

Elite Council Hockey Calgary AGM Report 2015

Overall it was a good season with the following highlights:

Provincial Championships

This season the Calgary teams won both the Bantam AA Major and Midget AA Major Championships. The winning teams were the CBHA Blackhawks in Bantam and the CRAA Royal Blue in Midget.

Community Affiliation

The quadrants have worked with Hockey Calgary to have a Community Affiliation Form used by all the Quadrants when affiliating Community Players to their teams. This form will be used beginning in the 2015/ 2016 season.

Midget AA Playoffs

The decision was made to have all eight (8) teams qualify for the playoffs beginning in the 2015/2016 season. In the past only six (6) teams qualified for playoffs.

Strategic Planning

In November 2014 the Quadrants held a Strategic Planning Session .The purpose was to follow up on meetings held in 2012 and 2013. The objectives were too establish an agreement on the number of teams at each level and as well to come to an understanding on the role of Elite Council in terms of guiding their programs. This is a work in progress and will continue on into the upcoming season.

Seventeen (17) Year Old Travellers

The quadrants came to agreement that any 17 year old players trying out for Midget AAA Teams in their resident quadrant and were unsuccessful in making that team would be allowed to travel to another quadrant. They were only allowed one opportunity to travel and if they did not make that team then they must return to their quadrant and play Midget AA or return to their respective community association. The council continue to review this policy on an annual basis.

Council Executive

The CNHA have a new President for the upcoming season that being Bruce Page. Doug Keebler has made the decision to step down and his knowledge and wisdom will be missed, thank you Doug for all your time and commitment. . Ted Carter the current chair of the council will remain

as chair for the 2015/2016 season, however will be stepping down at the end of the 2015 / 2016 season.