



Western Region Ringette Association

Directors Report

General Meeting - September 18, 2014

As the Director of Western Region I am inspired by the passion, pride and commitment that our volunteers give to their players, their communities and to our sport. The fruit of their endeavors is quite evident in the success our Region experienced at every level of competition last season.

Our WRRL (Western Region Ringette League) continues to do an excellent job managing and developing the skill set of our players at the Regional level. The League, I'm happy to report has all executive positions filled. Brian Woolley is the president of the WRRL and by all accounts is doing excellent Job.

Our WORL (Western Ontario Ringette League) also does a superior job at providing our Provincial level players with a excellent opportunity to hone their skills and develop into elite Ringette players. Western Region A and AA teams did very well at Provincial and National competitions last year. Mike Guiler as president of WORL rarely gets time to rest. The formation of A and AA teams started last spring and carried on through the summer and well into September.

I would like to once again congratulate all of our players for the success they experienced, the friendships they fostered and the commitment they gave to our sport and their teammates last year and encourage them to stand true to themselves, their teammates and the sport for the upcoming season.

I will finish off by thanking my fellow Board and Executive members and coordinators not only for their support but also for the administrative work they do to ensure everyone's needs are met at the Provincial and Regional level. Like many of you they are parents or grandparents of players, they are members of bench staffs, they are actively involved with their local associations and yet they still give their volunteer time to sit on this board.

We are looking for an Adult Coordinator. If we don't have volunteers come forward I will put the names of associations not currently represented on the WRRRA Board but host an adult into a hat and draw the name of the association who must provide an adult coordinator.

Thank you very much and all the best during the 2014-2015 Season.

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Director, Western Region