



2022-23 LOCAL LEAGUE COACHING APPLICATION FORM

(This application must be completed, signed and emailed; see below)

Thank you for your interest in being a coach for the CDMHA. We appreciate the fact you are willing to take the time and commit to providing the best possible experience for our players.

Before starting the application, please take the time to read through it in detail and ensure you meet or are able and willing to meet all CDMHA and OMHA requirements. For clarity please ensure to take note of the following key points.

- 1. A copy of the application must be emailed to the VP of Local League, Erin Noble @ vp11@caledoniathunder.ca. If you are interested in coaching, please submit your application by August 1, 2022 in order that planning can begin for the following season. If necessary applications will be accepted after the deadline in order to fill coaching positions.**
2. All coach applicants, must have the minimum coaching qualifications as outlined in the attached document (see below. Please note the OMHA has not yet released the 2022 Coaching Qualifications, please ensure to check the OMHA website). Applicants who do not meet the minimum requirement will be required to obtain certification prior to the start of the season. **Please note the OMHA's deadline for renewal of expiring certifications is August 31st.**
3. All coach applicants must have a valid police check completed prior to being allowed to take the bench.

If you have any questions or require clarification regarding the content of this application, please feel free to email vp11@caledoniathunder.ca

SECTION 1: Contact Information

Name of Applicant _____
Phone: Home: _____
Work: _____
Email Address: _____
Home Address:
Number/Street: _____
City: _____ Postal Code: _____

SECTION 2: Team Application

I wish to apply as head coach for the following division(s): (please check box)

U8 U9 U11 U13 U15 U18

Please identify if you have prearranged staff selected if you are chosen to coach this team.

Trainer

SECTION 3: Experience / Qualifications

Please provide details of prior coaching positions held:

Year: _____ Association: _____
Team Age/Division: _____

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Please tell us about your hockey-specific coaching qualifications, if applicable:

What is your NCCP Coach Level? _____

Year Obtained: _____ Certification #: _____

Expiry Date: _____

Have you attended any formal upgrade / refresher courses related to hockey?

Yes or No If yes, please specify _____

Have you ever been dismissed, suspended or disciplined by CDMHA or any other association?

Yes or No If yes, please specify _____

Have you ever received a Gross Misconduct/Match penalty during or following a minor hockey game, as a carded team official?

Yes or No If yes, please specify _____

Have you ever been involved in a physical altercation with anyone before/during/after a game?

Yes No

Have any of your proposed staff members been suspended, issued a gross/match penalty or been involved in a physical altercation during a minor sports game?

Yes No N/A

***Please note: any discipline history by any proposed assistant coach/trainer will be reviewed by the Board prior to final approval of coaching staff.**

I, _____ understand that all courses regarding Certification, are mandatory courses prescribed by the Ontario Minor Hockey Association (OMHA), and agree to obtain. **I agree to complete a Police Record Check from the Haldimand OPP service, as per CDMHA protocol prior to the teams first scheduled ice time.**

The C.D.M.H.A. Coaching Selection Committee will review this application. C.D.M.H.A. will maintain confidentially of all information associated with this application.

Completion of this application in no way confirms that your application will be accepted. The C.D.M.H.A. Coaching Selection Committee may contact you for an interview. The C.D.M.H.A. Coaching Selection Committee will notify the successful candidates prior to the commencement of the hockey season.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Coaching Staff Code of Conduct

As a coach or other team official within CDMHA, I understand that I am representing my team, our association and my community. I will therefore conduct myself at all times, while at the H.C.C.C or any other hockey facility or venue related to a minor hockey event in a respectful and sportsmanship manner.

While present at a hockey game, practice or any other hockey related activity or function, I will follow all guidelines and established principles of CDMHA, Hockey Canada, OMHA, OHF, Haldimand County's "Public Conduct on County Property" Policy and any other league or association rules as applicable. I will respect the H.C.C.C property and any other arena facility at all times.

I will treat executive members, my players, our opponents and other team or league official with respect and dignity. I will never verbally or physically abuse an official.

I will also adhere to the following:

- a) I will read, understand and follow the guidelines as outlined in the CDMHA Constitution and Policy and Procedures Manual;
- b) I will read, understand and follow the guidelines as outlined in the OMHA Manual of Operations;
- c) I will read, understand and follow the guidelines as outlined in the "Public Conduct on County Property" Policy;
- d) I will attend all Coach's meetings as required;
- e) I will ensure equal ice time for my players in local league;
- f) I will never be alone with my players;
- g) I will return all equipment and supplies provided to me by CDMHA at the end of the season;
- h) I will be responsible for the wellbeing of all players while they are in my care;
- i) I will request the assistance of the applicable Executive member for any issues I cannot handle;
- j) I will never be under the influence of alcohol or any illegal substance while players are in my care;
- k) I will report any injuries and all major penalties immediately to the application VP;
- l) I will communicate with my player's/parents on a regular basis and I will ensure a full accounting of team funds is provided with a zero balance at season end.

I understand that failure to comply with the Coaching Staff Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action in accordance with the Discipline Policy of CDMHA and/or The Haldimand County "Public Conduct on County Property" Policy. Such action may result in my losing my coaching privileges and/or the opportunity to participate in CDMHA activities and events, both present and future.

COACHING STAFF SIGNATURE