

<p style="text-align: center;">WOMEN'S REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT CAMP July 22 - 29, 2010</p>

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 she 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 35 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 her 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.

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 Girls' Select 14-15 Festivals) - Review of game films

WOMEN'S 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 _____

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>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

2008-2009 SEASON ACTIVITY (including playoffs)

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

REFERENCES

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

NAME _____ POSITION _____
 TELEPHONE () _____ E-Mail _____

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 TELEPHONE () _____ E-Mail _____

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 TELEPHONE () _____ E-Mail _____

Briefly describe why you officiate and your officiating goals.

USA HOCKEY WOMEN’S REGIONAL OFFICIALS CAMP

STAFF: Coordinators
Matt Leaf, USA Hockey Director, Officiating Education Program
BJ Ringrose, USA Hockey Coordinator, Officiating Education Program

Instructors and 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 18-35. Must be USA Hockey completely registered.

SELECTION: The participants will be recommended by 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 Center – 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.

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 26th, 2010.
(Applications not submitted through your District Referee-in-Chief will not be accepted)