



NORTHERN ONTARIO HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

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Bauer First Shift Sudbury – Job Description – On-Ice Instructor

About the Bauer First Shift

The First Shift program is designed to ensure a positive experience for new-to hockey families. This means breaking down the barriers that exist for many parents and making them feel at home within our hockey community. **We want families to experience the game at its best** — to understand why so many Canadians feel an inherent love for the sport — and to stimulate a desire for continued participation. We want to take away any intimidation as it relates to equipment requirements, and/or rules of the game, remove potential safety concerns, and, most importantly, provide an experience that is memorable and fun.

Program Description

Program Capacity:

- Maximum Participants: 45 (Open to boys and girls, aged 6 to 10, never played minor hockey before)
- Maximum Instructors: 10 (based on a ratio of 1:4 instructors to participants)

Time Commitment (all Ice Sessions/Welcome Event are at the Centennial Arena in Hanmer):

- Monday, October 3, 2016: 4:30 PM to 9:00 PM (Welcome Event) - **Mandatory**
- Saturday, October 15, 2016: 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM (Ice from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM)
- Saturday, October 22, 2016: 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM (Ice from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM)
- Saturday, October 29, 2016: 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM (Ice from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM)
- Saturday, November 5 2016: 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM (Ice from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM)
- Saturday, November 12, 2016: 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM (Ice from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM)
- Saturday, November 19, 2016: 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM (Ice from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM)
- Transition Program (January/February): TBD

Qualifications of On-Ice Instructors

- Must possess their Respect in Sport – Activity Leader (or Speak Out) certification
- Must have undergone a Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector Screening that has been submitted to your Minor Hockey Association.
- Must be at least Intro to Coach “Trained” or Coach Level “Trained”
- Commitment to the goals and philosophy of The First Shift Program.
- Minimum commitment of 1 season (including the on-ice trial, and transition program)
- Must be able to skate and demonstrate basic hockey skills (passing, shooting, puck control, etc.)



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Responsibilities for On-Ice Instructors

- Successfully complete the instructor's training program and any supplementary training sessions coordinated by the association
- Participate in the Welcome Event, engaging families and assisting with facilitation of on-site experience as needed
- Deliver on-ice curriculum as provided by Hockey Canada, and instructed by the program lead Provide instruction based on the program philosophy
- Focus on fun
- Provide locker room support to participants and parents before and after on-ice session
- Demonstrate effective leadership on and off the ice
- Teach and model respectful behavior, fairness, and good sportsmanship.

Interested applicants may submit their filled application form to NOHA Technical Director, Andrew Corradini at acorradini@noha.on.ca by August 12, 2016 at 5:00 PM