

GAMES AND TOURNAMENTS

TO ENSURE OUR MEMBERSHIP KNOW ABOUT CHANGES IN THE WORLD OF ONTARIO RINGETTE WE URGE YOU TO FOLLOW OUR RINGETTE FLASH! NEWSLETTERS!

NEW FOR THE 2012-2013 SEASON:

TOURNAMENTS:

- **THE ROSTER CAN NEVER INCREASE IN SIZE AS A RESULT OF A SUBSTITUTE AND CANNOT EXCEED 12 SKATERS WITH SUBSTITUTIONS. TEAMS MAY CARRY UP TO 4 SUBSTITUTE SKATERS PER TOURNAMENT.**
- **ALL TOURNAMENTS FOR AGE DIVISIONS U12 AND HIGHER ARE REQUIRED TO USE SHOT CLOCKS. THE USE OF SHOT CLOCKS AT U10 AND LOWER IS NOT PERMITTED.**
- **THE TEAM COMPOSITE NUMBER MUST BE INCLUDED ON THE TRF'S FOR TEAMS REGISTERED IN THE U8, U9 AND U10 DIVISIONS PRIOR TO THEM PARTICIPATING IN A TOURNAMENT.**
- **AA: ALL "AA" TEAMS MUST SUBMIT BY JULY 25 A LIST OF 6 TOURNAMENTS THAT THEY WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND, IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE TO THEIR REGIONAL G&T COORDINATOR. TEAMS MUST INCLUDE A MINIMUM OF ONE TOURNAMENT IN EACH OF CENTRAL, EASTERN, SOUTHERN AND WESTERN REGIONS. TEAMS ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND A MINIMUM OF 4 ORA SANCTIONED EVENTS AND 2 OF THOSE TOURNAMENTS MUST BE OUT OF THE HOME REGION.**
- **AT THE AUGUST SCM, THE COMMITTEE WILL GO THROUGH THE LIST OF PREFERRED TOURNAMENTS AND ASSIGN TEAMS TO FOUR TOURNAMENTS ACCORDINGLY. THE RANKING GAMES WILL BE ASSIGNED AT THIS MEETING. FAILURE TO PROVIDE THIS INFORMATION WILL RESULT IN THE TEAMS BEING ASSIGNED TO TOURNAMENTS AS FITS THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE G&T COMMITTEE.**

2012-2013

Championships

Provincial AA
Championships
Waterloo
March 7-10, 2013.

Provincial A
Championships
Nepean
March 14-17, 2013.

U12 Provincial Event
Oshawa
April 11-14, 2013.

- THE WINNING PERCENTAGE FOR THE AA RANKING WILL BE BASED ON THE NUMBER OF SCHEDULED RANKING GAMES PLAYED. IF A TEAM WITHDRAWS FROM A RANKING GAME, THEN THAT TEAM WILL RECEIVE "0" POINTS FOR THE GAME AND THE OPPOSING TEAM WILL RECEIVE "2" POINTS AND A SCORE OF 1-0.

- **A: (AT THE ORA AGM, THIS MOTION WAS REJECTED BY THE MEMBERSHIP AND SENT BACK TO G&T TO REVISIT) ALL "A" TEAMS MUST ATTEND A MINIMUM OF 2 ORA SANCTIONED EVENTS AT THE APPROPRIATE LEVEL, ONE OF WHICH MUST BE OUT OF REGION AND ONE OF WHICH MUST BE A MINIMUM DISTANCE OF 200 KILOMETERS ONE WAY, ATTENDANCE AT 4 ORA SANCTIONED EVENTS, A MINIMUM OF 2 OF WHICH MUST BE OUT OF REGION ARE REQUIRED FOR MAXIMUM EXPOSURE. EVERY U14 TWEEN A THROUGH U19 BELLE A TEAM MUST ATTEND A MINIMUM OF ONE TOURNAMENT BY THE END OF THE FIRST WEEKEND IN DECEMBER.**

THE PREVIOUS REGULATION, AS FOLLOWS, REMAINS IN EFFECT.

TO BE ELIGIBLE TO ATTEND A PROVINCIAL EVENT, U14 TWEEN THROUGH 18+ OPEN TEAMS MUST HAVE ATTENDED TWO (2) O.R.A. SANCTIONED EVENTS AT THE APPROPRIATE LEVEL ONE (1) OF WHICH MUST BE OUT OF REGION, A MINIMUM OF THREE (3) WEEKS PRIOR TO THE FIRST DAY OF THE PROVINCIAL EVENT IN WHICH THEY ARE INTENDING TO PARTICIPATE. NORTHWEST TEAMS EXEMPT WITH G&T COMMITTEE APPROVAL (DUE DILIGENCE MUST BE PROVEN). TEAMS MUST PROVIDE CONFIRMATION OF ACCEPTANCE IN TWO TOURNAMENTS TO MEET THIS ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT BY FEBRUARY 1ST OR YOUR REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE SELECTION PROCESS, WHICHEVER COMES FIRST.

- UP TO A MAXIMUM OF 7 TEAMS THAT IDENTIFY THEMSELVES AS WISHING TO PARTICIPATE IN THE 18+ OPEN A JACKS DIVISION ON THE INTENT TO PROCEED TO PROVINCIALS FORM AND WILL PLAY IN THE "AA" PROVINCIALS. SHOULD THERE BE MORE THAN 7 TEAMS THEN THEY WILL BE RANKED AND THE LOWER RANKED TEAMS WILL BE OFFERED THE OPPORTUNITY TO ATTEND THE "A" PROVINCIALS. THE WINNER FROM THE 18+ OPEN A JACKS DIVISION WILL REPRESENT ONTARIO AT THE EASTERN CHAMPIONSHIPS.
- **U12:** ALL U12 TEAMS MUST ATTEND A MINIMUM OF 2 AND A MAXIMUM OF 5 ORA SANCTIONED EVENTS AT THE APPROPRIATE LEVEL, ONE OF WHICH MUST BE OUT OF REGION. TEAMS NEED TO DO THEIR BEST TO ATTEND ONE TOURNAMENT BY NOVEMBER 21 AND A SECOND BY JANUARY 15. COACHES MUST SUBMIT BY SEPT. 19 A LIST OF 5 TOURNAMENTS THEY WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND IN ORDER OF PREFERENCE, TO THEIR REGIONAL G&T COORDINATOR. AT THE SAME TIME, EACH TEAM MUST SUBMIT A COMPLETED TEAM GRID FORM
<http://www.ontario-ringette.com/administration/documents/G&TF11.pdf>

PROVINCIALS:

- RINGETTE PANTS MUST BE WORN BY ALL SKATERS AT PROVINCIAL EVENTS.

**INTERESTED IN HOSTING A 2014
PROVINCIAL EVENT?**

WE ARE LOOKING FOR HOSTS!

**CONTACT YOUR REGIONAL G&T
COORDINATOR FOR MORE
INFORMATION ON HOSTING AN
EVENT!**