2019 Raider Midget Tryout Information

Midget AAA

Aug 23-24 (15 year old camp) (Includes both SAMHA registrants and Non-Residents)

From this camp some players will be invited to carry on with the main camp, the remainder will start with the 15AAA tryouts.

Aug 30-Sept 1 (Main Camp)

(dates and times are subject to change...always refer to the website)

If your son wants to opt out of the AAA tryouts and start directly at AA please email me at <u>midgetdirector@raidershockey.ca</u> and I will advise the coaching staff.

If your son is attending a Junior camp and will be missing some or all of the tryout skates please email team Manager Russ Stevenson at <u>russequip@shaw.ca</u> and CC: me <u>midgetdirector@raidershockey.ca</u> with the dates he will be missing and the camp he is attending.

*** ADM Change for Midget AAA cuts:

There are changes with respect to the Alberta Development hockey model. There will be no movement of players who are cut unless they have been registered on HCR, i.e. on the 40-man roster. This effectively means that all the early cuts are trying out for Midget AA as they cannot go anywhere. This will facilitate creation of our AA teams much quicker. Please note that if a 15-year-old is cut from Major Midget, he can then try out for the AMMHL (15 AAA). If he is cut at that point, then as a 15-year-old, he still has the right to travel to the next closest zone to try out for another 15 AAA team as before.

Player Releases:

As per Hockey Alberta ADM procedure, all Elite AAA Player Movement is overseen by the respective league governors.

SAMHA Registered Player Options

- 1. 04's Tryout for a SAMHA Midget 15AAA team.
- 2. 02 & 03 Tryout for Midget AA
- 02 & 03 Contact Bobby Olynyk <u>bobbyo@telus.net</u> to request a tryout with another AAA team. (only if player has made the 40 man roster) Must obtain a Male Elite Waiver Form from SAMHA Registrar, Seema King registrar@samha.ca

Must obtain a NTTO Form: These forms must be sent to the Seema completed, with the exception of the RIS # which she can look up and then sign and return. NTTO's can be found here: <u>https://www.hockeyalberta.ca/members/forms/</u>

Non-Resident Options

- 1. Return to your local MHA and try out for Midget 15AAA (04) or Midget AA (02 & 03).
- Contact Bobby Olynyk <u>bobbyo@telus.net</u> to request a tryout with another AAA team. (only if player has made the 40 man roster) Must Obtain a Male Elite Waiver Form from SAMHA Registrar, Seema King registrar@samha.ca.

Midget AA

Sept 3-7 Tryouts Sept 18-26 SSAC Evaluation Tournament (Leduc)

Teams will be drafted shortly after completion of the evaluation tournament. Rosters to be finalized prior to Oct 1.

Player Releases:

Released players will attend the SAMHA midget evaluation process which starts on Oct 1.

Minor Midget 15AAA

Sept 3-16 Tryouts Sept 19-23 SSAC Evaluation Tournament

Player Releases:

As per Hockey Alberta ADM procedure, all Elite AAA Player Movement is overseen by the respective league governors.

SAMHA Registered Player Options

- 1. Try out for a Midget 15AA Royals. Check the Royals website for skate times.
- 2. Tryout for PAC's 15AAA team. Contact Trevor Dowhaniuk <u>chair@pacsaints.com</u> and CC: <u>office@sgmha.ca</u>
 - Must obtain a Male Elite Waiver Form from SAMHA Registrar, Seema King registrar@samha.ca
 - Must obtain a NTTO Form: These forms must be sent to the Seema completed, with the exception of the RIS # which she can look up and then sign and return.
 - NTTO's can be found here: <u>https://www.hockeyalberta.ca/members/forms/</u>
- 3. If released from PAC's 15AAA team you may try out for a third 15AAA team. Contact Will Jang from HA at <u>jangw@telusplanet.net</u> to find out more information and which team you are able to tryout with.

If invited to tryout with a third 15AAA club, the signed NTTO Form is required. This is only a one-year commitment as all players must return to their home clubs at the end of the current hockey season.

Non-Resident Options

- Tryout for PAC's 15AAA team. Contact Trevor Dowhaniuk <u>chair@pacsaints.com</u> and CC: <u>office@sgmha.ca</u>
 - If invited to tryout with PAC's 15AAA club the signed NTTO form is required. Must obtain an Male Elite Waiver Form from SAMHA Registrar, Seema King registrar@samha.ca before continuing with tryouts elsewhere.
- 2. If released from PAC's 15AAA team you may try out for a third 15AAA team. Contact Will Jang from HA at jangw@telusplanet.net to find out more information and which team you are able to tryout with.

If invited to tryout with a third 15AAA club, the signed NTTO and Waiver form are required.

Minor Midget REM 15AA

Sept 6-15 Tryouts Sept 26-29 SSAC Evaluation Tournament

Rosters to be finalized prior to Oct 1

Player Releases:

Options

- 1. Attend the SAMHA midget evaluation process which starts on Oct 1.
- 2. Contact Mike Hennessey REM Governor <u>Michael.Hennessey@ironline.com</u> and he will determine if there are other teams looking for players. If a player wants to move, which we are open to, they would have to be <u>guaranteed</u> a spot on another REMHL team and we would provide a 'Minor Hockey Player Movement Form', selecting 'My Resident Association has a team but it is full'. With the issuing of the form, the player will be transfer in HCR once signed by the other association and if for any reason the player doesn't make the team or not want to play for the team, they must reside with that moved to association for the remainder of the year.

This is only a one-year commitment as all players must return to their home clubs at the end of the current hockey season.

Other Notes

SAMHA Midget Evaluations: are scheduled to begin Oct 1 for goalies and Oct 2 for players. Midget AA and REM 15 coaches will be advised to have their rosters set and player releases completed prior to Oct 1. (With the exception of trickle down effects from Junior and AAA cuts that may still be coming) **Merchant Tryouts:** SAMHA/Raiders will not permit Midget aged players to attend Merchants tryouts. There may be exceptions but these will be reviewed by the both boards on a case by case basis.