



# SMHA REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Online Registration will open July 20, 2023 and will close August 20, 2023

*(Online registration, with payment by credit card, is the only option available for the 2023-2024)*

Registration link is as follows: <https://page.hockeycanada.ca/page/hc/ha/central-region/stettler>

A 3-payment plan will be offered for U11 – U18 Divisions (1/3 at time of registration, 1/3 on August 20, 1/3 on September 4). A 2-payment plan will be offered for the U9 Division (1/2 at time of registration, 1/2 on September 4).

For the 2023-2024 season, Development Fees (for all Divisions) and Evaluation Fees (for Male U11-U18 Divisions) are included in our registration fees.

SMHA will not field any oversize rosters for the 2023-2024 season. In the event that registrations exceed the number of players for a standard size roster, based on Hockey Alberta's definition, evaluations will occur. In the Female Division, a \$60 evaluation fee will be collected if the need presents.

Registration beyond August 20<sup>th</sup> will be conditional to board acceptance - late fees of \$100 will apply.

## **Volunteer Commitment:**

SMHA will require families to complete 8 volunteer hours. A \$200 post-dated volunteer cheque will be collected by team manager at the beginning of the season.

## **Birth Certificate and Address Verification:**

New players are able to register online but they will need to have their Birth Certificate verified before the start of the year. Please send birth certificate information to [registrar@stettlerminorhockey.com](mailto:registrar@stettlerminorhockey.com)

Any registrant that has a PO Box MUST indicate their legal land description for boundary verification.

## **Respect in Sport:**

Parents of new players will have to take the Respect in Sport - Parent Course. It is an online course and is mandatory through Hockey Alberta. Hockey Alberta has also required that parents re-certify every 4 years. Players whose parents have not completed, or who have an expired certificate, will not be allowed to step on the ice. Please refer to the website for more information: <https://www.hockeyalberta.ca/members/respect-sport/>. If parents have taken the course for older siblings, you DO NOT have to take it again. You will have to go into your Respect in Sport profile and add your new player. If there are any issues with log in/passwords, you will have to contact the Respect Group directly.

## **Policies and Procedures:**

We ask that players and parents familiarize themselves with SMHA policies and procedures prior to completing registration. Policies and procedures can be found on the SMHA website under the Policies tab.

**If you have any questions, or concerns, please feel free to reach out to Nicole Doan (Registrar) by email at [registrar@stettlerminorhockey.com](mailto:registrar@stettlerminorhockey.com)**