**Head Coach**

Requirements:

* Must meet certification requirements for respective age category.
* Strong hockey background in playing, coaching, and evaluating.
* Strong interest and commitment to child/athlete development.
* Ability to work well with fellow coaching personnel.
* Ability to communicate on and off-ice with players and parents.
* Available to meet time requirements.

Duties:

* 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 coaches.
* Organize parent meetings to inform them on the team’s hockey season plan and to update when necessary.
* Coordinate player evaluation and selection in conjunction with the Association mentor.
* Plan, implement and control pre-game preparation and communication with the team.
* Design the practice plans in consultation with the assistant coaches.
* 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
* Evaluation of teams performance
* Outline of practice plans and game strategy
* Recommendations on how the program can be improved.