



What is required from you to be an ON -ICE official?

- Attend a Full One day Clinic in October at the cost of approx \$160.00

Police Checks - Any official that is 19 and over.

Prior to attending a clinic you must fill out a voluntary Police Check for volunteers. You may obtain this paperwork at your local police station. The cost is approx \$25.00. Police checks may take up to 3-4 months to complete. We recommend that you do this as soon as possible. The Police check must be handed in at the time of the clinic. The police check will last 5 years.

The Equipment required needed to be an On-Ice Official ;

- CSA Approved Black helmet with half visor
- Referee Whistle – ACME Thunder Whistle's are recommended
- Standard Hockey Referee Shirt Long Sleeve **without** red arm bands
- Black Pants without elastic bands at the end of pant. Track pants are acceptable for only house league hockey.
- Standard Hockey Skates – No Goalie, Figure or Speed skates permitted.
- CSA Approved Neck guard.

Fill out the Application Form

Please fill this form that is on line in detail.

What kind of hockey will you be officiating as a first time official.

All First time officials or officials returning from a 5 year absence will be designated as a Level 1 official. This is regardless of age.

Any and all Level 1 officials will only referee Novice, Atom & Pee Wee House League games. If you are 16 years of age and older, you may be promoted to Level 2 status if you show the ability to officiate and if there is availability within in the association levels.

We expect that a level 1 official will do from 12-15 games per month based on availability. Most games are on Saturday and Sundays. They mostly commence

from 8:00am to 5:00pm. Approx average game fee is \$15.00

You will be observed and mentored by a registered supervisor from Alliance Minor Hockey.

How does the process work.

Once you fill out the application and send it into our administrator. We will be in contact with you around September, inviting you to an on ice work out and evaluation. Once the evaluations are completed and you are selected. You will receive a letter from Alliance Minor Hockey requesting that you attend the Level I clinic. This clinic is using at the start of October. It is an 8 hour on ice and classroom instruction with an open book test at the end of the day. Please make sure that you have your police check completed, without it you will not be able to officiate for that season.

Your season will start around mid October. You will receive your games via email and you may also block out times when you are not available. There are referee meetings once a month to collect your pay cheques and review any problems or situations that have occurred.

Thank you for your interest.

Ron Guse
Referee in Chief
Cambridge Officiating Program

