



2019-2020 Rep Tryout Information

Kamloops Minor Hockey Rep Tryouts will begin on September 3rd, 2019. All players registered for Rep Tryouts will be grouped randomly to begin tryouts. Each player is guaranteed four ice times. Coaches will have the ability to move players within the groups so that players are appropriately evaluated. Final reassignments will be posted on September 22, 2019. Please note that there may be some player movement after September 22nd.

Reassignments will be posted on the KMHA website under the Atom Dev/Rep Tryout page, listed by Hockey Canada ID number.

There will be two Bantam and Midget groups and three Pee wee groups. These groups will be divided into teams for skill sessions and small area games for September 3rd and 5th ice times. After September 5th, players will be regrouped based on player evaluations for games on September 9th to 12th. After September 12th, players will be regrouped again for intra-squad games on the September 14th and 15th weekend. Some players may be reassigned to Recreational at this time. Starting the week of September 16th, players will be split into Tiers 1-3 to continue the tryout process. Regular team practices and exhibition will be used for further evaluation leading up to final player selection.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Players will be evaluated in the following 5 areas: 1. Skating 2. Competitiveness/Work Ethic 3. Tactical Skills 4. Puck Control/Passing 5. Shooting/Scoring

Goalies will be evaluated on the following: 1. Balance/Agility/Movement 2. Puck Stopping Skills 3. Competitiveness/Work Ethic 4. Angles/Positioning 5. Anticipation/Judgment

The criteria are listed in order of importance. Players need to combine skating and skills with a high level of competitiveness and work ethic along with an ability to think the game tactically. Some of the criteria is specific to position, i.e. some just for forwards and some just for defensemen. Players will be selected based on all of these factors and with the best interests of building a team in mind. The coaches will have the final say on who makes their respective teams with the consultation of Kamloops Minor Hockey's Director of Hockey Operations.

SCHEDULE OF PLAYER REASSIGNMENTS

Part 1: Sept. 3rd - 5th - New groups will be posted by 5:00pm September 6th

Ice times will be skill sessions/small area games. Players will be split into groups for scrimmages.

Part 2: Sept. 9th - 12th - Reassignments will be posted by 5:00pm September 12th

Ice times will be scrimmages. Players will be split into groups for mini games or reassigned to recreational.

Part 3: Sept. 14th-15th - Reassignments will be posted by 7:00pm Sept. 15th

Ice times will be mini games/ Intra-squad games.

Part 4: Sept. 16th-22nd - Final reassignments will be posted by 8:00pm Sept. 22nd

Ice times will be 1-2 weekday practices and 1-2 exhibition games.