



RISK MANAGEMENT

All members of North Delta Minor Association have the responsibility in providing the safe and sportsmanlike environment. Our goal is for all members to make decisions and take actions that reflect good common sense and to recognize what is necessary for a safe and fun hockey environment. Risk management attempts to reduce the likelihood of the incidents and accidents that potentially can impact lives. All members must be aware of all the risks involved in hockey related activities and err on the side of caution.

All members must be aware of and follow the policies, regulations and authority of ND Hockey, B.C. Hockey and Hockey Canada.

Our Association has committed to maintaining our risk management program to ensure that the health and safety of players, officials and team officials.

Risk Management Activities

The Risk Manager will be responsible to ensure that the risk management program is implemented as per the BC Hockey Risk Management manual. The Risk Manager duties are outlined in Section A of the policy manual.

Police Information Check and Respect In Sport

All NDMHA volunteers who come into contact with children must undergo a Police Information Check and must take Respect in Sport. This includes members who serve in the following capacities:

- Board members
- Coaches and Assistant Coaches
- Hockey Canada Safety Person
- Team Managers

Information pertaining to volunteer police checks must be treated with the highest degree of confidentiality. Record checks will be received and reviewed by the Risk Manager only. Should a record check indicate the applicant has a criminal record; the Risk Manager will immediately discuss this information with the applicant and advise him/her of the results. Further information and facts will be gathered from the applicant as well as the Delta Police. The Executive will meet at the earliest opportunity and rule on each case individually.

Police Information Checks are to be applied for no later than October 15 and delivered to the Risk Manager on or before October 15. Rep Coaches selected in June must have their police checks submitted by September 1st. All Police Information Checks will remain valid for 3 years. Respect in Sport must be completed by November 15th and expires every 4 years.