



NDG MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

COACH APPLICATION

(Given Name)

(Middle)

(Surname)

Address: _____ Postal Code _____

Phone: Home: _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____

Fax #: _____ Email Address: _____

Birth Date: _____ Place of Birth: _____

Employer: _____ Occupation: _____

Employers Address: _____ Phone: _____

Preferred Coaching Assignment - Please tick appropriate level.

Novice: ___ Atom: ___ PeeWee: ___ Bantam: ___ Midget: ___ Junior: ___

Hockey Coaching Experience or Other Sports

(List in order, starting with the most recent)

Year Association and Team Name Age Group Position

<u>Year</u>	<u>Association and Team Name</u>	<u>Age Group</u>	<u>Position</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Certification / Training

	<u>Year Completed</u>	<u>Location</u> (example: Montreal, QC)
Initiation Program	_____	_____
Intermediate Level	_____	_____
Advanced Level 1 or 2	_____	_____
Health & Safety	_____	_____
Hockey Quebec coaching certificate #	_____	_____

If you are not certified at the required level, are you available to take a weekend course to attain the required level? **Yes** **No**

Briefly describe your coaching philosophy

Briefly describe your objectives

Please include your goals for the team, your thoughts on rules and discipline and overall player development philosophy as well as any other pertinent information.

List 3 Coaching Skill Areas you consider your strengths:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

List 3 Coaching Skill Areas you wish to improve on:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

COMMENTS _____

- 1. I hereby acknowledge the authority of Hockey Quebec, Hockey Montreal, and NDG Minor Hockey Association and agree to carry out and abide by their constitution, bylaws, rules and regulations.**
- 2. I hereby acknowledge that I have read and understand the coach's role as outlined in the Coaches Fair Play Contract and Job description attached to the forming part of this Coaching Application form.**
- 3. I hereby agree to familiarize myself with the Hockey Quebec Coaching Certification Program requirements for coaching minor hockey and ensure that I maintain the required level of certification.**
- 4. By way of this application, I give permission to NDG Minor Hockey Association to pursue a criminal record search on myself. I hereby consent to disclosure of the above information.**

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____



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List of responsibilities for Coaches and Assistant Coaches

Head Coach

- Serve as the official spokesperson on behalf of the team
- Coordinate the delegation of responsibilities to the assistant coach and manager
- Plan on and off-ice activities in consultation with the assistant coach
- Coordinate player evaluation.
- Plan, implement and control pre-game preparation and communication with the team
- Design the practice plans in consultation with the assistant coach
- Coach the team in all games and practices
- Establish rules for the team and oversee the supervision of the players
- Submit a year end report which contains the following information – evaluation of players performance and recommendations on how the program can be improved.
- Report to the association through the Association convenor
- Strong hockey background in playing, coaching, evaluating
- Strong interest and commitment to child/athlete development
- Ability to work with fellow coaching personnel
- Ability to communicate on and off-ice requirements to players and parents
- Available to meet time requirements

Assistant Coach

- Assist with player evaluation and the player selection process
- Assist with planning , organizing and conducting practices
- Assist with pre-game preparation
- Assist with the operation of the team during the games
- Assist with scouting and evaluation of opponents
- Assist with the supervision of players off and on the ice
- Assist with the formulation of the game plan
- ◆ Report to the head coach
- Strong hockey background in playing, coaching, evaluating
- Strong interest and commitment to child/athlete development
- Ability to work with fellow coaching personnel
- Ability to communicate on and off-ice requirements to players and parents
- Available to meet time requirements



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COACHES FAIR PLAY CONTRACT

It is the intention of this pledge to promote fair play and respect for all participants within the NDG Minor Hockey Association. All coaches must sign this pledge before being allowed to participate in hockey and must continue to observe the principles of Fair Play.

FAIR PLAY CODE FOR COACHES

- 1 I will be reasonable when scheduling games and practices remembering that young athletes have other interests and obligations.
- 2 I will teach my athletes to play fairly and to respect the rules, officials, opponents and teammates.
- 3 I will ensure all athletes receive equal instruction, discipline, support and appropriate, fair playing time.
- 4 I will not ridicule or yell at my athletes for making mistakes or for performing poorly. I will remember that children play to have fun and must be encouraged to have confidence in themselves.
- 5 I will make sure that equipment and facilities are safe and match the athlete's ages and ability.
- 6 I will remember that children need a coach they can respect. I will be generous with praise and set a good example.
- 7 I will obtain proper training and continue to upgrade my coaching skills.

I agree to abide by the principles of the FAIR PLAY CODE as set by Hockey Canada and supported by the NDG Minor Hockey Association.

I also agree to abide by the rules, regulations and decisions as set by the NDG Minor Hockey Association.

PRINT NAME _____ DATE _____

SIGNATURE: _____

Convenor: _____ TEAM Name / Division. _____