**“The tournament has the right to reschedule already scheduled games due to weather or any other unforeseen circumstances”.**

**Canadian Hockey Association (C.H.A.) Rules for Minor Hockey** will govern the conduct and play of all Tournament games. Tournament by-law rules shall be in addition to the Canadian Hockey Association Rules.

1. **All teams require a written travel permit.** The travel permit must be presented at the Tournament Office prior to the team playing its first Tournament game.
2. Each coach and / or manager shall be held responsible for the conduct of his / her team while in the arena,dressing rooms and on the ice.
3. Each team is required to vacate the dressing room within 15 minutes after their game has ended.
4. Novice teams will play 4 games consisting of 2 - 20 minute straight-time periods.
5. Small Novice nets, with black pucks.
6. Home team changes bench after first period.
7. 90-second shift length.
8. All double-shifting players are required to "tag up" at bench before returning to play, or play will be whistled dead.
9. Official to place live puck in neutral area on shift change (no face-offs); dead puck from preceding shift to be retrieved by official
10. On play stoppages comprising (i) goals; or (ii) a goaltender freezing the puck, the puck (or new puck) is dropped immediately at centre ice with no set formation; Game on
11. Penalties, per HNS guidelines, will require offending player to be sent to bench for remainder of timed shift; no power plays and coach to instruct player on what happened.