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HOCKEY ALBERTA NCCP HIGH PERFORMANCE 1 SEMINAR APPLICATION PACKAGE



July 18-24, 2016
Camrose, AB



2016 NCCP High Performance 1 Seminar

July 18-24 – CAMROSE

Hockey Alberta is hosting the 2016 National Coaching Certification Program High Performance 1 Seminar in Camrose, July 18-24, where participating coaches will be guided by some of the top leaders and mentors in Canada.

The High Performance 1 Seminar will include professional speakers delivering sessions on a variety of topics, including special teams, planning to perform, offensive/defensive team play, goaltending, game and bench management, ethics in coaching, and teambuilding.

The seminar operates in conjunction with Hockey Alberta's Elite Development Camp, featuring some of the province's top Bantam-aged athletes. As a result, in addition to presentations and task completion, coaches also gain practical learning opportunities as they run on-ice sessions and coach on the bench during game situations.

The High Performance 1 Seminar is a full week with long days and coaches will need to be committed and prepared upon their arrival. The seminar includes individual and group tasks and assignments that will be used to support the delegates in becoming a fully certified High Performance 1 Coach.

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High Performance 1 Requirements and Eligibility Criteria

National coach requirements relating to High Performance Certification and the 2016 Seminar indicate that:

All Head Coaches coaching Bantam, Midget and Junior A teams that compete in Interprovincial or National Championships or the highest level as determined by the branch, must be High Performance 1 Certified. It is recommended that all Assistant Coaches be at minimum Development 1 trained.

In Alberta this requirement will directly affect the following leagues for the 2016-17 season:

Bantam AAA (AMBHL)
Midget AAA (AMHL)
Midget AAA Female (AMMFL)
Junior A (AJHL)
Midget AAA (AMMHL)*

*Head Coaches of the AMMHL will require HP1 Certification as of the 2017-18 season.

Those coaches applying for the NCCP High Performance 1 seminar must meet the following criteria:

- Must be currently coaching elite athletes in a competitive stream.

Priority will be given to coaches who are:

- Currently or will be coaching in one of the above four required leagues.
- Certified at the Development 1 Level.

To complete the field evaluation following the seminar, coaches must meet the following criteria:

- Male stream coaches: head coach at Bantam AA or higher, or assistant coach at Bantam AAA or higher, ***under proper guidance.***
- Female stream coaches: head coach at Midget AAA or higher, or assistant coach at the College, University or Senior AAA level.

All applications will be subject to review by Hockey Alberta's High Performance 1 Coaching Committee. ***Not all applicants will qualify for the NCCP High Performance 1 Level.***



2016 NCCP High Performance 1 Program Topics

- Developing your Yearly Plan
- Physical Preparation
- Mental Preparation
- Goaltending
- Use of Technology
- Skill Analysis
- Special Teams
- Teaching Techniques
- Player Selection
- Game/Bench Management
- Faceoffs
- Team Building
- Offensive/Defensive Team Play
- Coaching Pathways

Application Process

- Complete the enclosed application form and submit with the requested documentation to Hockey Alberta no later than **Friday, April 15**.
- A maximum of 36 delegates will be selected. All successful candidates will be notified no later than April 29.
- Upon acceptance, full payment will be required no later than Friday, May 13.

Seminar Cost

2016 Hockey Alberta High Performance 1 Seminar includes:

- Daily meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner)
- All required course material and coaching resources
- Track suit and registration gift
- Written assignment marking and field evaluation

High Performance 1 Seminar: \$1,250

High Performance 1 Seminar including accommodations: \$1,500

Accommodations will be single occupancy at the Augustana campus residence



2016 NCCP High Performance 1 Seminar Application Form

Name: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Address: _____
(Street, Box #) (City/Town) (Province) (Postal Code)

Telephone _____
(Residence) (Business) (Cell)

What level did you coach during the 2015-16 Season? _____

What level will you be coaching in the 2016-17 Season? _____

Male or Female? _____

APPLICATION

- ✓ A detailed Coaching/Education Resume
- ✓ Letter of Reference from your Minor Hockey Association or Club Team
- ✓ Deadline for application is **April 15**.

CANCELTATION POLICY

- ✓ Upon acceptance, delegates will be required to make payment by Friday, May 13.
- ✓ Refunds will be given in full up until Thursday, June 30, after which a \$300 fee will be withheld.

Please submit application package to:

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