



STONEY CREEK MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

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Stoney Creek Minor Hockey Warriors Representative Hockey

2025/2026 Representative Evaluation Policies

Warrior evaluations (tryouts) are open to all players. This coming season, players have been given the right to participate in the program(s) of their choosing. All that is required is that the players register online with the Association(s) that they will be attending evaluations in advance.

- Proof of registration is required at the first tryout and registration should be completed via [Spordle](#).
- Proof of online payment must be presented upon registering for the 2025/2026 tryouts. Staff will be present on the day of to assist with online payment and registration if necessary.
- All necessary Health & Safety policies as set forth by PHU, COH and OMHA will be in full effect IF protocols are implemented.
- Player attendance and participation is mandatory to be eligible for selection to any team. Participants are permitted to miss one evaluation session during the evaluation week, exempt if they are still an active participant at AAA tryouts.
- There will be no exceptions to these policies.

- Tryout fees and information are posted on the SCMHA website.
 - a. Fees are \$80.00 U7MD-U9MD must be registered and paid prior to any participation.
 - b. Fees are \$100.00 U10AA-U18AA must be registered and paid prior to any participation.
 - c. ALL GOALIES ARE NO CHARGE TO PARTICPATE IN EVALUATIONS AT ALL AGES BUT MUST FOLLOW ONLINE REGISTRATION.

- ALL PARTICPANTS ARE TO REGISTER AND FEES TO BE PAID ONLINE. To register, please follow [here](#).

- Teams will be given 5 tryout dates and players will be guaranteed 2 evaluation sessions. Tryouts will run over the course of 7 days. All dates will be listed on the Association website calendar. Please visit www.scmha.ca for more information.



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- To ensure all teams have the required number of available players **ALL PLAYERS MUST REGISTER IN THE APPROPRIATE AGE CATEGORY.**
- Any players wishing to participate for any team, U10 and above, as an “underage” player must be approved by the Rep Operations committee. Players must first submit in writing a request to declare their intentions by April 15th, 2025. The player will be independently evaluated on the first tryout to determine if they will be permitted to continue the tryout process. This applies to players requesting exemption from U10 and above.
- For Players seeking underage exemption or exceptional player’s status for U10 and above these policies apply and must be met for any consideration.
 - **Goaltenders – must be rated the number one (1) goaltender being evaluated for the applicable age category they wish to participate**
 - **Players – must be rated top three (3) players being evaluated for the applicable age category they wish to participate.**
 - **There will be no underage exemption consideration for participants U9 and below.**
- Teams may reassign a player after the 2nd evaluation session. There will be no refunds consideration after the 2nd tryout.
- Teams may present conditional offers to players beginning as soon as the evaluation window opens.
- If a Head coach decides to keep an injured player, he must inform everyone at the tryouts the amount of remaining roster spots available. The Head Coach, the Vice President of Operations must be notified immediately of any doctor’s note that may be presented. If there is a player with a valid Doctor’s note the Head Coach has the choice of saving a spot for the player. **ANY OF THESE SITUATIONS MUST BE DELIBERATED BY THE VICE PRESIDENT OF OPERATIONS, THE REP COMMITTEE AND THE HEAD COACH.**



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Please be advised that for the upcoming season the representative registration fees will be required within 5 days post team commitment. All payment requirements and schedules/installments can be found upon registering. Players found having not paid all registration fees will not be rostered and will be unable to participate in ANY team function, on or off the ice. Please visit our website for further payment information and breakdown.

Independent Evaluators

As part of the evaluation process, the Head Coach may have a minimum of two independent, non-parent evaluators to assist with the selection process. In addition, and if necessary, SCMHA may assign separate independent evaluators to observe each team's tryout and player selection process. This will allow for SCMHA to respond to any concerns from parents and/or players as to the impartiality and transparency of the tryout process. Non-parent assistants who are not related to any player in the tryout process can work in conjunction with the Head Coach during the tryout process.

Player Selection for Representative teams

Player selection is the responsibility of the Head Coach working in conjunction with the Committee of Representative Operations.

The Board is responsible for providing guidelines for the process for selection of players according to pre-determined criteria and using a fair, equitable and unbiased process.

The Stoney Creek Minor Hockey Association reserves the right to apply exceptions to the tryout policies at their discretion.

DISCLAIMER: Players who enter evaluations and who choose to bypass the policies set above will forfeit their eligibility to continue for consideration for any REP TEAM with SCMHA.

SCMHA has the right to accept or decline the registration of any participant at any time for any reason whatsoever. Players and families that do not align with the values of the Association may not be permitted to represent the Association in competition.