



HOCKEY CALGARY

INFORMATION BULLETIN

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To: Community Association Presidents, Administrators & League Chairs

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SUBJECT: REGULAR SEASON DIVISIONAL PLACEMENTS

RESEED PROCESS

There will be no formal meeting this year to discuss Final Divisional Placements, the timeline and communication protocol is described in detail below:

- Nov 17-21 – teams to update digital game sheets as quickly as possible. League Chairs to review game statistics to identify teams for possible movement based on the reseed criteria and discuss current placement with all teams in their division.
- Nov 21 (noon) – League Chairs to submit their recommendations regarding team movement to League Governors.
- Nov 22-23 – League Governors to review recommendations received from League Chairs and communicate potential movement of their teams to Association representatives.
- Nov 24 (morning) – League Governors to submit Proposed Divisional Placements for the regular season to Community Council Chair for review.
- Nov 24 (2:00pm) – Draft #1 Proposed Divisional Placements to be circulated to Association representatives.
- Nov 25 (2:00pm) – Draft #2 Proposed Divisional Placements to be circulated to Association representatives.
- Nov 26 (2:00pm) – Final Divisional Placements to be circulated to Association representatives. No further changes will be considered.

RESEED CRITERIA

In order for a team to potentially move up or down, the following criteria is considered:

1. Divisional standings at time of review
2. Goals for vs. goals against ratio
3. Number of blowouts (>5 goals, + or -)
4. Results of exhibition games vs. teams in higher or lower division
5. Results of games between three teams (one may have played two other teams that have not met each other in the seeding round and the common team beats the top placed team but loses to the last place team)
6. League Chair's opinion based on game supervisions
7. Association (not necessarily Coach's) request pending minimal contradiction to points 1-6
8. Divisional balance in terms of optimal number of teams in order to have a successful division for the regular season