

Officiating Report January 2017

I would like to remind coaches of the “code of conduct” signed by all coaches at the start of the season. We have been experiencing a few issues with coaches or spectators verbally abusing officials on or off the ice.

I understand that coaches or spectators may not always agree with referee decisions or their view but there is a process set in place to handle the disagreement.

If you have an issue with a referee please feel free to contact me (Denise Pelletier) via the Western Region website with the complaint in writing. I am happy to deal with any situation which may arise.

Also regionals is fast approaching, the call for officials will be coming at the start of February. This year regionals will be held in London from March 24th to the 26th. We are looking for each association to be represented by officials. This is a great opportunity to be evaluated and gain valuable refereeing experience.

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