



**Greater Greenville Hockey Association
COACHING APPLICATION
2018/2019**

GGHA is now accepting applications for its 2018/2019 hockey season. GGHA is an all-volunteer, non-profit organization and we need your support! To be considered for a coaching position, please scan and email the completed application to Darren McNaughton, GGHA Hockey Director at DMcNaughton@calderbrothers.com or place application in sealed envelope addressed to GGHA Hockey Director and drop off at the Pavilion front desk. Applications for **HEAD COACHES** must be submitted on or before 12:00 pm on **April 10, 2018**.

Volunteers interested in coaching at any age level, for either house or travel, are welcome to APPLY NOW or email Darren McNaughton, Kurt Romkey (House Coordinator, canadiansurveyor@hotmail.com) or Geoff Vanderveen (Travel Coordinator geoff.vanderveen@gmail.com) to express interest or intent to apply. Assistant coaches for rostered teams will be selected by each team Head Coach and must be approved by the GGHA Board. Assistant Coaches will be notified by the head coach at a later date, pending board approval.

Volunteers must be willing to complete the following in order to be considered for positions within GGHA:

USA Hockey Requirements (Must be completed before participating in any team activities)

- Register as a member of USA Hockey and provide USA Hockey number confirming registration as a coach for 2018/2019 season www.usahockeyregistration.com
- Complete the background screening through Carolina Amateur Hockey Association (CAHA) www.ncsisafe.com
- Complete the USA Hockey Safe Sport Training www.usahockey.com/safesporttraining

Coaching Education Program Requirements (Must be completed by Dec. 31)

- Find, register and attend the required certification clinic <http://www.usahockey.com/coachingclinics>
- Complete the online age-specific module(s) for the age level of play you are coaching <http://www.usahcepmodules.flexxcoach.com/>

APPLICATION:

FIRST NAME	MIDDLE	LAST NAME
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STREET	CITY	STATE	ZIP
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HOME PHONE	MOBILE PHONE	EMAIL ADDRESS
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SPOUSE (IF APPLICABLE)	CHILD/CHILDREN'S NAMES (IF APPLICABLE)
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LAST AGE GROUP COACHED/LEVEL OF PLAY	CEP#
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AGE GROUP COACHED/LEVEL OF PLAY DESIRED FOR 2016/2017

CURRENT USA HOCKEY COACHING CERTIFICATION LEVEL: (CHECK ONE) _____ 1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____ 4 _____ 5

DESIRED COACHING POSITION: ___ TRAVEL ___ HOUSE ___ HEAD COACH ___ ASST COACH ___ PRACTICE COACH OTHER: _____

COACHING EXPERIENCE:

PLAYING EXPERIENCE: PLEASE INDICATE YOUR HIGHEST LEVEL OF PLAY

1. PLEASE PROVIDE A BRIEF OUTLINE OF YOUR COACHING PHILOSOPHY AS IT PERTAINS TO THE AGE GROUP, LEAGUE AND LEVEL OF PLAY YOU WISH TO COACH:

2. BASED ON THE AGE GROUP, LEAGUE AND LEVEL OF PLAY YOU WISH TO COACH, PLEASE PROVIDE A BRIEF OUTLINE OF THE GOALS YOU WILL SET FOR THE TEAM BOTH ON AND OFF THE ICE:

3. IF NAMED AS A HEAD COACH FOR THE SEASON, DO YOU HAVE PEOPLE IN MIND TO SERVE AS ASSISTANT COACHES WITH YOUR TEAM? IF SO, PLEASE LIST THOSE INDIVIDUALS:

4. LIST ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION YOU FEEL WILL HELP IN THE DECISION MAKING PROCESS:

BY SUBMITTING THIS APPLICATION, I RECOGNIZE THAT THE ROLE OF ANY COACHING POSITION IS VOLUNTARY AND INVOLVES SIGNIFICANT COMMITMENT OF TIME AND EFFORT THAT I AM PREPARED TO FULFILL.

Signature

Date



**Greater Greenville Hockey Association
COACHES CODE OF CONDUCT
2018/2019**

Coach:

By signing this pledge, I commit to following the Greater Greenville Hockey Association Coaches Code of Conduct.

As a coach in the Greater Greenville Hockey Association, I will:

- Adhere to USA Hockey governing rules, regulations, policies and procedures, as well as rules, policies and procedures as determined by the Greater Greenville Hockey Association.
- Care more about the child than winning the game.
- Remember the number 1 priority as a coach is to help each player achieve his/her maximum potential.
- Focus on skill development with an emphasis on educating skaters how practice and skill development will make them better hockey players.
- Never verbally or physically abuse a player or official.
- Accept the referee's call with respect and maturity.
- Never criticize players publicly.
- Remember I serve as a role model for players and my attitudes are exhibited both on and off the ice.
- Be concerned with the overall development of the players on my team.
- Be generous with my praise when it is deserved.
- Remember "To play the game is great... to love the game is greater." – Remember – It is only a game!
- Strive to be an effective communicator and coach.
- Organize practices that are fun and challenging for players. Provide instruction in a way that motivates and challenges players; develop the player's self-respect, self-confidence and self-discipline.
- Never ask anything of my players, other coaches, administrators or parents that I would not ask and expect of myself.
- Maintain an open line of communication with my players' parents.
- Never use alcohol before a practice or game.
- Work to be the best coach possible.

Coach's Signature: _____ Date: _____

2018/2019 GGHA Team: _____