



East Gwillimbury Minor Hockey Association

Annual General Meeting

June 17, 2024– 7:00 pm



2023-24 Executive

- **President** – Rick McGlone
- **Director of Operations** – Ed Vetere
- **Secretary** – Jen Mackey
- **Treasurer** – Andrew Anderson
- **Director Rep** – Jeff Mackey
- **Director Local League** – Sherri Annis
- **Director House League** – Vacant
- **Director Player/Coach Development** – Brad Russell
- **Director of Sponsorship/Fundraising** – Liz Cripps
- **Equipment Manager** – Stephen Thiele
- **Director of Communications** – Vacant
- **Director of Events** – Vacant

Staff

- **Referee in Chief**
Adam Carter (currently vacant)
- **Admin**
Stacey Barron
- **Ice Scheduler**
Sheri Riddell

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Audit Reports

Outstanding Reports

- Final audit report **2020-2021** finalized, posted on website
- Audit completed for **2021-22**, draft report posted on website, minor items to be completed to finalize
 - Both 2020-21 and 2021-22 reports have a **clean audit opinion**, the financial performance and cash flows for those years ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.
- Audit for **2022-2023** financials to be conducted over summer with finalized report targeted for end of August

Upcoming Reports

- Audit for **2023-24** financials expected to be completed on time by end of November

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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
Briar Barron**

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
Evan Neuendorf

Allen Albright Memorial Heart Award



Congratulations to

**Aiden
Noordhuis**

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

Coach of the Year Awards



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

Congratulations to

House League
Local League

Jeff Weiss (U7)

Glen McLellan (U11 & U13)

Spirit Awards

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



Congratulations to
Volunteer Award
Chris Johnstone

Official Update

Referee of the Year

Ryan Dupuis

Most Promising Official

Lucas Senay

Most Dedicated Official

Luke Lawlor

Three officials selected to skate for OHF Championships:

- Luke Lawlor – Referee for U15A OHFs in Orillia
- Nolan Barkey – Lineperson for U18AA OHFs in Markham
- Adam Carter – Referee for U18AA OHFs in Markham



Alumni Success

Owen Cartwright
Amelia Wilkinson



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OWEN CARTWRIGHT

ROUND 3 - PICK 61

HOLLAND LANDING, ON | YORK SIMCOE EXPRESS

6' - 152LBS

RIGHT DEFENCE

MARCH 28, 2008

SHOOTS R

MISSISSAUGA STEELHEADS



COMMITTED

**AMELIA
WILKINSON**

BARRIE JR. SHARKS | HOLLAND LANDING, ON | GOALIE

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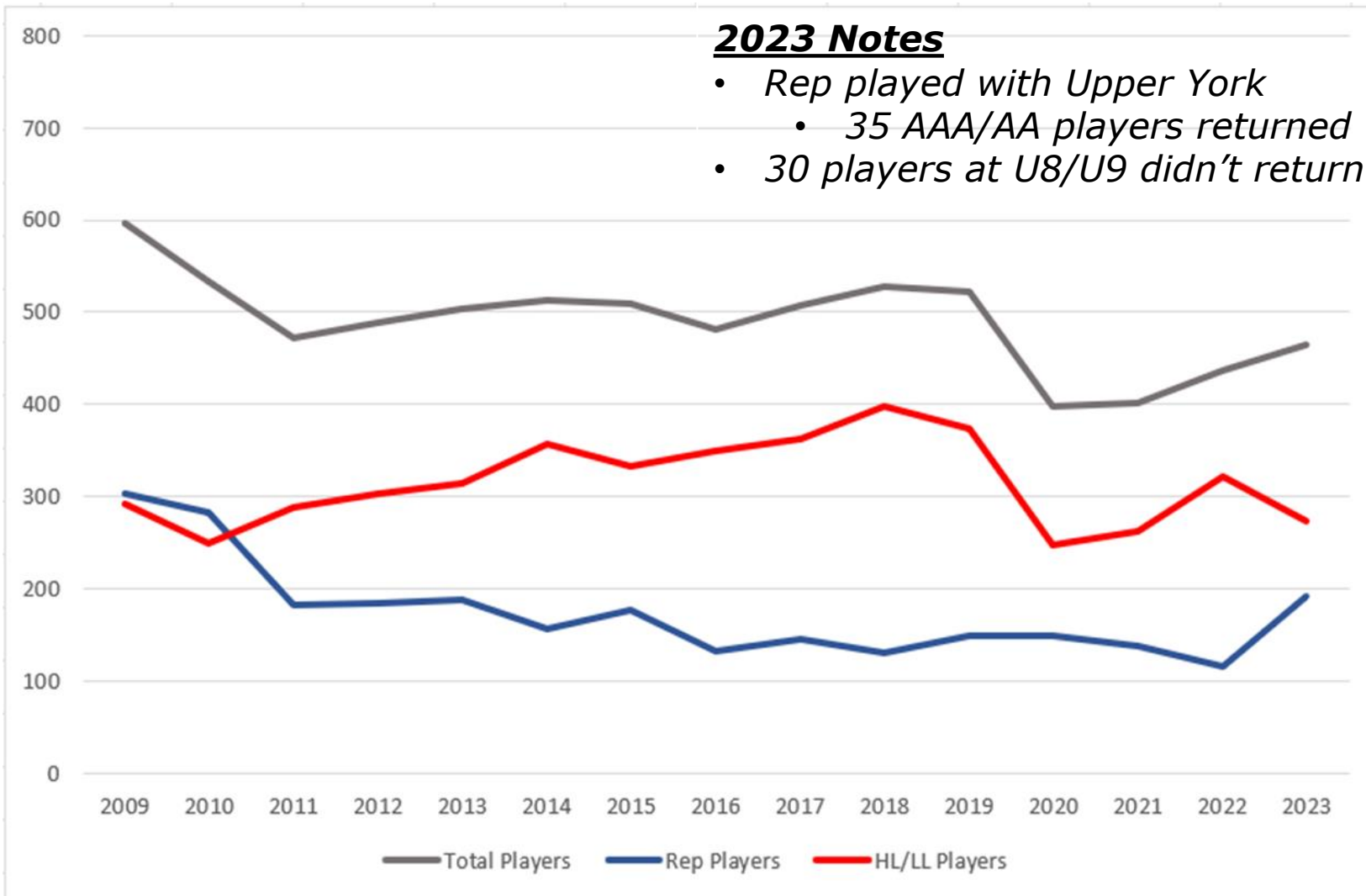
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Registration Trends

2023 Notes

- *Rep played with Upper York*
 - *35 AAA/AA players returned*
- *30 players at U8/U9 didn't return*



Year	Rep Players	HL/LL Players	Total Players
2009	304	293	597
2010	283	250	533
2011	183	289	472
2012	185	303	488
2013	188	315	503
2014	156	357	513
2015	177	332	509
2016	132	350	482
2017	145	363	508
2018	130	398	528
2019	149	373	522
2020	149	248	397
2021	139	262	401
2022	116	321	437
2023	192	272	464

Player & Coach Development – 2022/23



- **Goaltender clinics**
 - Continued partnership with Duane and his crew from The Goalie School
- **Skating Instruction**
 - New instructor – Alexa Matveev – National figure skating champion
- **Coach seminars**
 - Chris DiPiero from CEP Mindset, mental performance and leadership coaches
- **Coach resources**
 - **IHS** memberships for our coaches
- **Checking clinics**
 - UYMHA partnered with EGMHA and GMHA to ensure consistency

Player & Coach Development – IP 2024



- Joe McTamney – Professional Hockey Coach
- Played professionally up to ECHL
- Has coached all levels mostly AA and AAA in Richmond Hill and the GTHL for 25+ years
- Certified CANSKATE instructor
- Runs multiple skills and skating clinics for multiple associations
- Consistent with GMHA IP

Representative Program



- EGMHA had **2 MD** teams in **YSMHL** league this year
 - U8MD numbers were low, were able to supplement with some players from GMHA
- U10 and up participated in the **Upper York Admirals** Year 1 pilot
- Several Upper York teams saw success early with tournament wins
- Upper York had one team: U15 AA win YSMHL Championships
- Three teams qualified for the OMHA Championships: U10AA, U14 BB, U15 AA
 - U15AA were semifinalists in the OMHA Championships
- Tryouts are nearly complete for next season (except for U18)
- Working on the constitution, targeting a Fall vote on whether to finalize the pilot to a permanent merger with GMHA

# of Players	
Overall	429
EG	192
% EG	
Overall	45%
AA	62%
AA	35%
B/BB/C	35%



Local League Program

- EGMHA had **9 teams** in the Simcoe Region Local League this year
 - 2 U11, 2 U13, 2 U15, 1 U16, 2 U18
- We had many teams advance to the SRLL Playoff Rounds
 - **U11#1** won the Group B Consolation C Finals
 - **U13 #1** won the Group B Consolation Finals
 - **U15 #1** were Group 2 Championship Finalists
 - **U18 #1** were Group 1 Championship Finalists
- U18 #1 had two tournament championships
 - Max Partlo Memorial
 - Hank Borgatti Black and Gold Classic
- Celebrated the aging out U18 LL players with a graduating game in March

House League Program



- EGMHA had **10 teams** in the House League Program this year
 - Two **U6** teams
 - Four **U7** teams
 - Four **U8/U9** merged teams
- Held **extra power skating sessions** for players on Sunday mornings
- Had an exciting Championship weekend and fun **House League Banquet**
- Big thanks to all the Convenors Coaches, Trainers and Parent Volunteers as well!



Tournaments



Friendship Jamboree

- U8MD teams participated in the tournament which raised **\$2,960**
- Ran smoothly, no challenges reported

Winter Classic

- 53 Teams participated
- U9 MD, U11 to U18 HL/LL participated in the tournament which raised **\$7,215**
- Timing coinciding with high school final exams, issues with finding timekeepers during day Friday

Dunsmuir

- Total of 57 teams, U10 A to U18 A, also including U13 AA division participated in the tournament which raised **\$8,780**
- Timing coinciding with Super Bowl Sunday needed to ensure wrapped up earlier on Sunday

Total
\$18,955

Fundraising



McGregor's Meats

- Ran four campaigns
 - May
 - August
 - November
 - February
- Raised **\$6,559** funds were used to help offset season costs and provide development to our players and coaches.
- Next campaign will be in August 2024!

EGMHA in the Community

Mount Albert
Sports Day

EGSC
Santa Skate

Town of EG Family
Day Skate Sponsor



Equipment and Apparel



- Fall Apparel in-person and on-line sale went well
- As the current contract was expiring, posted a RFP on our website, reached out to other associations. Received 8 bids, interviewed 3 companies
 - Focus on value for money, local delivery, on-line sale options
- New partnership with Big League Gear for next season
 - Value was comparable with other companies
 - New jerseys
 - Will deliver to the arena
 - Are semi-local, have a Bradford storefront, which will carry stock year round
 - Will offer the on-line store option



Special thanks to our HL/LL Sponsors



2024-2025 Season

KidSpired & EGHMA Collaboration

To support development programs and try to keep fees down

- Confirmed agreement in April 2024
- Reputable with a proven track record to locate and confirm sponsors
- Targeting local & regional businesses
- Home/Away Jerseys, Half Ice Boards Tournaments, Lobby TVs, Player of Game prizes etc..

Last year we raised **\$2500.**

The goal for 2024/2025 is to attract **\$15K in goods & revenue!**

EGMHA VOLUNTEER NIGHT



House League
Coach
of the Year
Jeff Weiss



Local League
Coach
of the Year
Glenn McLellan



EGMHA
Spirit Award
Chris Johnstone

Special Thanks to...

Town of East Gwillimbury

All Coaches, trainers and on-ice volunteers

Convenors

- U6 – Allison DeWinter
- U7 – Jeff Weiss
- U9 – Ryan Dupuis
- LL15 – Lori Snowden



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Constitution and By-Laws Proposal

- Ontario Not-For-Profit Corporation Act (ONCA) came into force on October 19, 2021 replacing the Ontario Corporation Act. ONCA provides a modern legislative framework for the governance of Ontario's not-for-profit corporations and charities.
- A 3-year transition period was granted during which organizations would bring their constating documents (i.e. By-Laws, letters patent and supplementary letters patent in "Articles of Amendment", etc.) into conformity with the new ONCA.
- The links have been posted on the EGMHA website for the required two weeks prior to the AGM

Constitution and By-Laws Proposal



- If the ONCA proposal is not approved, will need to adjust and hold another meeting prior to the legislated transition date
- Package#1 was submitted for consideration, will review first and any amendments from this package that are passed will be incorporated as amendments to the proposed changes in ONCA package

MOTIONS

- Package 1 submitted by Michael Mendes
- ONCA Amendments submitted by Jen Mackey
 - Special Resolution of EGMHA members
 - EGMHA General Operating By-Law

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What to Expect next season

- September evaluations for U8/U9 MD, U7/U8/U9 Select and U18 AA,A,B/BB
- New House League U7 and below Development program
- New Competitive Player Pathway Select program U7 to U9
- First Shift in late Fall/early Winter
- More community participation
 - Ball Hockey Tournament at Mount Albert Sports Day
 - Family Day Skating Sponsor (TBC)
- Proposed Tournaments
 - Friendship Jamboree (U8 MD teams)
 - Winter Classic (U9MD, U9-U18 HL/LL teams)
 - Dunsmuir Memorial Tournament (U10-U18 A teams)
 - Spring Fling (U10-U16 A/B/BB teams)

NHL/NHLPA First Shift Program



- The NHL/NHLPA Program introduces hockey for families in an affordable and manageable (time commitment) way that is safe and fun!
- Program fee includes:
 - BAUER Equipment (Head-to-Toe)
 - Welcome Event
 - Equipment fitting demonstration
 - 6 Weeks, 1 session/week
 - Insurance for participants
- Hockey Canada Curriculum:
 - Small areas games
 - Skating skills, puck handling, passing and shooting exercises



Will need coach and on-ice volunteers!

Competitive Player Pathway (CPP)



CPP Select is designed in accordance with the Hockey Canada Pathway and Ontario Hockey Federation (OHF) Player Development Model

- CPP Select is an extension of House League and open to all players on an evaluation basis. Teams will have 1 extra hour of ice weekly.
- CPP Teams will play in one of two Divisions - CPP North and CPP South.
- Each Team will play approximately 18 regular season games at a rate of 3 games per month in a balanced schedule rotating among the different Member Associations within their Division.
- Games can start as early as October.
- Teams may also participate in tournaments and exhibition games outside of the CPP program.
- End of Season Jamboree

What to Expect next season



- Regular season programming should begin mid to late September
- New draft selection for all House League and Local League teams
- U9 to U13 will be moving to an interlocked House League with GMHA (perhaps other centres as well)
- Surveyed U15 to U18 now to determine if HL or LL is the preference
 - LL was the overwhelming preference in these age groups
- New Apparel Vendor – Storefront in Bradford (see following slide)
 - Will be focusing on increased Eagles branding in the rink and community
- New sponsorship partnership - Kidspired
- Moving into our second year of our two-year pilot with Georgina Minor Hockey to develop the Upper York Admirals
 - Will keep working towards completing the requirements to bring the Upper York Admirals pilot project to a permanent amalgamation membership vote in Fall 2024.

Registration



Registration is open, note that town ice costs went up this year

Division	Birth Year(s)	Fee
Initiation Program (New development program)		
U5	2020	\$575
U7	2018-2019	\$575
House League (will play games against Georgina Minor Hockey teams)		
U9	2016-2017	\$750
U11	2014-2015	\$750
U13	2012-2013	\$750
Local League (will participate in Simcoe Region Local League)		
U15	2010-2011	\$995
U16/U18	2007-2009	\$900

\$100 discount for 3rd child in family registering.

Late fee of \$100 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/



HOCKEY COACHES

WANTED



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

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Executive Positions



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President

Andrew Anderson
Treasurer

Vacant
House League

Stephen Thiele
Equipment

Liz Cripps
Sponsorship

Jeff Mackey
Rep

Executive positions entering 2nd year of term

Ed Vetere
Operations

Jen Mackey
Secretary

Brad Russell
Player & Coach Dev

Sherri Annis
Local League

Vacant
Events

Vacant
Communications

Executive positions up for election for 2 year term

Vacant
House League

Up for election for 1 year term

Election of 2024-25 Executive



Up for Election

- Director of Operations
- Secretary
- Director of Player and Coach Development
- Director of Local League
- Director of Communications
- Director of Events
- Director of House League (one year term)

Process

1. Nominations received in advance or from the floor
2. Second the nomination(s)
3. Brief introduction by nominee if more than one
4. Vote via ballot

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Thank You!

*We welcome your feedback
and look forward to having more parents involved in
helping to make our programs successful!*