

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER



Good luck to Petite A, Petite C, Tweens, and Juniors who are going to the Terrace Ringette tournament on October 17, 18 and 19th.

We hope everyone survived the skating enhancement/power skating. It was a huge commitment for everyone. **Thank you** to the Coaches, Jana and Eric for your work at this event.



If you'd like to see anything different for next year let your coaches or directors know.

COME TRY RINGETTE

We're still accepting registrations – **tell your friends. Bring a friend to try Ringette** on the next Pro D day

to the Prince George Coliseum
on **October 24, 2008**

Time: 10:15am to 12:15pm

Open to Girls & Boys of all ages!

Your friends need to wear a helmet. We'll have a few sticks for your friends to borrow. If you have extras please bring them.

Current Membership is:

Assigned Team:

Assigned Team	Count
Bunny 1	16
Bunny 2	16
Novice 1	10
Novice 2	11
Petite 1	10
Petite 2	10
Tween 1	14
Junior 1	18
Belle 1	13
Open 1	10
Masters 1	12

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REFEREE CLINIC

Thank you Rudy for all your work organizing this clinic!!! Congratulations to all the Referees.



COACHING CLINIC

Thank you Madeleine and Brian Crandell for hosting this clinic. Congratulations to all the new Coaches.

Here's where some of your fees go to:

Bunny and Masters:

BCRA Fee	\$46.32
Coaches Fee	\$2.19
Officials Fee	\$3.44
Ringette Canada Fee	\$12.00
Insurance Fee	\$2.79
Fundraising Fee	\$10.00
Bursary Fee	
(Northern League)	\$1.00
CWG Travel Fee	
(Northern League)	<u>\$0.50</u>
Total Fixed Fee	\$78.24

All Other Divisions:

BCRA Fee	\$46.32
BCRA Provincial Tournament	
Fund Fee	\$3.00
BCRA National Teams	
Fund Fee	\$9.10
Sport Development Fee	\$0.70
Scholarship Fund Fee	\$1.25
World Championships Fee	\$0.35
Canada Winter Games Fee	\$0.60
BC Winter Games Fee	\$0.60
Coaches Fee	\$2.19
Officials Fee	\$3.44
Ringette Canada Fee	\$12.00
Insurance Fee	\$2.79
Fundraising Fee	\$10.00
Bursary Fee (Northern League)	\$1.00
CWG Travel Fee	
(Northern League)	<u>\$0.50</u>
Total Fixed Fee	\$93.84

Have you wondered what ages are in what Divisions?

Division	Age
Bunnies	4/5/6/7 years
Novice	8-9 years
Petite	10-11 years
Tween	12-13 years
Junior	14-15 years
Belle	16-18 years
Open / University	19 years and over
Masters	30 years and over

Joy Hoffman Memorial Tournament

November 7, 8, 9, 2008

*"A Special Person and True Friend to all
whose life she Touched"
December 16, 1938 - July 6, 1992*

Joy's motto:

*"I wouldn't do anything unless I could give it my
very best"*

- every team donates a basket. Your team will ask for \$ from each players and any donations for the basket.
- each team will be responsible for a time slot at the tournament to sell basket tickets and 50/50 tickets.
- This tournament is for A, B & C Levels & will include the following Divisions: BUNNIES, NOVICE, PETITES, TWEENS, JUNIORS, BELLES, OPEN, LADIES.
- 50-50 Draw / Souvenirs / Draw Tables / Gift Baskets
- team pictures will be taken on Saturday Nov. 8th, a time schedule will come at a later date. **Hard plastic skate guards** are a must, no soft guard or tape will be acceptable, as these cut up the photographers drop curtain.

We'd like to start a volunteer list of people who would like to help with parts of organizing this tournament. For example having a few people to put together the good bags, set up, what ever needed – please contact

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Director - Tournament

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**WOULD YOU LIKE TO ORGANIZE A BREAKFAST FOR
ALL THE TEAMS AT THE JOY HOFFMAN RINGETTE
TOURNAMENT ON SATURDAY MORNING?
PLEASE CONTACT MARTINE ASAP if you're interested or
have any questions**



British Columbia Coaches Week, an initiative of Coaches Association of BC, focuses on the recruitment, development and celebration of sport coaches at events right across the province.

Prince George is one of seven communities province-wide that hosted a "[Coaching Conference](#)" during the celebration week. Coaches of athletes at all levels, ranging from the recreational participant to Olympic level competitors, were invited to attend the day-long conference which was offered at no cost through the support of Spectra Energy.

An Official Proclamation proclaiming Coaches Week has been issued by the Province of British Columbia.

Presentations honouring local volunteer coaches for their contributions to the community was also made. "The volunteer coach is one of the most valued members of our community. They are the ones who spend weekends learning their craft, and then spend countless hours after work coaching the young neighbourhood athletes in their sport," says Gordon May, Executive Director of the Coaches Association of BC (CABC). "They give up their own family and personal time to develop not just better athletes, but to develop better people."

Congratulations to Madeleine Crandell



Madeleine Crandell was a recipient of the CABC "Certificate of Appreciation" in recognition of valuable contributions to Coaching in British Columbia.



Madeleine also received a "Certificate of Recognition" for her contribution in coaching in Northern BC from Shirley Bond, MLA, Minister of Education.