal per diems as per BC Hockey policy. The four (4) person officiating system will be used. Standby officials are to be provided with a fee of \$20.00 per game.
  - Officials will receive accommodation on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of the event
- Minor officials – \$40.00 per game shall be allowed for minor officials (timekeepers, scorekeepers, penalty timekeepers and goal judges).
- BC Hockey representatives – full event passes are to be provided to BC Hockey staff.
- Medallions – the cost of the 30 bronze Medals is approximately \$400.00. These are supplied by BC Hockey at a cost to the host. BC Hockey will supply the gold and silver medals as well as the championship banner and hats at no charge.
- Awards
  - Player of the game award for each team for each game.
  - Tournament MVP Award (keepsake) must be provided by the host committee. The Tournament MVP Award will be named the Harold Brittain Trophy.
- Financial Report - proposed budget for the event
  - The proposed budget should include the following budget items
    - Ticket revenue
    - Sponsorship revenue
    - Game Revenue (program sales, 50/50, etc.)
- Rooms
  - VIP Room (operational during all games)
  - Pre-tournament meeting
  - Media room
- Ticket Sales – daily ticket sales are to be reviewed and signed off by the Junior Coordinator or designate.
  - Ticket sales strategy and plan
  - Projected attendance for the event





- The projection will include at the expected attendance for round robin and medal games
  - Historical attendance average
    - The average attendance for league and playoff games from the previous season
- Sponsorship
  - Sponsorship strategy and plan
- Media
  - Public relations strategy and plan

## FINAL REPORT

The local organizing committee will provide the steering committee with bi-monthly detailed financial reports commencing six (6) months out from the opening game of the event, finalized three (3) months after the event.

BC Hockey shall retain the right to audit all financial reports on 30 days notice to the local organizing committee. BC Hockey shall be responsible for the cost of the conducting the audit unless the audit reveals that the financial report contains errors which amount to a discrepancy of more than 10% in the aggregate numbers for the event, in which case the local organizing committee shall be responsible for the cost of the financial audit.

In addition to the financial documentation, the host committee will be required to submit an event summary to BC Hockey three (3) months after the event.

## TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS

The following regulations will be adhered to during the Cyclone Taylor Cup:

- a) Hockey Canada rules are in effect.
- b) Supplemental rules will apply.
- c) A pre-tournament meeting is to be held prior to the first game at which time tournament rules are to be reviewed and the home team for each game is to be determined. All teams must send a representative. It is expected that the head referee will be in attendance.
- d) Goal judges are to be used in all games.
- e) There will be no stick measurements allowed.
- f) Tie-breaker is as per BC Hockey Regulation.
- g) Game protests are as per BC Hockey Regulation.

