

Hockeyline

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE N.Z.I.H.A.

**1999
BAUER CUP
QUEEN'S
BIRTHDAY
TOURNAMENTS**

TAURANGA

U10/U12

LIGHTNING WANGANUI

U14/16/Ladies/Snr

AUCKLAND SABRES

U14/16/18

NEW ZEALAND

U16 and WOMENS

TEAMS NAMED!

PLAYER PROFILES

JASON GLEW

MATT OAK

PANTHERS LADIES AGAIN TAKE GOLD AT BAUER CUP



The Mt Wellington Panthers Women's team once again take the Trophy at the 1999 Bauer Cup for the second year in a row.

**BLACKHAWKS U12 WIN BACK TO BACK BAUER CUPS
AND ALSO TAKE HONOURS AT TAURANGA!**



The Glenfield Blackhawks U12 team go on to take the Tauranga U12 trophy after their 1st place win at the Bauer Cup.

HOCKEYLINE

Dear Readers,

Welcome, once again to your issue of Hockeyline - the most up to date information guide for In-line Hockey in New Zealand. Already the Bauer Cup (where my team won GOLD yippee!) and Tauranga tournaments have taken place with some great hockey action in all grades. Look inside for results. Regional Leagues are well underway with exciting reports from all regions. Up and coming are New Zealand team trips away to Canada for the 16 & under and also the Ladies - we wish them all the best, look inside for further details and the selected players.. Referee courses have shown great results and we now have many referees with Level I and II badges. Good luck to you all for the up-and-coming regionals and don't forget to keep those letters coming in.

THE ED

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

I am writing this on the shortest day 21st June so we have very quickly, it seems completed a busy six months of hockey with major tournaments completed and the Regional Leagues well underway. Reports on these will be included in this issue I am sure.

The N.Z.I.H.A. have this year spent time on giving guidelines to Regional committees on league format etc, so that on a national basis everyone is playing to the same rules and we have toughened up on non-members playing in leagues etc which was prevalent last year. Players should realise that their membership expires at the end of December.

Late advice to the N.Z.I.H.A. of International events continues to create problems for us, but we have been able to select a 16 and Under team and a Women's team for the Global Festival of Hockey in Kitchener, Canada and we wish them the very best for a great trip.

We are still hoping to have confirmation of the Senior World Elimination tournament very soon and there is a chance we might even have it in N.Z.

I expect an exciting 2nd half to 1999.

John Short - PRESIDENT



DID YOU KNOW?

That the Auckland Sabres is the largest club in New Zealand at 186 members!. (next is The Mt Wellington Panthers with 151 and then the Glenfield Blackhawks on 150).

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REFEREE'S CORNER!!

Many exciting events are coming up, which we will be sending New Zealand Teams to and selections have now been completed. Congratulations and good luck to all those successful. The selected players are as follows:-

16 & UNDER

Shane McLeod	Carl McLeod
Peter Lehmann	Matt Oak
Devon Kay	John Thomsen
Damien Bowden	Ashley Newman
Andy Gunning	Jarrod Short
Jason McLean	Glen Stewart

GOALIES

Ken O'Kallaghan	Richard Gibson
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GOALIES

Vicky-Lee Philpott	Suzanne Kitto
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The NZ WOMENS and NZ 16 & under will be travelling to Kitchener, Canada in July to attend the following events:-

Can/Am Cup, Training Camps,
WorldYouth Inline HockeyChamps
WomensWorld InlineHockeyChamps

**WELL DONE AND GOOD LUCK
TO ALL OF YOU!!**

IIHF ELIMINATION TOURNAMENT

The New Zealand Senior team will be attending the Elimination tournament this year with the hope of qualifying for the 2000 IIHF World Champs.

OCEANIA GAMES

This will be held in Auckland, New Zealand in the year 2000.

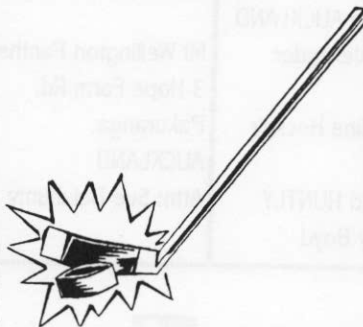
THE N.Z.I.H.A.

Annual General Meeting

Will be held in Taupo on the weekend of the _____ at the _____ Hotel - all members are invited.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

All Clubs should now be using the new correct sized goals as specified. A reminder that these are the official sized goals and must be in use at all rinks.



After three very successful referee's courses - we congratulate all of the people who have now attained their Level One and the following who have achieved their Level Two:-

Graham Clarke	Daniel Christie
Nick Warburton	Allan Christie
Finton Greggains	Shaun Nicholson
Michelle Wood	Craig Young

RULES

I am going to include this as a regular spot and cover interpretation of different rules in each issue.

RULE 605 - BROKEN STICK

(a) A player whose stick is broken may participate in the game provided the broken stick is dropped immediately. A minor penalty shall be assessed for an infraction of this rule.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU BREAK YOUR STICK?

Drop it and get a new one from the bench. Either sub off or a team-mate may pass one to you.

OFFSIDE RULE

When can you be offside? By entering the floor and getting a pass from your defending zone when you have not yet made contact with the your defending zone. Whenever you go on the floor you must 'tag-up' with your defending zone to ensure you are not offside. (skate over centre line). Otherwise you can't get a pass until your team-mate has brought the puck into the attack zone.

WHAT MAKES A GOOD REF?

- 1) The ability to stay calm, yet show authority when necessary.
- 2) Solid skating skills & good physical condition.
- 3) Thorough knowledge of the rules and interpretation them.
- 4) Good judgement
- 5) Strong communication skills



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