

SHOALHAVEN HOCKEY INC

JUNIOR REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS

- Shoalhaven representative teams are selected to provide experience in playing, umpiring, coaching and administering hockey at a higher level,
- The team shall act as a team. Team members shall travel together, be accommodated together, play and relax together and it is the responsibility of the team Coach and Manager to endeavour to achieve this,
- Junior players and umpires are entrusted into the care of the team Manager and Coach, and this responsibility should be given serious attention,
- Part of the team experience is to watch other games, the finals and presentations and use these as a teaching/learning experience.

DUTIES OF A REPRESENTATIVE COACH

Selection of the team:

- Arrange at least one selection trial and advise the Association Secretary at least 7 days in advance,
- Liaise and discuss selection of the team with the Association Executive members,
- Announce, in conjunction with the team manager, the selected team and advise the Association Secretary within 24 hours of the announcement,
- Select the Captain and the Vice-Captain for the representative team,

Training the team:

- Arrange training sessions and trial games as required, keeping the Association Secretary informed of all events,

Championship:

- Accompany the team to the relevant Championship,
- In conjunction with the Team Manager, be responsible for the welfare and discipline of the members of the team at the Championship,
- Select the team for all games during the relevant Championships.
- Accompany the team home from the Championships,

DUTIES OF THE REPRESENTATIVE MANAGER

Administration:

- Ascertain from the Association Executive Committee what administrative duties need to be undertaken, prior to the departure of the team, with respect to:
 - Team nomination for Championship and carnivals
 - Transport to and from the Championship
 - Accommodation at the Championships
 - Uniforms
 - Forms to be collected from players/officials
 - Monies to be collected from players/officials

- Forms to be collected from players nominated for State/Regional selection
- submit to the Executive within two (2) weeks of the completion of the representative program for the relevant team, a report on such matters as directed by the Executive

Team organisation:

- Ensure that all players (and Umpire) are advised of training sessions and trial games and that any transport arrangements are organized,
- Be responsible for uniform distribution, collection and laundering,
- Be responsible for the collection of monies from the team and ensure that these monies are itemized and handed promptly to the Treasurer,
- In conjunction with the Team Coach, be responsible for the welfare and discipline of the members of the team,

Championship

- Accompany the team to the relevant Championship,
- In conjunction with the Team Coach, be responsible for the welfare and discipline of the members of the team,
- Ensure that each member of the team, including the umpire, is in correct playing uniform,
- Accompany the respective team to official matches and functions and fulfill such responsibilities at fixtures/championships as directed by the organising body,
- Attend to all matters pertaining to the administration of the team as directed by the Organising Committee or the Association Executive,
- Accompany the team home from the Championships.