



COACHES ONBOARDING

U13

Qualifications:

ALL COACHES, TRAINERS, MANAGERS, AND ON ICE HELPERS MUST COMPLETE A POLICE CHECK BEFORE STEPPING ON THE ICE. Forms will be provided by TAMHA so there is no expense.

<https://www.opp.ca/index.php?id=147&lng=en>

- Vulnerable Sector Check (VSC)

The following courses – if payment is necessary – reimbursement is provided by TAMHA.

1. In order to be the **Head Coach** of a **U13 HL/LL/MD/Select** team you will need to complete the **Coach 2 - Coach Level Trained** course:
 - [HU - Checking](#) - Prerequisite for the Coach 2 - Coach Level Clinic
 - [HU - Coach 1/Coach 2 Course](#) - Prerequisite for the Coach 2 - Coach Level Clinic
 - [Coach 2 - Coach Level Course](#)
 - [Respect in Sport - Activity Leader](#)
 - [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#)
2. In order to be the **Assistant Coach** of a **U13 HL/LL/MD/Select** team you will need to complete the **Coach 2 - Coach Level Trained** course:
 - [HU - Checking](#) - Prerequisite for the Coach 2 - Coach Level Clinic
 - [HU - Coach 1/Coach 2 Course](#) - Prerequisite for the Coach 2 - Coach Level Clinic
 - [Coach 2 - Coach Level Course](#)
 - [Respect in Sport - Activity Leader](#)
 - [Gender Identity & Expression Course](#)

3. For you to be the **Trainer** of a **U13 HL/LL/MD/Select** team you will need the following courses:

- [Hockey Trainers Ontario Level 1 Course](#)
- [Gender Identity and Expression Course](#)
- [Respect in Sport - Activity Leader](#)

4. For you to be the **Manager** of a **U13 HL/LL/MD/Select** team you will need the following courses:

- [Gender Identity and Expression Course](#)
- [Respect in Sport - Activity Leader](#)

Other:

Sponsorship is taken care of by the TAMHA executive.

Tournaments - Can be found on the Lambton Middlesex Local League website: <https://lmll.ca/> or at <https://www.omha.net/tournament-listings>

One parent must complete Respect in Sport for Parents: <https://www.hockeycanada.ca/en-ca/hockey-programs/parents/respect-in-sport> As an association we do ask that parents look at the documentation together as there is some good advice and pointers contained in the course material.

Expectations for the U13 year:

It is the expectation of the executive that the coaches have all the opportunities to make it a great year for the players.

The Executive will support the coaches through the coaching coordinator and would request that coaches check with the coaching coordinator when looking to make any additional changes to the programming or add additional events or team functions outside of the normal practice times. This isn't referring to team dinners or social gatherings but would include fundraising, swag, parade floats etc. This request is simply to avoid conflict in what the executive may already be planning in advance for the entire association in the upcoming season. Fundraising for tournaments etc. is especially important and one where the executive is simply asking for advance warning to avoid teams overlapping fundraisers or choosing the same activity only days apart.

Thank you,

TAMHA Executive