

# **Okotoks Oilers Athletic Association**

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# Pee Wee AA Team Tryout & Selection Process

For the upcoming season the OOAA is will enter 2 Pee Wee AA teams into the SCAHL. These teams are required to be as equal in caliber as possible, therefore the OOAA Board of Directors has determined the following Tryout and Draft process for the upcoming season.

Team Make Up - Each team will be comprised of the following:

- 16 Skaters
- 2 Goalies

# Tryout Skates

- All registered players will be guaranteed 3 tryout skates
- Independent evaluators will be used to rank these players for the first 3 skates
- These rankings will be basis of who plays in Green/White Game (along with input from the 2 coaching staffs)

## Green/White Game

- 12 forwards, 7 D-men, 3 goalies (each plays 1 period), per team
- Team rosters for Green/White game will be determined by the Pee Wee Director
- Only players playing in this game are eligible for draft (unless injury situation), and all players in game will be drafted to 1 team or the other

## Draft

- Draft will take place Sunday evening following Green/White game
- Each coach will draft 12 forwards, 7 D-men, 3 goalies
- Forwards, D-men, Goalies will be drafted separately
- Coin toss will determine who gets option of first pick, that coach will select which category (forwards, dmen, or goalies) he wants to draft first, opposing coach will get option of first pick in next category of his choice, first coach will get option of first selection on the last category
- Note: Coach who has first pick option may also choose to pick 2<sup>nd</sup> if he so chooses, therefore allowing him to pick both player #2 and #3 as per below:



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- Selections will go in the following order:
- Forwards:
  - Selector #1 1, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24
  - Selector #2 2, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23
- Defense:
  - Selector #1 1, 4, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13
  - Selector #2 2, 3, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14
- Goalies:
  - Selector #1 1, 4, 5
  - Selector #2 2, 3, 6

#### Special Considerations

- If a coach has a son trying out for the team the coaches son must be chosen at the position he is ranked by independent evaluators, ie. If he is ranked 7<sup>th</sup>, then coach must draft him in that spot, if he does not have that selection then he goes in the next available spot 8<sup>th</sup>.
- 2 Child Families, if there are families with siblings then the coach who drafts Sibling #1 must take the other sibling in the position he is ranked by the independent evaluators
- Asst. Coaches no parent assistant coaches can be determined until after team draft and selection, therefore no consideration will be made for these players
- Injured Players If a player is injured and cannot fully participate in tryouts or Green/White game it will be at the discretion of the coaches & the pee wee director as to whether this player is draft eligible. If all parties agree then this player will be added to the draft list as an extra therefore not taking the roster spot of another player. If the player cannot be evaluated prior to final release date, then rosters will be finalized without this player. When player is finally able to participate he will be evaluated and added as an ADDITIONAL player to the team or returned to OMHA

#### Team Selection Week

- Each team will have drafted 12 forwards, 7 D-men, 3 goalies
- Teams will have minimum 2 practices and exhibition games to determine final roster
- Final rosters will be determined by Mid September, 1 week prior to SCAHL Opening Game
- Players released (cut) from one team CANNOT tryout for the other team
- All players released go back to OMHA