**2024/2025 Sturgeon Hockey Club Referee Information**

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**2024 SHC Referee Clinic November 16, 2024**

Classroom portion at the Morinville Community Cultural Centre.

Afternoon ice session at the Morinville Leisure Centre.

**Returning Officials**

If you are a **RETURING** Official to Sturgeon Hockey Club,

please refer to the email or App message sent for Clinic details.

**New Officials / New to our Association Area**

If you would like to join our officiating team, you must meet the following requirements:

1. Be at least currently 13 years of age;
2. Reside within the Sturgeon Hockey Club Association area; and
3. You must complete the MANDATORY online course:

Hockey Canada Officiating Program - Intro to Officiating

PRIOR to registering for an Officiating Clinic.

This is a one-time course and only for 1st time officials.

Once completed, you will not have to complete again.

To register for this mandatory one-time 3 hour online course, please go to: <https://page.spordle.com/ha/clinics/1ef28f90-b661-6d4a-8b56-02278fe9e5d9>

Clinic #2024000506 or Hockey Canada Officiating Program - Intro to Officiating

Should you meet the above requirements *and have completed* the

Intro to Officiating online course, you may then reach out via email to our RIC

and we will be happy to provide you with our clinic link for you to register

to attend our Clinic and join our team of officials.

Please include the below table of questions with your details to *RIC@sturgeonhockeyclub.com*

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| Name: |   |
| Age as of Dec 31, 2024: |   |
| HA Officiating Level 1-5: |   |
| Seasons Officiating: |   |
| Email: |   |
| Contact Number: |   |
| Playing this year: |   |
| Where playing: |   |
| Age group and level Playing? |   |

Please complete the mandatory online portion at least 2 weeks prior to our

Clinic to ensure there is an available spot to register for the in-person Clinic,

that will be held on November 16, 2024. Hockey Alberta has set a limited

number of spots to register for our clinic and can not hold spots.

Should you be a returning official but new/ moved into our association area, please email with the above table with your details and we can provide you with our clinic registration link and discuss with you what to expect from us.

Once you successfully attend and complete our official’s clinic, your information

to be added to the Sturgeon Hockey Club local officiating list.

**Criminal Record Checks**

If you plan on officiating and are turning 18 by December 31, 2024, then you WILL be required to complete a Criminal Record check. This is the new policy for Hockey Canada and Hockey Alberta.

If you are unsure whether your CRC is still valid, you can log into your e-hockey account [backcheck.net/hockeyalberta](http://www.backcheck.net/hockeyalberta) and view your participant profile, where Criminal Record Checks and expiry dates will be listed at the bottom of the page.

You can access and share your previously completed CRC at

<https://www.mybackcheck.com/Public/Login.aspx>

or request a new one via

<https://www.backcheck.net/hockeyalberta/>

*If you require further assistance, please contact*

*Jessie, Sturgeon Hockey Club’s Referee-in-Chief*

 *at* *RIC@sturgeonhockeyclub.com*

I am excited to work with you all this season, whether you

are a returning or new to SHC Official.

*Welcome to our team!*