

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>EASTERN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT CAMP</b> <b>July 15 - 22, 2010</b></p>
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## **OBJECTIVES**

To instill a wealth of information that can be taken back to various regions by the participants and shared with officials at the local level. To instruct, in depth, the basic skills necessary to establish a foundation of officiating skills that will allow each participant to achieve success at higher levels of officiating. To identify those young developing officials who have the necessary skills, abilities and desires to achieve these levels.

## **CRITERIA FOR ATTENDANCE AT CAMP**

The applicant must:

- \* Actively officiate in the district from which he has applied.
- \* Be a USA Hockey Completely Registered Official (Level 2, 3 or 4).
- \* Be an American citizen or a landed immigrant.
- \* Between 18 and 26 years of age (Recommended).
- \* Be an excellent skater.
- \* Be proficient at working at competitive levels of hockey.
- \* Have the desire to develop their personal officiating skills.
- \* Be mature enough to be able to learn advanced techniques of officiating and put them into proper perspective relative to amateur hockey games.
- \* Be willing to take learned information back to his local area and assist others with this information.

## **APPLICATION**

Regional Officials Camps will be attended by invitation only.

Applications **MUST** be submitted through District Referees-in-Chief **ONLY!**

## **March 26, 2010 - DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS TO YOUR DISTRICT REFEREE-IN-CHIEF.**

*Late applications, FAX copies or those not submitted through the District Referee-in-Chief will not be accepted.*

## **SELECTION PROCESS**

Applications will be reviewed and participants selected by the Officiating Program Staff with input from the USA Hockey Referee-in-Chief, District Referees-in-Chief, Instructors and Local Supervisors. Participants will be selected on the basis of their hockey officiating ability, personal character, conduct, school record and ambitions. Officials may also be placed in the Regional Camp outside of their district due to unusual circumstances or geographic location.

*NOTE: The chances of a participant attending a second Regional Officials Camp are minimal. Only in very special instances will an official be invited back to attend a second Regional Camp.*

## **COSTS**

A \$90 administrative fee, per participant, will be billed to each participant upon acceptance. This fee will be due in the office prior to final confirmation. The fee is non-refundable to all selected participants. All transportation to the camp location is to be supplied and paid for by the participant. USA Hockey will supply and pay for room, board and instructors fees.

## **INSTRUCTORS**

Instructors will be selected from the top American officials who are currently working in the National Hockey League, American Hockey League, ECHL, NCAA Division I and IIHF World Championships. Other top instructors within the USA Hockey Officiating Education Program, including District Referees-in-Chief and Local Supervisors of Officials will also be considered.

## **TYPICAL DAILY SCHEDULE**

Early Morning: 2 mile run - On-Ice Power skating (Stretching, Power skating, Skating Drills) - Breakfast  
Morning: Classroom - Lunch  
Afternoon: Classroom - On-Ice Training (Mechanics) - Dryland Training - Dinner  
Evening: Game Experience (USA Hockey Select 15 Festival) - Review of game films

# EASTERN REGIONAL OFFICIALS DEVELOPMENT CAMP

## **APPLICATION FORM** *(please print and complete all information)*

LAST NAME \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 USAH OFFICIAL'S NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ SSN (**Must provide**) \_\_\_\_\_  
 HOME PHONE (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ BUSINESS PHONE (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_ CITIZENSHIP: U.S. \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER(Country) \_\_\_\_\_  
 HT \_\_\_\_\_ WT \_\_\_\_\_ CURRENTLY: LEVEL 2 ( ) LEVEL 3 ( ) LEVEL 4 ( )  
 # OF YEARS OFFICIATING \_\_\_\_\_ **USAH District RIC Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

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**2009-2010 SEASON ACTIVITY (to date)**

<u>No. of Games</u>	<u>Age Class/Level of Hockey</u>	<u>Referee or Linesman</u>	<u>Assignor/Supervisor</u>
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**2008-09 SEASON ACTIVITY (including playoffs)**

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**REFERENCES**

(Other than District Referee-in-Chief and National Officiating Program Staff)

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ POSITION \_\_\_\_\_  
 TELEPHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ POSITION \_\_\_\_\_  
 TELEPHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ POSITION \_\_\_\_\_  
 TELEPHONE ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly describe why you officiate and your officiating goals.

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**USA HOCKEY REGIONAL OFFICIALS CAMP**

STAFF: Coordinators  
Matt Leaf, USA Hockey Director, Officiating Education Program  
BJ Ringrose, USA Hockey Coordinator, Officiating Education Program  
  
Instructors & Camp Director to be announced.

PURPOSE: Develop interest and improve the general caliber of ice hockey officiating in the United States.

PARTICIPANTS: USA citizens ages 18-26. Must be USA Hockey completely registered.

SELECTION: The participants will be recommended by their USA Hockey District Referee-in-Chief. Participants will be selected on the basis of their hockey officiating ability, personal character, conduct, school record and ambitions.

FACILITIES: Monroe Community College and ESL Sports Centre – Rochester, New York  
Facilities will include: housing, dining hall (breakfast, lunch, dinner), weight room, recreational facilities.

TRANSPORTATION: Participants must provide own transportation to and from Regional Camp site.

INSURANCE: Provided by USA Hockey.

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A registration fee of \$90 will be charged to all selected participants. If you are selected, you will have to submit this fee prior to final acceptance (May 14, 2010).

APPLICANTS SIZE

T-Shirt \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

*\*OFFICE USE ONLY\**

\_\_\_\_\_ *Accepted*

\_\_\_\_\_ *Fee Received*

**APPLICATION IS DUE TO YOUR DISTRICT REFEREE-IN-CHIEF NO LATER THAN MARCH 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2010.**

*(Applications not submitted through your District Referee-in-Chief will not be accepted)*