



**NORTH BAY MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION
GATEWAY EXHIBITION SERIES
INFORMATION &
RULES**

N.O.H.A. and C.A.H.A. rules will apply throughout the series. All games shall be refereed by officials registered with the NOHA. **Fighting, abusive language or intent to injure penalties will not be tolerated.** Players or coaches may be suspended for the balance of the series.

The Gateway Exhibition Series will follow the current OHF Minimum Suspension List for all infractions. The NBMHA office has a copy of this list. **Fighting Penalties:** Any player receiving a penalty for Fighting will automatically be suspended for the **remainder** of the series.

Eligibility - All players registered within Hockey Canada are eligible to play. Only players who are registered before the series begins can participate for their respective teams.

In the event of conflicting team jersey colours, the home team will be responsible for changing jerseys. In cases where teams only have one set of jerseys, the team with two sets will be responsible for changing jerseys. **Home teams wear light coloured jerseys and away wear dark coloured jerseys.**

Warm-ups shall consist of three minutes from the time the end Zamboni doors are fully closed.

There will be no overtime.

Protests will not be accepted.

Teams should be ready to play 15 minutes prior to their scheduled start time.

A flood will take place after each game.

Injuries – North Bay Minor Hockey Association will not assume responsibility for injuries sustained in series play.

Equipment - All players are to wear equipment as set down by the C.A.H.A. rules.

There will be one 30 second time-out allowed per game per team

The series committee reserves the right to make decisions regarding interpretations of all series rules and regulations.

Mouthguards are only mandatory if your association requires them.

Before each game the coach or manager of the team must sign the Game Sheet verifying the team roster. All teams are encouraged to bring their own Ipads with Game Sheet. They will also be loaners at the rink office if required. The code to access the games is: **ndmhl23lk12**

Teams are required to be out of the dressing rooms 20 minutes after the game and to leave the rooms clean for the next team.

All protective equipment must be worn at all times. BNQ neck guards are mandatory for all players.

Games will start a maximum of 15 minutes early. Games will consist of three, 12 minute periods or 1.5hrs, whichever comes first.

All teams will shake hands prior to each game.

All games will be played at the Pete Palangio Complex or the Sam Jacks Complex.

If you have any issues, please contact Andrew Alkins at 705 491-2953