



INLINE NEWS

Fall -2007

Season Calendar:

- Week of Sept 15 regular league practice begins
- Sept 15 First game of the fall season
- November 17 & 18 Playoff's and Championship
**Please Note Championship games are on Sunday!
- Winter season practice start the week of Dec 4
- December 8 –Winter Season begins



A Note from the Director:

Alex Eng
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Welcome

Welcome to the opening of another wonderful season of Hockey. This year I would like to focus on rebuilding the image and number of players in the Club. Did you know that we used to have over 400 kids playing Inline in one season? Did you know that we used to have a girls league with multiple teams? Well those times are behind us, but they are not lost. Did you know that we are just beginning to see a second generation of kids coming to the Club? Kids that have played Hockey with the club are now coming back into the club to help and with families. With the proper focus and volunteers we can once again be THE driving force in Hockey around the Washington Area. As a non profit organization the success of the club requires dedicated volunteers. Any skills can be used from, team mothers, writing, marketing, assisting with communications, assistant coaches, coaches and division coordinators. If you have some time to dedicate to the club, love hockey or want to be more active - here is your invitation to let me know that you want to help the club.

Volunteers needed

Time Keepers - If you can write down a players name/number that the referee tells you and flick a time switch you can do the job. The great thing is you also get the best seat in the house center court on the neutral zone.

Assistant Coaches - Assist Coaches are just that. They help the Coach and it is a good opportunity to learn the game better and see what works at each age group. I started as an Assistant Coach because I didn't think I knew enough about Hockey. It turns out that I knew more than I thought but being an Assistant Coach helped me feel comfortable working with the kids and around the rink.

Coaches - We continue to need great Coaches. The thing that distinguishes PWHC from other clubs is practicing the philosophy of the house league. We need to have coaches that continue to build skills, sportsmanship and the overall team attitude. The Coach is an important position since they directly work with the kids building excitement about Hockey and communicate with each family. By the way, no Skates are required!! I am expecting that we will have new teams and require new Coaches for the Winter Season.

Division Coordinators - If you can help with seasonal drafts by rating players and working with Coaches to draft evenly matched teams, we need you. The position is not difficult, but it requires communication and an understanding of the players and coaches needs. We currently need Division Coordinators for the Lower and Middle House Divisions.

Player and Coach Development - This position helps identify areas in the club that can use improvement such as age divisions, skills, clinics and helping Coaches with drills and fun activities. This position is responsible for setting up Clinics and workshops. They will coordinate the event and schedule the Coach or speaker. This person also is the liaison with the PWHC Executive Committee member in charge of Player and Coach Development. This position is currently open.

PWHC- Inline Contacts:

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Travel/Tournament Program
Director: **Steve Stewart**
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Director of Coaching & Player
Development: **TBD**

Head Referee: **Steve Worrall**

Ref Scheduler: **Scott Reilly**

Secretary/Communications:
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Treasurer: **Becky Steele**

Equipment: **Becky Steele**

PWHC Website:
<http://www.pwhockey.com>

FYI:

- ❖ Club tee shirts are still available for purchase at \$10.00. Limited sizes are available. Contact Alex Eng if interested: inline@pwhockey.com
- ❖ PWHC-IL is always looking for good referees. To learn more go to <http://www.usahockey.com> or contact Steve Worrall.



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Winter Registration: Register now....save \$\$\$!



It is hard to believe we are already thinking about the winter season! To help get the season off to a successful start, consider registering today. By registering early, YOU save \$30.00. Early registration is \$165 and the last day to save is October 27. Regular registration is \$180 and is in effect until the last day of the season, November 18. After that date, late registration is \$195.00. Go to <http://www.pwhockey.com> to register.

Did you know about these other great ways to save?

- **Referral Savings:** Have a friend play who has never played for PWHC before.....earn \$35 PWHC credit
- **Sibling Discount:** First child pays full price –each additional child 10% off!
- **Goalie Discount:** Player must have equipment and commit to play goalie full time for the season (must first be approved by the PWHC-IL director) 10% discount



PWHC-IL Treasurer

Becky Steele has taken on the task of treasurer for the inline club. The ice side formally was responsible for this role. Thank you Becky, for taking on this important job!

PWHC-IL Head Referee

We offer many thanks to Steve Worrall for taking on the role of Head Referee for the Inline Club. Steve has worn several different hats in the club: parent, coach, referee, and we are pleased to add Head Referee to his list.

New Inline League Jersey

It was the goal of the inline board to be able to bring to our club a home and an away jersey and bring back the club logo to the jersey. It is our hope that these jerseys will help instill club pride. One set of jerseys (one home, one away) is provided to each player at no additional cost. Players are expected to return their set to the club if they do not plan to return for a second season. If the player plans to return for a second season, names may be added to the back of the jersey at the players own risk and expense. Shirt Art in Woodbridge can add your players name to their PWHC jersey for \$3.00 for 10 or less letters per jersey; Over 10 letters will be \$3.50 each. Contact them for more information.



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Goalie Clinic

A Goalie clinic is offered for all PWHC registered goalies and are conducted at no additional costs at Skate Quest. It begins covering the basic skills and progresses through the year through more advanced skills. Head Coach for the program is RJ Ziegler, Advanced (Level IV) USAH Coaching Certification. Clinics will be held on the following Monday's at these times: 8-Oct, 22-Oct, 5-Nov, 3-Dec, 7-Jan, 4-Feb, 3-Mar
- Mite, Squirt, and Pee Wee 05:40 PM – 06:30 PM
- Bantam & Midget Goalie 06:30 PM – 07:20 PM

Inline goalies wishing to participate must have ice hockey goaltending gear. To register go to <http://www.pwhockey.com>.

Player Clinic

An inline player clinic
is planned for
Saturday,
December 1. Save
the date and watch
for information!

If you haven't done so already, please forward your USA Inline membership confirmation e-mail to the Director of Registration at ice-registrar@pwhockey.com