

# Redcliff Minor Hockey Association U18 Driving Policy

Objective: To ensure the safety of RMHA U18 players

Players who are of the legal driving age are to follow the following policies for theirs and their teammates safety.

### **Practices**

Players will be allowed to drive to venues which reside within a 29km radius. Players who do drive are expected to drive "directly" to and from practice, meaning there are no detours taken that bring another reason for the trip into consideration.

Players will not be allowed to drive to venues which reside outside 30km radius (Irvine, Ralston, Tilley, Bow Island). Players will not be permitted to drive themselves or any of their teammates. These practices are typically later at night when it is dark and U18 drivers may not have the necessary experience to drive at night alone. In order to help minimize the number of parent drivers, RMHA recommends organizing a carpool initiative to keep the kids safe.

#### **Home Games**

Players will be permitted to drive to any home game within a 29 km radius. Players must drive "directly" to the game, meaning there are no detours taken that bring another reason for the trip into consideration.

Players are NOT permitted to drive to any game outside of the 30km radius (Irvine, Ralston, Tilley, Bow Island). In order to help minimize the number of parent drivers, we recommend organizing a carpool initiative to keep the kids safe.

## **Away Games**

Players will not be permitted to drive themselves or any of their teammates to any games where the Redcliff is the visiting team.

#### Other

No player will be permitted to drive at any time to or from any RMHA event where a concussion may be suspected in the driver.