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## CHEDOKE MINOR HOCKEY LEAGUE

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Welcome to all C.M.H.L. players and parents. We are quickly approaching the upcoming hockey season. Your executive has been busy preparing in many different ways. New teams, sponsors, power skating for the Senior Divisions and a change in some ice times.

Our league has seen many improvements over the last few seasons and this one will be no different. The Ducks and Thrashers jerseys have been retired and the Leafs and Sharks will replace them. The Power Skating for Novice and Atom will again be held on Thursday nights at Scott Park and we are adding Power Skating for Peewee and Bantam on Saturdays at 6:30 p.m. at Chedoke.

We have exchanged our Tuesday night ice at Eastwood for hours at the Quad pad on Saturday mornings. This leaves us with only two hours on Friday at Eastwood that will be used for full ice practices in conjunction with the 6 and 6:30 a.m. hours at Chedoke on Saturday morning. These hours will rotate between divisions for the season so the same group does not end up with the early hours all the time.

Convenors are needed in many divisions so we need people to step forward. You cannot expect your executive to be at every game throughout the season watching every move. Many people have thoughts on what should be done but are not prepared to step up and help. Remember, it's your child's league.

We will be interlocking from Pre-Novice to Peewee with Scott Park this season. As many of you may know, a few years ago Hamilton lost Eastwood Minor Hockey because of lack of player participation. Scott Park could follow if not for our help. It will be a one-year trial with one of our teams in each of those divisions going there and one of their teams coming to our arena on Sunday. Please understand that these kids just want to play hockey and we can help.

To give you advanced warning, we will be increasing registration fees for the 2009/10 season. Our fees to the Hamilton Minor Hockey Council as well as ice costs have gone up for this season leaving us no choice. Rates will be set and posted during the season.

See you shortly for the start of another exciting season of hockey!

Yours,

Ross Firmin  
President CMHL