



Memorial Cup Ball Hockey Tournament Application Form

In the spirit of Memorial Cup arriving in Windsor on May 18, the Downtown Windsor BIA is joining in the festivities and presenting a 3 on 3 Street Hockey Tournament, in support of the Downtown Mission, on **May 20** in the city centre. The ball Hockey Tournament will take place between 9am-6pm on Chatham Street East and West. All teams will have at least two (2) games to play (double knock out) and the winning team will be awarded tickets to the 2017 MasterCard Memorial Cup Final.

Registration is open to adult (18+) corporate and community teams and the cost is \$250 for teams of 5 or 6. Application forms are due by **4pm on Monday, May 8, 2017.**

Company _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____ Postal Code _____

Team name _____

Number of Players (max. 6) _____

Names of Players

1. _____ 2. _____

3. _____ 4. _____

5. _____ 6. _____

Team Captain (First & Last Name) _____

Team Captain's Email Address _____

Team Captain's Phone No. (Work) _____ (Cell) _____

Co-Captain's (First & Last Name) _____

Co-Captain's Email Address _____

Co-Captain's Phone No. (Work) _____ (Cell) _____

Payment (please check appropriate option)

- Please invoice me for \$250 made out to the company name listed above
- Cheque in the amount of \$250 made payable to the **Downtown Windsor BIA** is enclosed

Authorized by

Name

Signature

Date

Rules of the Game: 3 on 3 Memorial Cup Ball Hockey Tournament

1. Each team can have a maximum of 6 on its roster. Participants must be at least 18+ years of age to be eligible.
2. Co-ed teams are encouraged.
3. No roster substitutions will be allowed once the first tournament game begins.
4. All games will be played 3-on-3, plus the goaltender (i.e. 3 out players plus one goalie at all times).
5. Games and halves will begin with a face-off.
6. The ball will change possession after every goal scored. The defending team must remain behind the centerline until one member of the attacking team crosses the centerline at which point the defending team may begin attacking. (If the team does not cross-center in 10 seconds the official may allow the defending team to begin attacking).
7. During play, alternates can substitute, as teams deem necessary. No stoppage in play is necessary to make substitutions.
8. Standard hockey rules apply (i.e. no hand passes or kicked in goals)
9. There can be no goaltender changes made during games, except in the case of injury.
10. When the ball is covered by the goaltender, the defending team gets possession of the ball. The other team must give the team space to set up.
11. If the ball goes out of play the official will deem who caused the ball to leave the playing surface and possession of the ball will be awarded to the opposing team.

Time

12. Games will be played in 25-minute allotments (including two 10 minute halves, running time, separated by a 5 minute half-time break).

Penalties

13. a) There shall be no slashing, hooking, tripping, crosschecking, high sticking, or inappropriate stick work of any kind. Doing so shall result in a penalty shot for the other team. Penalty shots will be given immediately following the game. More serious offenses, including but not limited to spearing and/or butt ending, shall result in an individual being immediately removed from the tournament. b) Fighting is unacceptable and will result in the individual and/or individuals being removed from the tournament. c) There shall be no pushing, shoving, checking, or unsportsmanlike conduct of any kind. Doing so shall result in at least a penalty shot for the other team, but may be punished more severely according to the discretion of the referee and/or game supervisor.
14. Slapshots will NOT be allowed. For the purposes of this tournament a slapshot is considered to be anything where the players wind up comes above the knee. If the official deems a slapshot has been taken the other team will get possession of the ball.
15. Any player on the surface is eligible to take penalty shots for a team if it so chooses. The infraction player does not have to be the one who takes the penalty shot.

Equipment Requirements

16. Goaltenders are required to bring their own full equipment. Helmet, Blocker, Catcher, Chest Protector, Goalie Stick and Pads are required for all goalies. Hockey pants and a jock are recommended but not enforced for goalies.
17. Gloves, Stick and Running shoes are required for all players. Helmets are recommended for all.
18. Teams are also responsible for bringing team jerseys. Jerseys should be of matching colours in order to clearly identify which team a player is on.
19. Any type of hockey stick is allowed, but if the stick is chipped, sharp, or deemed dangerous by the official the player may be asked to switch sticks prior to playing.
20. Water will be provided. Alcohol and tobacco are not permitted in the vicinity of the tournament.

Rain Plan

21. The tournament will be held outdoors and will proceed rain or shine except under conditions of severe weather systems. Severe weather may cause delays for scheduled game times. Play will be stopped immediately in the case of such weather systems, including lightning, with all players asked to leave the street. Please dress appropriate to the weather forecast.