



East Gwillimbury Minor Hockey Association

Annual General Meeting

May 30, 2022– 7:00 pm

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Financials – Scott Bates, Auditor

Town of East Gwillimbury - Virginia Hackson, Mayor

- Chris Catania, Manager of Municipal Facilities

- Rhonda Pogue, Manager of Recreation, Community Engagement and Events

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2021-22 Executive

- **President** – Rick McGlone
- **Director of Operations** – Ed Vetere
- **Secretary** – Jen Mackey
- **Treasurer** – Kristin Ballentine
- **Director Rep** – Jeff Mackey
- **Deputy Director Rep** – James Suderman
- **Director Local League** – Sherri Annis
- **Director House League** – Dan Ruby
- **Director Player/Coach Development** – Doug Westlund
- **Director of Sponsorship/Fundraising** – Andrea Dingman
- **Equipment Manager** – Luis Duran
- **Director of Communications** – Vacant
- **Director of Events** - Vacant

Staff

- **Registrar/Ice Scheduler/Bookkeeper**
Cathy Kopsala
- **Referee in Chief**
Justin Herrington



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Audit Report

- Smooth audit again this year
- Still in draft
- Audit Opinion
 - Anticipated clean opinion
 - Scope limitation on revenue – same as prior years
- No audit issues to note

Qualified Opinion



In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion section of our report, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of East Gwillimbury Minor Hockey Association Inc. as at April 30, 2021, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Revenue



	2021	2020
Revenue		
Registration fees	\$ 164,296	\$ 363,718
Representative fees	-	21,222
Tournament revenue	-	4
Ice rental	5,453	12,798
Special events	13,845	14,354
Sponsors	2,500	7,050
Tryouts	-	6,635
Clinics	4,448	2,232
Miscellaneous	2,950	4,758
	193,492	432,771



Expenses



Net Assets (Projected)



Net assets

General fund	24,224	7,118
Invested in capital assets	9,493	14,439
Restricted funds (Note 5)	145,940	145,025
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	179,657	166,582

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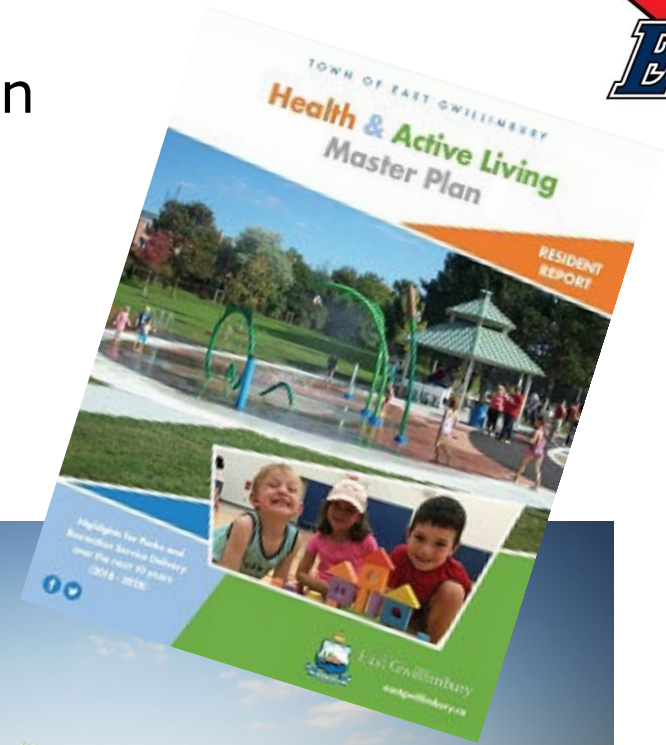
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Planning for the Future to Support Our Eagles



- Health & Active Living Master Plan Recommendation
- Sports Complex Site and Arena Redevelopment and Expansion
- Architect – Developing Concept Design
- EGMHA Representation with Project Team



Asset Management - Repair, Replace and Maintain



- Ice Plant Upgrades – Condenser & Pumps
- Seat Heaters – New Roads Arena
- Future Capital – Canada Hall Flooring & Ice Resurfacer
- 2023 Capital – Potential LED Lighting Retro-fit



Return to Ice-THANK YOU



- Thank you for your support during COVID-19
- Sportsheadz Remote Viewing and Live Streaming will continue



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High level Recap of 2021-22 Season



- Start up was challenging with fall tryouts but we were successful in getting players in the rink and on the ice, most importantly we had many smiling hockey players when they left practices.
- First couple weeks in September, we ran **pre-season skills clinics** for over 200 players
- Rep tryouts ran Sept 20 – Oct 2
- We did pause the season from the Christmas Break until Jan 31, but did extend the HL season until April 10th
- YSMHL reduced the number of games to ensure a balanced schedule
- SRLL rescheduled missed games and extended season into mid-April
- YSMHL introduced a new tournament style playoff tournament
- Able to return to hosting a House League Championship Weekend which included a banquet

The Kenny Clarke Memorial Trophy

1962-1977



Awarded annually to the player who best exemplifies Kenny's qualities: desire, dedication, honesty, determination and unselfish courage.

Congratulations to
Noah Dimitriadis



Allan Case Memorial Award



Awarded annually to a player from the U13 or U15 Local League, who plays the game with dignity, shows love for the game, commitment to the team, sportsmanship and respect for the officials, for the spirit of the sport, not the winning of the game.

Congratulations to
Ethan Persi

Allen Albright Memorial Heart Award



Awarded annually to a player from U9 House League who exemplifies the qualities that Allen Albright demonstrated in his play and love for the game:

- H** - Hockey Skills Improvement
- E** - Enthusiasm for practices and games
- A** - Adheres to rules and fair play
- R** - Respect towards team and game officials
- T** - Team Spirit with demonstrated support towards others less skilled

Congratulations to
Olivia Pelosi

Coach of the Year Awards

Awarded annually to one Coach from the House League, Local Loop and the Rep programs who represents the values, goals and philosophy of EGMHA.



Congratulations to

House League



Richard Gibb (U7)

Local League



Dan Ruby (U18)

Rep (Sean Gentry Award)



Dayle Lewis (U13)

Spirit Awards

Awarded annually to those, through their earnest contribution to community hockey, have made their presence felt.



Congratulations to



Neil Young



U12 AA

York Simcoe All Stars Game



Congratulations to

**Noah Dimitriadis
Christian Roberts**

from our **Midget A** team who
represented EGMHA in the
annual York Simcoe All Stars
Game

Official Awards



Congratulations to

Referee of the Year
Matthew Reinsma

Most Promising Official
Colin Avison



Dunsmuir Tournament



- Successful return of the Dunsmuir Tournament, secured a vendor to run the tournament on behalf of EGMHA
- Moved to end of February, was in high demand (despite Covid) with a lengthy wait list
- 58 teams participated in the tournament which raised **\$8,339** that went towards the Player Development program

Division	Winner	Runner-up
U9A	King	Oro
U10A	Georgina	Stittsville
U11A	King	Milton
U12 AA	Aurora	Orangeville
U12A	North Durham	London
U13A	East Gwillimbury	Innisfil
U14A	Guelph	East Gwillimbury
U15A	London	Essex

Tournament Success



U13 A

- Bradford Blue and Gold Tournament
- Dunsmuir Memorial Tournament
- Toronto Avalanche March Meltdown Tournament

2021-22
YORK SIMCOE
CHAMPIONS



2nd Annual Golf Tournament



60 Golfers joined us at Pheasant Run Golf Club for lunch and Silent Auction (golf was rained out)

Raised **\$6,100** for the development program that went towards supporting skating and skills sessions during the season



One more thing – EGMHA Eagle Award



The new **Eagle Award** honours those individuals who have provided outstanding contributions, involvement and service to EGMHA Hockey.

Eagle Award recipient(s) have displayed commitment to the ideals of EGMHA Hockey, have worked tirelessly for the improvement of the game and have had a notable impact on both the game and the players involved.

Congratulations to

**Eric and Cathy
Kopsala**

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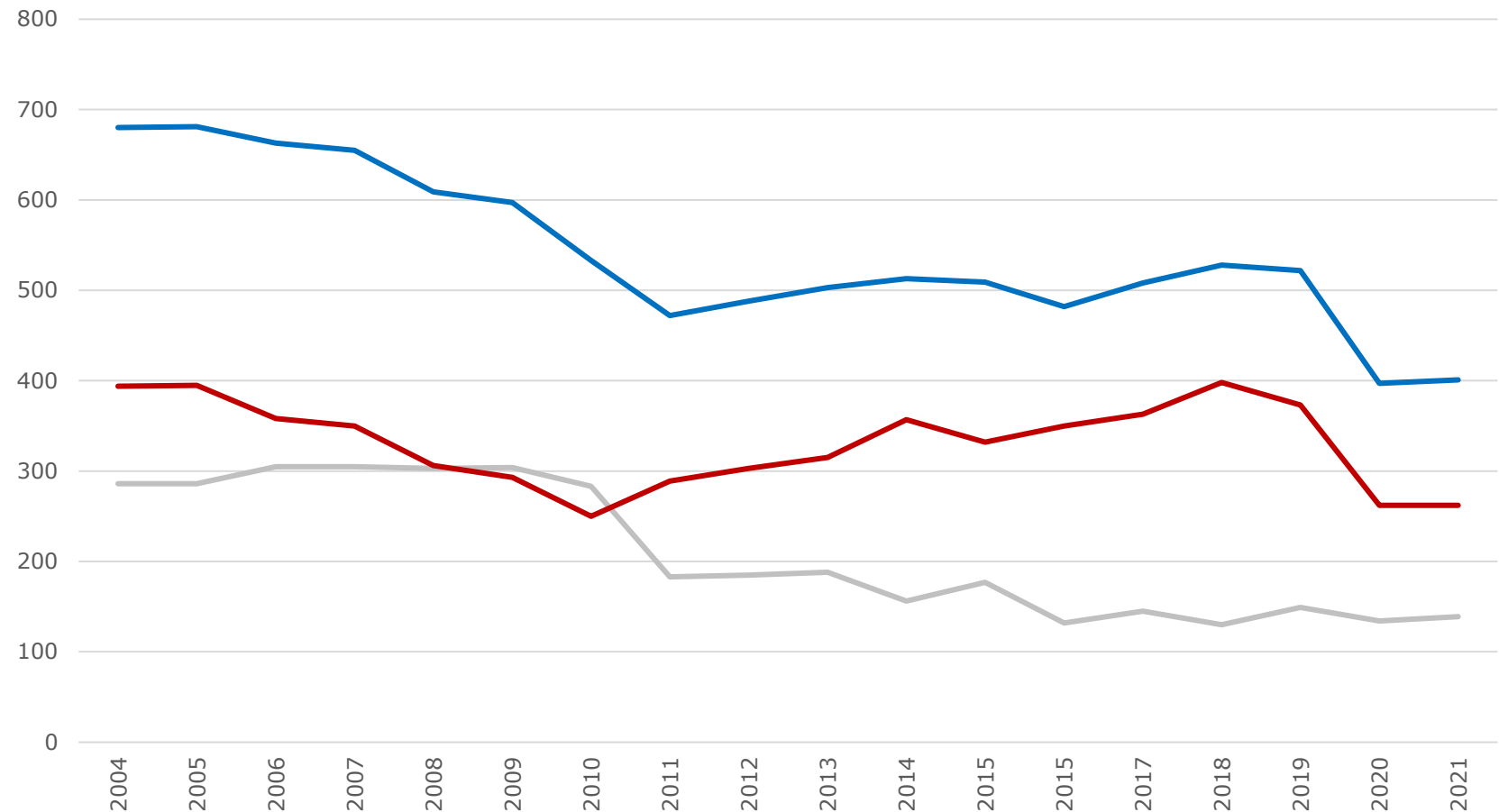
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Registration Trends

Registered Players



Year	Total Players	Rep Players	HL/LL Players
2004	680	286	394
2005	681	286	395
2006	663	305	358
2007	655	305	350
2008	609	303	306
2009	597	304	293
2010	533	283	250
2011	472	183	289
2012	488	185	303
2013	503	188	315
2014	513	156	357
2015	509	177	332
2015	482	132	350
2017	508	145	363
2018	528	130	398
2019	522	149	373
2020	397	-	-
2021	401	139	262

Survey Results: Things we heard most about



Schedules

- Early practice/game times for younger divisions
- Late game times for older division
- Balancing schedules for families with other commitments



Cost

- Value for money



More practice ice

- More practices for both Rep and LL



Covid

- Concern with members not following rules
- Frustration with season interruptions



Competitiveness

- A centre classification
- Ability of Rep teams to be competitive due to NRP rules



Parent Negativity

- Parents forget that kids are doing their best
- Toxic attitudes in the stands



Player & Coach Development – 2021/22

- Friday night skills clinics
- Saturday morning goaltender clinics
- **NEW** - Skating instruction from the EG Skating Club
 - In practice
 - Sunday mornings
- On-ice player development including “coach the coaches”
 - Aim to build consistent systems across the leagues and age groups
- Checking Clinics
- Next season’s development program to be announced when available

Representative Program



- EGMHA had **8 Rep** and **1 Select team** in **York Simcoe Minor Hockey** league this year
 - Unfortunately, not enough players to ice a U16 A team however we were able to work with OMHA and Bradford Minor Hockey to ensure a place for the players on the Bradford U16 team
 - U12 participated in the AA division this season
- Good to see teams able to return to tournament play with U13 taking three titles
- Midget A had **2 players** invited to play in the **YSMHL All Stars Game**
- We had **4 teams** in semi-final or final playoff contention in the new tournament playoff format in the YSMHL
 - EGMHA hosted U11 and U14 playoffs, both had tough semifinal overtime losses
 - U9 was an underdog but played an amazing tournament to win the silver medal
 - U13 won the Championship with a decisive final 8-2 game
- Thanks to all Coaches, Managers, Trainers and Volunteers

Local League Program



- EGMHA had **6 teams** in the Simcoe Region Local League this year
 - 2 U13
 - 2 U15
 - 2 U18
- We had many teams advance to the SRLI Playoff Rounds
 - **U13#1** won the Group 1 Consolation
 - **U15#2** won the Group 2 Consolation
- Thanks to all Coaches, Trainers and Volunteers in Local League that put their time and dedication

House League Program



- EGMHA had **14 teams** in the House League Program this year
 - Six U7 teams
 - Four U8/U9 merged teams
 - Four U11 teams (challenges with team sizes)
- Held **extra development skates** for players on Friday nights and Sunday morning and provided additional assistance to coaches in practices with Mike Reier and Can-Skate Instructors
- Thankful to the amazing compliment of coaches and volunteers
 - **Coaches**
 - **U11** - Wesley Barber, Greg Horton, Dave Jackson, Dan Ruby
 - **U8/U9** – Wesley Barber, Brad Clayden, Matt Laarakkers, Steve Ley
 - **U7** – Tyler Fletcher, Richard Gibb, Linday McCafferty, Ryan Murphy, Mark Rovere, Rowan Newstadt
 - **Convenors**
 - Stacey Thompson (**U11**), Jason Stobbes (**U8/U9**), Richard Gibb (**U7**)
- Big thanks to all the Assistant Coaches, Trainers and Parent Volunteers as well!

Equipment and Apparel

- Challenges with fall tryouts and unsure registration numbers
- New contract with vendor for 2 more seasons
- Continued with unique numbers for LL to help with player movement associated with balancing

Online store open now until midnight on June 5th

Delivery will be in early July

- <https://www.leathersport.com/stores/egmha>
- Password: **eagles12**



Fundraising

North Country Meats

- Ran four campaigns
 - May
 - August
 - November
 - February
- Raised **\$11,140** funds were used to help offset season costs to run goalie clinics, in-practice skills sessions, skating sessions and to off-set cost of Friday Night Skill Clinics.

Hockey 4 Hunger

- Campaign finished with a total of **\$1,500** raised for our local food banks.
- Thank you to all who supported our 2021 Hockey 4 Hunger campaign!

#ThankYou to the #EG Minor Hockey under 7 hockey teams for their donations to #EG's Toy & Food Drive! #ECSS and Sparky dropped in during practice to say thank you! For details on #EG's Toy & Food Drive, visit <http://ow.ly/9g8A50GTPib> 🧸 🍁 🏒



Special thanks to our HL/LL Sponsors



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Special Thanks to...



Town of East Gwillimbury

All Coaches, trainers and on-ice volunteers

Convenors

U7	Richard Gibb
U8/U9	Jason Stobbes
U11	Stacey Thompson
U13	Tanya Harrison
U18	Trina Sweezie

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- Spring tryouts were completed on Sunday for U14 and U16
 - The numbers for the U15 team were not supportive of a team at this age
- Development skates to run in September prior to tryouts for U8 to U13
- September tryouts for U8 to U13 and U18
 - All tryouts be done by Sept 30th
- OHF has removed AAA/AA/A levels for U9 and below. Will run as a Tiered MD program in York Simcoe
- Vendor Market at Mount Albert Sports Day
- 3rd Annual Golf Tournament Friday June 17th at Pheasant Run Golf
- Proposed Tournaments
 - House League/Local League Tournament
 - U8/U9 Jamboree
 - Dunsmuir Memorial Tournament

What to Expect next season



- Regular season programming should begin in early October
- Tournaments are permitted Sept 30th for U14-U18 and Oct 7th for U13 and under
- U11 House League will move to Simcoe Region Local League
 - More details for families will be available via an upcoming information session
- All Rep teams will be involved in meaningful hockey until March 1, 2022
- All Rep and LL teams will be scored using iPads via GameSheet Inc
 - Live scoring and updates will be available for Rep and Local League (where there is WiFi access)
- All Rep, including OMHA Championships, will be tournament style

New Referee in Chief



- Thank you to **Justin Herrington** for serving as our RIC for the last 12 years
- We are excited to welcome **Adam Carter** to our EGMHA staff
 - Played for EG from 2010-2015
 - Became a referee in 2014 and has continued to officiate for the past 8 years
 - Was selected for the 2022 OHF Championships as a linesman



Half ice boards



- U8 and U9 House League will have brand new half ice boards!
- Currently looking for sponsors to help offset the cost of the boards

Golf Tournament Details



Friday June 17, 2022

Sign in starts @ 11:00 am
Shot gun start @ 12:00 pm

\$185/golfer

Includes:
18 holes with cart,
dinner and prizes.

Registrations will be accepted
until Friday June 3rd.

To register and for
more information visit
www.egmha.com

Third Annual EGMHA GOLF TOURNAMENT

*All proceeds will go to improving
EGMHA programs*



Hole and contest sponsorships are available. Email events@egmha.com for details

Registration



- Amounts per division and payment schedule options are being finalized over the next two weeks.
- Have increased discount for 3rd player in family to \$100.
- Late fee of \$50 will apply if registration is not completed by July 31st
- See EGMA website if families need help with payments:
[https://egmha.com/Pages/5230/Financial Assistance/](https://egmha.com/Pages/5230/Financial_Assistance/)

HOCKEY COACHES

WANTED



Coach applications for House League and Local League are open on the EGMHA website

2022/23 Rep Coaches



- **U8 MD** – Richard Gibb
- **U9 MD** – Ryan Gray
- **U10 A** – Mike Ramsay
- **U11 A** – Jarrett Rose
- **U12 A** – Corey Daxon
- **U13 A** – Ryan Smith
- **U14 A** – Dayle Lewis
- **U16 A** – Dave Di Giovanni
- **U18 A** – Brad Russell

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Executive Positions



Ed Vetere Operations	Jen Mackey Secretary	Doug Westlund Player & Coach Dev
Sherri Annis Local League	Vacant Events	Vacant Communications

**Executive
positions up for
election for 2 year
term**

Rick McGlone President	Kristen Ballentine Treasurer	Dan Ruby House League
Luis Duran Equipment	Andrea Dingman Sponsorship	Jeff Mackey James Suderman Rep / Deputy

**Executive
positions
entering
2nd year of
term**

Election of 2022-23 Executive



Up for Re-Election

- Director of Communications (vacant)
- Director of Events (vacant)
- Director of Local League
- Director of Player and Coach Development
- Secretary
- Director of Operations

Process

1. Is incumbent interested in staying on?
2. Nominations received in advance or from the floor
3. Second the nomination(s)
4. Brief introduction by nominee if more than one
5. Vote via MS Teams Poll

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Thank You!

We welcome your feedback