# **Port Moody Amateur Hockey Association**

## **U15 Turkey Tourney Skills Competition Events, Rules and Scoring**

Saturday October 12<sup>th</sup> @ 5:30pm - ARENA 2 @ Port Moody Rec Center

## **Skills Competition Format**

Coaches from each of the 14 participating tournament teams can select one player to represent their team for each of the 5 skill competitions events below – for a total of 5 players selected from each team, each player competing in one skills event.

Competitors must compete in their Skill Event wearing their full hockey gear, including sticks and helmets.

#### The Skills Events are:

- 1. **Fastest Forward Skater:** Skaters will be timed to skate 1 lap of Arena 2 around cones set in an oval around the 4 faceoff circles and goal lines at each end. Skaters from each team will be paired off with a skater from another team, and each skater will be timed from a standing start at the centerline on their side of the ice, while the other skater from their pair starts at the same time from the centerline on the opposite side of the ice. Skaters each skate their lap in the same direction and finish by crossing the centerline where they started on their side of the ice. Skaters will be ranked by their lap time. If a skater hits a cone, 5 seconds will be added to their lap time.
- 2. **Fastest Backward Skater:** Same as above, but for this event, skaters must skate the lap backwards.
- 3. <u>Hardest Shot:</u> Shooters will each get 3 chances to shoot a puck sitting on the ringette line into the net, with speed measured by radar gun. Shooters from each team will line up one after the other at center and on their turn can skate onto the puck from behind the blue line for their attempt before returning to the line in sequence for their next attempt. To have the shot speed count, the shot must go into the net.
- 4. **Shooting Accuracy:** Shooters from each team will have 12 pucks and 30 seconds to shoot from the ringette line at a net with 4 targets in it. The fastest time to hit all 4 targets will win the event, with teams ranked by how fast they hit their last target. Shooters who hit less than 4 targets by the time they run out of time or pucks will be ranked by how many targets they hit and their elapsed time.
- 5. <u>Stickhandling Obstacle Course:</u> Each skater will be timed to stickhandle a puck around a series of cones. If a skater hits a cone, 5 seconds will be added to their time, if they lose the puck, they must retrieve it and continue from where it was lost. Skaters are ranked by their time to complete the obstacle course.

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### **Scoring for Skills Competition:**

Each skill event will have participating players ranked from 1<sup>st</sup> to last as described above.

For each event, participating players will earn points for their team based the following:

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First place = 15 pts

2<sup>nd</sup> place = 13 pts

3<sup>rd</sup> place = 12 pts

4<sup>th</sup> place = 11 pts, down to

14<sup>th</sup> place = 1 pt.
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After all 5 events, team points are totalled, and the team with the most total points wins the Skills Competition and a team meal prize for their team!

If two teams are tied after 5 events, the lowest combined times for each team's skaters in the Fastest Forward, Fastest Backward and Stickhandling Obstacle events will be used to break the tie.

#### **Final Words**

The PMAHA U15A Turkey Tourney Skills Competition is intended to be a fun event for all participants and their teammates and spectators watching. The decisions of the PMAHA competition staff on the ice will be final in relation to any of the competition events and results.

Please respect our participant and spectator codes of conduct and any rules mandated by City of Port Moody.