

## Credit Valley Minor Hockey Association (CVHA) Application for “A” or Gold Head Coach

**Instructions:**

1. This form is to be used *only* to apply to be the **Head Coach of an “A” or Gold team**. A separate form is available for House League coach.
2. If you have not submitted a completed police volunteer form in the past year, one *must* accompany this application. **You must have submitted a completed police volunteer form in order to coach.** Police volunteer forms may be obtained from the MHL office (the location is listed on the MHL web site <http://www.hockey.on.ca>).
3. The deadline for applications is **posted on our web site**. Please complete all sections on both sides of this application. Please print legibly. Please sign and date the form if not completing on-line. Completed applications (including a completed police record check if required) may be mailed to: President CVW, 6850 Summer Heights Drive, Mississauga, ON, L5N 7E7 or you may email your completed application to [robertcvwhockey@bell.net](mailto:robertcvwhockey@bell.net).

<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	
<b>City:</b>	<b>Postal Code:</b>
<b>Home Phone:</b>	<b>Work Phone:</b>
<b>e-mail:</b>	<b>Other Phone:</b>

**1. Choose the team – series(age) and level – you wish to apply to be head coach of:**

Series refers to Minor Atom through Midget. Series are based on player’s year of birth.

Minor Atom Bantam	Atom Minor Midget	Minor Peewee Midget AE	Peewee Midget	Minor Bantam Minor Novice (Gold)	Novice(Gold)
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<b>a) State your:</b>	<b>First Choice</b>	<b>Second Choice</b>	<b>Third Choice</b>
<b>Series</b>			
<b>b) If none of the above choices are available, would you consider alternatives? Check one: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/></b>			

***If you will be coaching your own child (or a spouse or relative’s child), please note:***

It is recommended that you choose to coach at a level where your child will be among the top 50% of players on the team. This tends to maximize the experience for the child, and minimize the discontent that often surfaces when the child of the coach is near the bottom of the team’s skill pool. It is the CVHA’s policy to place the most qualified coaches available with the highest level teams.

<b>c) Will you be coaching your own child (or a spouse or relative’s child)? Check one: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/></b>		
<b>d) If yes, please provide the child’s full name, and which series and level the child played last year:</b>		
<b>Name:</b>	<b>Series:</b>	<b>Level:</b>

If "A"/Gold is above the level the child played last year, please explain why you feel the child is able to play at a higher level:

f) If you have assistants (manager, trainer, assistant coaches), please list them below.


## 2. Training

The CVHA requires that all Head Coaches at "A"/Gold level have National **CBET - Development 1** certification. If not, **CBET- Coach Stream** certification and **CBET - Development 1** certification *must* be taken before the start of the season. As well, the CVHA requires (and all tournaments require) that at least one member of the coaching staff have at least a *Level 1* Hockey Trainers Certification Program (HTCP) certificate.

*The cost of these training programs will be reimbursed upon presentation of proof of completion.*

a) i) Do you have an NCCP certificate? Check one: Yes  No

ii) If yes, at what level? Check highest level: IP  Coach  CBET - 1  CBET - 2

iii) If yes, what is your NCCP number? Fill in here:

b) If no to a) i) will you take the training course this season? Check one: Yes  No

c) Do you have an HTCP trainer's certificate? Check one: Yes  No

d) If yes, at what level, when does it expire and what is your HTCP number?

Level:	Expiry Date:	HTCP#:
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## 3. Experience

a) Please specify your previous hockey coaching experience. Use a separate sheet if necessary

Year	Hockey Association	Position*	Series	Level

\* Head Coach, Assistant Coach, Manager or Trainer.

**b) Briefly describe your coaching philosophy:**

**c) Do you have any other experience or training that you feel may be of value?**

**4. Choice of Coaches**

The CVHA's purpose is to provide an environment that allows each player to develop to their fullest potential. Coach selection is critical to this goal. Coaches are chosen by the CVHA Coach Selection Committee using a number of factors, including experience, training, certification, player needs, parent evaluations, attitude, enthusiasm, dedication, history, and CVHA needs.

*You may be asked to attend an interview as part this application.*

**5. Equitable Ice Time**

**The Mississauga Hockey League and the CVHA require that all players be given equitable playing opportunity and ice time. All members of a team's coaching staff must adhere to this fundamental principle and abide by all of the regulations stipulated in the CVHA Constitution and By-Laws.**

**I HAVE READ AND AGREE TO THE ABOVE:**

**Signature of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_