WESTERN REGION 2013-14 Membership Services YE Review

Western Region had a very successful Season. All associations worked together and we had another season without a tribunal.

REGION STATS

Player Movement

- In Region Releases 139
- Out of Region Releases 4
- Relocation into Region 5
- Overage Players 28
- 2 Team Contracts 27

Numbers

- Player numbers in our region are down 112 players from the 2012-13 season and 180 down from the 2011-12 season
- Unfortunately we have had 2 associations not have any teams this year Tara and Exeter
- We have an new association in the works Seaforth / Exeter that should be fully operational for the 2014-15 season

Teams – We had 164 youth teams and 40 Adult teams in the region

Closest / Current

Home Association – Where the player lives

Current Association – The association where the player played in 2012-13 Season

If the players home association has a team then they must try out and play at home if offered a spot. If the home association does not have a team then the player must go to the current association (where the player played in 2013-14 season). If neither of these associations has a team or the player is not offered a spot on either then they start with closest from the home association.

If a player did not play out of association in the 2013-14 season then the player will automatically follow the closest association matrix. You can find this on the WR website.

Tryouts

Players that are attending tryouts in other associations besides their home require a Permission to skate form signed for each association and level. It must have all the information at the top filled in, Name, birthdate, Phone number, Home association, Association trying out for, ORA number and the age and level. The Parent / player signature and the president's signature must be complete. The coach should not accept a release and allow the player on the ice without this all complete. Once offered a spot and accepted the bottom half of the form needs to be completed with all signatures and handed into me before a player can step on the ice with the team. Presidents please ensure you are monitoring this and ensuring your players and families know the rules.

U12 Sort outs – no permission to skate is required for the spring sort out skates. Permission to skates will be required in the fall when the teams are in tryouts.