



Knights Hockey Club – Coach Applications

The Knights Hockey Club is actively looking for applications aimed at recruiting Coaches for the highest playing level teams for our U13 AA , U15 / U18 Tier 1 age groups. (formerly Peewee “AA”, Bantam 1, and Midget 1 levels). These applications may also be from current parent coaches but will be subject to your player evaluating on the team.

Process

- All coach applications must be received by the Knights Hockey Club by July 21st, 2020. Applications can be emailed to Development@KnightsHC.ca.
- Potential Coaches may be required to go through an interview process prior to selection.
- Coaches will be selected before the start of evaluation process and notified by the Knights Hockey Club
- Successful Coaches will be offered in season support by our Knights Coaches Council as well as paired with an experienced Manager who will support with parent communications.
- Unsuccessful coaches will be notified by email.

Selection Criteria

The following will be some of the criteria considered in selecting coaches for the Knights HC.

1) Professional Development

Minimum level - Please include your Hockey Canada number so we can verify the following

- **U13AA** Coach Requirements
 - i. Respect in Sport – Activity Leader
 - ii. Development 1 (minimum)
 - iii. Checking Skills
 - iv. Hockey Canada Safety Certification
 - v. Police Screening
- **U15/ U18 Tier 1** Coach Requirements
 - vi. Respect in Sport – Activity Leader
 - vii. Coach 2 (minimum)
 - viii. Checking Skills
 - ix. Hockey Canada Safety Certification
 - x. Police Screening

2) Coaching/Hockey Experience

- Level of playing experience
- Level of coaching experience

3) Coaching Philosophy (Most Important) Can be answered in point form

- Personal coaching philosophy and values (i.e ice time allocation for players/goalies, dealing with conflict).
- Personal coaching ambitions, why you want to coach as a non-parent volunteer
- Coaching Staff - do you have assistant coaches that you would be bringing
- Team Building Philosophy -importance of including all as having valuable roles in the makeup of the team.

If you have any questions on the foregoing, please contact Scott via email development@KnightsHC.ca
Thanks so much, we look forward to hearing from you!