

Important information for the 2018-2019 Season

Registration for the 2018-2019 season will be open at 9:00 am on Monday June 18th until 9:00am on Monday, July 23rd.

For all players registering in Novice for the 2018-2019 season there will be an option on the registration page to register for Novice House or Novice Travel.

PLEASE NOTE:

The novice division will be undergoing some significant changes for the 2018-2019 season. Okotoks Minor Hockey will be going to half ice novice hockey for the upcoming season. Half ice will apply to all novice players, first and second year. This change will include both the house and travel division. Please check out the novice tab on the OMHA website to access videos, articles and stats regarding the new half ice program.

When registering you will have an option to register your player in either the house division or to try out for one of the two travel novice teams.

Novice House option: The division your child plays in will be determined based on evaluation sessions held later in September. Each team will receive two shared practices per week. Teams in the same division will play games against each other on Saturday or Sunday mornings in Okotoks or at the Scott Seaman Sports Rink in Dewinton.

Novice Travel option: Okotoks Minor Hockey Association selects two tier one teams. With over 90 players trying out for 2 teams, a spot in the travel program is not guaranteed. Players not selected for a Novice Travel team will play in the OMHA Novice House league and will be placed in House A, B or C based on their evaluation ranking. The travel teams will receive two shared practices per week with games being played on the weekends.

*Please note that the day of the week that practices are held will vary depending on the team and are subject to change after the Christmas break. Novice teams will start as early as 4:00 pm on weekdays, and games will start as early as 7:00 am on weekends. OMHA is unable to accommodate requests for specific day or time requests.

* All novice players will receive the same number of evaluation ice times regardless if they select travel or house on their registration*

If you have any further questions please contact Lindsay Graw at lindsaygraw@shaw.ca