



2023-2024 Coaching Roster Guidelines

Any participant going on the ice for any team must be on the official team roster for insurance purposes as per the Hockey Alberta guidance below.

Hockey Alberta – Section B Minor Hockey:

3.9 Team Officials participating "on the bench" with any duly registered Hockey Team must be duly registered in the Registry prior to participating with said team.

(a) It is recommended that all Teams containing at least one (1) female player have at least one (1) female Team Official registered to the Team.

3.10 Team Officials participating "on the bench" with more than one (1) Hockey Team in the same season shall be duly registered with each and every Team of which he/she is a member prior to participating with the respective team(s).

"On the bench" broadly refers to any participation. If any participants are on the ice with the players for a practice, they must be registered to that team roster. Participant fees paid to Hockey Canada are only charged once for each coach (participant) so if they are registered to more than one team, only the first registered team is charged, not the subsequent teams they are registered to.

Based on this guidance, Raiders Hockey Club has implemented the following guidelines for our teams...

1. All coaches and on-ice helpers can only be on the ice for practices with teams to which they are registered. They can be registered to more than one team but Raiders only pay a one-time participant fee.
2. All on-ice help must be coaches registered with other teams. This provides no extra cost to the Raiders as we only pay the participant fee once.
3. If additional on-ice helpers are requested and subsequently, approved by the Raiders and they are NOT coaches registered with another team, teams must pay the \$35 participant fee per on-ice helper to the Raiders Hockey Club.
4. Maximum 5 coaches can be on the bench for games. Any coaches absent from the game must be crossed out.
5. All coaching rosters with more than 5 coaches must be approved by the Raiders VP On-Ice.
6. It is highly recommended that one coach on each team be assigned as a Goalie Coach to support development of our goalies.

Failure to comply with these guidelines may lead to disciplinary action to the Head Coach of any team not in compliance. If you have any questions, please reach out to the VP On-Ice at vpon-ice@raidershc.ca.

