



2022 WCMBH
Provincials Tournament
Coaches Package



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Welcome to the 2022 West Coast Minor Ball Hockey Provincial Tournament hosted by Richmond Ball Hockey <https://rbha.ca/>. We're proud to be hosting all divisions this year and games will be played out of Richmond Minoru, Richmond Ice Center, North Surrey Rec, North Delta Rec and Sungod Arenas.

The tournament will commence on **June 22nd, 2022**, with gold medal final games played on **June 26th, 2022**.

Our volunteers have been busy organizing this year's event, and we'd like to take this opportunity to recognize the countless hours, time and energy that they've put in to ensure that the participants have a great tournament.

We have 73 teams and approximately 1,600 players participating in our 5-day tournament playing out of 5 different arenas. A tournament of this size could not be possible without the amazing support from the City of Richmond and additional support from Surrey Minor Ball Hockey the City of Surrey and Delta Minor Ball Hockey and the City of Delta.

As a coach, we expect you to promote sportsmanship, fair play, and appropriate conduct to your players and parents while competing at this level.

In this document you will find most, if not all, of the information you will need for a successful tournament. We've tried very hard to include everything, but recognize we may have missed some items. Please contact George Bal or Daryl Karan (contact information above) and we will make sure we answer your questions or provide resources to alleviate any concerns.

We would like to welcome you to the City of Richmond, and wish the best of luck to all participants. Play hard, play safe, enjoy the camaraderie, and play hockey you can be proud of. And of course,... HAVE FUN.

Rink 1 - Richmond - Minoru Arena (Stadium and Silver)

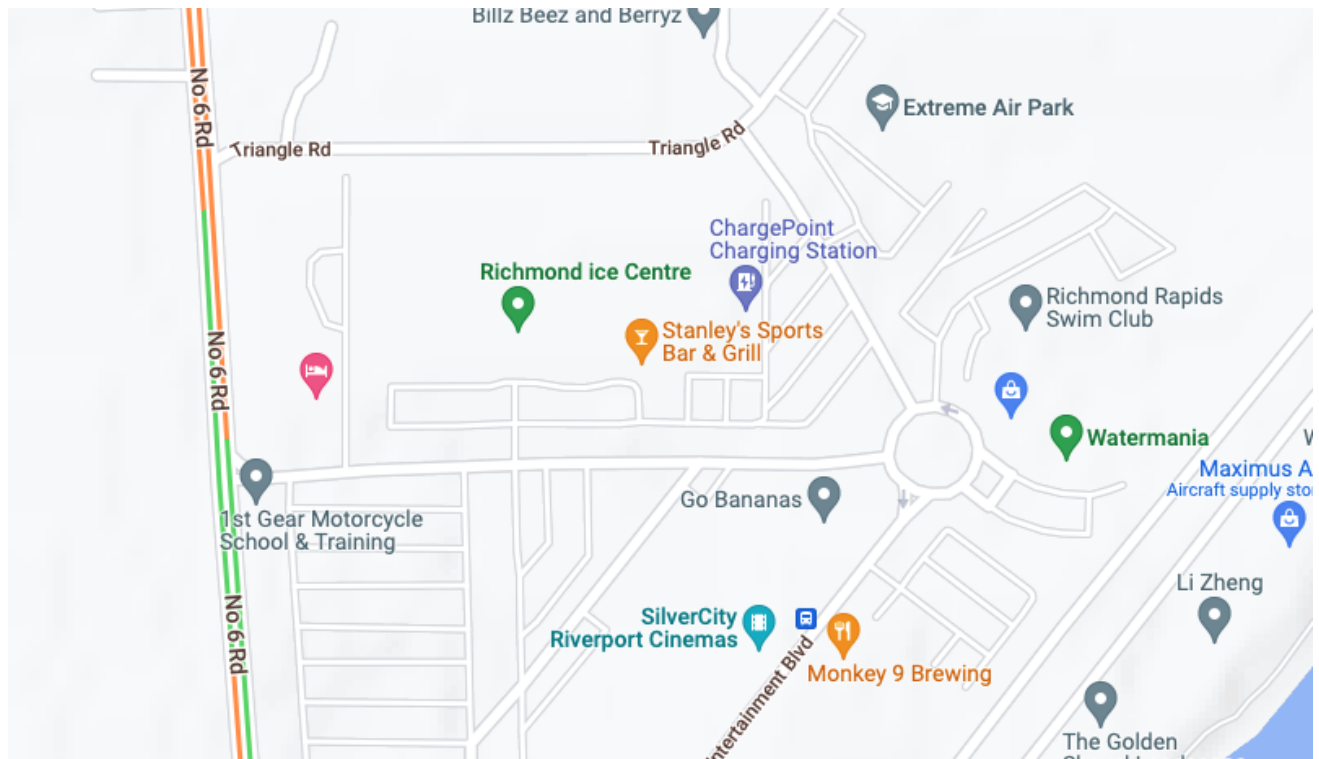
7551 Minoru Gate - Richmond, B.C. V6Y 1R8



- **Food & Places to eat**
 - There is a concession stand at this arena.
 - **Richmond Centre Food Court** - 10min Walk
 - **Starbucks** Richmond Centre - 10min Walk
 - **White Spot** Richmond Centre 10min walk
 - **McDonalds, Subway, Gas Station** & others close by

Rink 2 - Richmond Ice Centre (RIC)

14140 Triangle Rd. Richmond, B.C. V6W 1B1



- **Food & Places to eat**
 - Inside the arena is a concession stand
 - Inside the arena is Stanley's Sports Bar & Grill
 - **Wings Restaurant is 5 mins Drive on Steveston Hwy and 5 Rd.**
 - **Subway** 5min walk
 - **Monkey 9 Restaurant** 5-minute walk across the street

This arena is cold bring a jacket.

Rink 3 - North Surrey Sport & Ice Complex

10950 126A St. Surrey, BC V3V 0E5



- **Food & Places to eat**
 - Inside the arena is a concession stand
 - **McDonald's - 5min Drive**
 - **Tim Horton's - 7min Drive**

Rink 4 - North Delta Rec Centre

11415 84 Ave, Delta, BC V4C 2L9



Food & Places to eat

- o No concession inside, but some vending machines
- o **Tim Hortons** 5min Drive
- o **Subway** 5min Drive
- o **7-11** 5min Drive

Rink 5 - Sungod Rec Centre

7815 112 St, Delta, BC V4C 4V9



Food & Places to eat

- o No concession inside, but some vending machines
- o **Tim Hortons** 5min Drive
- o **Subway** 5min Drive
- o **7-11** 5min Drive

Tournament Format

1. **Round Robin Games**, the winning team will earn 2 points, the losing team will earn 0 points and games ending in a tie will result in each team receiving 1 point. No overtime during round robin games. All games are played under CBHA & WCMBHA of BC rules with two (2) periods of stop time.
2. **Peanut, Pup, and Peewee** will play 2 x 15-minute periods. There will be a five-minute break between periods.
3. **Minor, Major, Junior** will play 2 x 18 - minute periods. There will be a five-minute break between periods.
4. While adequate time between games has been allocated, it is to the Referees' discretion to resort to running time if required when games are running behind schedule.
5. In the event that two or more teams are tied at the end of the Round Robin play, the following procedure (tie break rules) will apply:
 - a) Tie breaking rules will take precedence over anything displayed on the website. Due to how the website displays data, any discrepancy found in the tie breaking rules will be used to determine the outcome.
 - b) Record between the tied teams, (from games involving only the tied teams);
 - c) Greatest number of wins in the round robin;
 - d) Greatest possible difference of goals for and against;
 - e) Highest total of goals for. (Please note: for the purpose of +/- ratios, a team cannot achieve more than seven (+7) goals in any one (1) game.)
 - f) Least amount of penalty minutes
6. **Semi-final games**, all games must end with a winner. If overtime is necessary, there will be 2 overtime periods played, the overtime periods will be 10 minutes in duration; overtime will be a first goal wins situation.
 - a) For the 1st overtime (OT) period the teams do not switch ends.
 - b) If there is a 2nd OT, the teams will switch ends with a 3-minute break.
 - c) If a game is tied at the end of the 2nd OT, a three-man shootout will be held to determine a winner with the visiting team shooting first. If after the first three shooters, the score is still tied, the shootout shall continue until a winner is determined. (first team to win a round of shootout wins)
 - d) All players on the bench are required to shoot before a player may shoot for a second time.
7. **Gold Medal games**, all games must end with a winner. If overtime is necessary, there will be 3 overtime periods played, the overtime periods will be 10 minutes in duration; overtime will be a first goal wins situation.
 - a) For the 1st overtime (OT) period the teams do not switch ends.
 - b) If there is a 2nd OT, the teams will switch ends with a 3-minute break.
 - c) If there is a 3rd OT, the teams will switch ends again with a 3-minute break.
 - d) If a game is tied at the end of the 3rd OT, a three-man shootout will be held to determine a winner with the visiting team shooting first. If after the first three

shooters, the score is still tied, the shootout shall continue until a winner is determined. (first team to win a round of shootout wins)

- e) Any player serving a penalty at the end of regulation play is NOT eligible to participate in the shootout.
- f) All players on the team's roster are required to shoot before a player may shoot for a second time. (regardless if a team's roster size is different than the opposing team)
- g) If a player is injured or tossed from the game, the team will forfeit that shot and it will be recorded as a miss.

8. **MERCY RULE:** If there is a seven (7) or more goal differential the clock will go to running time until the goal differential becomes less than seven, at which time the clock returns to stop time.

8 Competing Teams - Format

Format Summary:

- 1. Teams would play a round-robin, playing a total of 3 games
- 2. The two division winners and the two second place teams advance to the Semi-Finals
- 3. Semi-Final games would be 1A vs 2B, 2A vs 1B

Winners will advance to the Gold Medal Game; Losers advance to the Bronze Medal Game

6 Competing Teams - Format

Format Summary:

- 1. Teams would play a round-robin, playing a total of 2 games
- 2. The two division winners and the two second place teams advance to the Semi-Finals
- 3. Semi-Final games would be 1A vs 2B, 2A vs 1B

Winners will advance to the Gold Medal Game, Losers advance to the Bronze Medal Game

9. FEMALE DIVISION

4 Competing Teams - Format

Format Summary:

- 1. Teams would play a round-robin, playing a total of 3 games
- 1. The two division winners and the two second place teams advance to the Semi-Finals
- 2. Semi-Final games would be 1A vs 4A, 2A vs 3A

Winners will advance to the Gold Medal Game, Losers advance to the Bronze Medal Game

3 Competing Teams - Format

Format Summary:

- 1. The 3 team division will play a double elimination bracket. Once a team loses twice they are out of the tournament. If a team is undefeated going into the finals and loses, another

game is played between those same finalists to satisfy the double elimination requirements.

Housekeeping & Coach Specific Information

To help you, your players, and your families enjoy the tournament with less complications, here are a few things that will help you.

- Plan to be at the rinks a minimum 30 minutes prior to floor time. Parking may be challenging at certain times.
- There will be a registration desk at each arena. Report to the registration desk 30 minutes prior to game time to check in and receive your change room assignment. The volunteers at these tables are also there to answer questions.
- Home team will collect the score sheet, complete their information and then provide it to the away team.
- Teams may only enter the change room ½ hour before floor time.
- Coaches are responsible for the state of the change room. If damage is identified upon entering, immediately report damage to the registration desk and document it by way of photos.
- Coach MUST be first in change room & last out of change room
- Coaches are responsible for bringing their own locks for the change rooms.
- Change rooms MUST be clean, all garbage into the garbage cans provided. Failure to leave it clean is the coach's responsibility and may incur a monetary penalty.
- Schedule, standings and other important information is posted on the following web site: www.rbha.ca and click on "Standings"
- Appeals MUST be received within 60 minutes of the end of the game.
- Each Rink will have 1 person responsible for all activities. See the registration desk for details.
- All suspensions that occur, will carry into the Western Challenge Cup and / or the Junior Nationals, or next season until the total number of games is served.
 - Any player or team official assessed with a Game Misconduct, will be suspended for one (1) game
 - **Important** - Any player receiving a Fighting Major or a Match Penalty will be suspended, and removed from the remainder of the tournament.
 - **Important** - Any player or team official assessed with a Gross Misconduct will be suspended, and removed from the remainder of the tournament.
- All teams are recommended to bring 2 sets of jersey's however in the event of a conflict color, the Home team will be responsible for changing their jersey. If the home team does not have a second jersey, they will be responsible for providing their own pinnies to put over their jersey's or ask if the Away team has a second jersey they can wear. If neither team changes to allow the game to move forward, a double forfeit on the teams will be assessed GAME OVER.

Game MVP Awards

At the completion of a game, a HAND SHAKE between teams will occur in proper fashion and then both teams will line up on their blue line for MVP award presentation for the Round Robin games only.

An MVP (Most Valuable Player) will be selected on both teams at the end of each game. The selection will be done by the opposing coach; however, it will be strongly encouraged to have a small conversation between both coaches about who the choice will be to try to spread around the award so that 1 person does not win the award multiple times.

2022 Provincials - Tournament Sponsors

WINGS



Merchandise & Swag

We're happy to present options to all players, coaches, and families to take home a little piece of merchandise to remember this joyous occasion. Thanks to our wonderful partner, we will have a merchandise booth set up at our main location for the Friday June 24 tournament.

Tournament RIC / Executives & Appeal Committee

Tournament RIC (Ref In Chief) **John Doble** – ref_chief@rbha.ca

Tournament Host President **George Bal** – president@rbha.ca

Tournament Appeal Committee (3 available parties from the list below that are not in conflict with the appeal requested.)

- George Bal – Richmond Ball Hockey
- Clayton Smith – Valley Ball Hockey
- Paul Hundal – Metro Minor Ball Hockey
- Gary Sandhu – Delta Minor Ball Hockey
- Kurt Friesen – Surrey Minor Ball Hockey
- Natalie Walker – Tri-Cities Minor Ball Hockey
- Brett Barlow – Greater Victoria Minor Ball Hockey

Appeals

Any appeals must be filed in written form within 1 hour of the completion of the game. The appeal fee is \$100.00 cash up front. The total amount of the fee is used to pay for the cost and expenses of the appeal, so regardless of the result of the appeal, there will be no amount of the fee returned. The outcome of the appeal is considered to be final.



2022 WCMBH Provincials – Appeal Form

Team Name: _____ vs. _____

Division: _____

Date: _____ \$100 Fee Paid by: _____

Game No. _____ Arena: _____

Contact: _____ Phone Number: _____

Type of Appeal: _____

Notes: *(use back of form if more space required)* _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

2022 Provincial Committee review and conclusion:

If applicable indicate rule book reference:

2022 WCMBHA Provincials Committee Signature(s)
