



Welcome to the 2011/12 Season!

Hello Lucan hockey families. I hope everyone is enjoying the beginning of another great season! The following newsletter is the second this season which contains important information you need to know.

A big thank you to all our coaches, trainers, managers, team reps and sweater reps!

Reminders

- ✚ The Ken Bailey Tournament (Atom/Peewee Rep) is October 20-23. There will be bond opportunities available. Look for the kitchen schedule to be posted in the lobby by the end of September.
- ✚ We are looking for a "Tournament Assistant" to help our Convener, Denise Smith as she executes all that needs to be done to make sure this major fundraiser for our association is a success. If you are interested in this (it is a bond position), please contact Denise @ tournaments@lucanminorhockey.net.
- ✚ General meetings can be attended by anyone. They are usually the second Wednesday of every month. If you have a matter that you would like to speak about, please forward a note to Julie Cooke and it will be brought to the attention of the executive and then discussed at the general meeting. The first General meeting will be on Wednesday October 12th at 7:00pm in the Committee Room, Lucan arena.

DON'T FORGET!

WING NIGHT

Wing Night returns! Please join us on **Sat. Nov. 5th, 2011** for our ADULT ONLY Wing Night. This year we will be moving into the Main Hall and will be combining a Silent Auction to raise funds for the Lucan Minor Hockey Association. ALL U CAN EAT Wings by Mammarella's, cash bar and a DJ will be there that evening. Tickets are \$20.00/person and will be available from Executive members or contact Kathy Noyes at fundraising@lucanminorhockey.net. Hope to see you there!

Elmira Poultry Products

NEW NEW NEW!!! Elmira Poultry Products will be sold at Picture/Apparel Night. All orders must be paid in full that evening and delivery will follow 2 weeks from the order date. Electronic order forms will be sent soon via Team Reps.

Picture/Apparel/Pizza Night

Monday November 7, 2011 is our annual Picture/Apparel/Pizza Night. Luis's Photography will be taking team pictures that evening. Above and Beyond Promotions will be on-site with a new apparel line for orders (that will be delivered in time for Christmas), and New Orleans will be donating a percentage of all pizza sales that evening back to our association. Watch for times and details to be forwarded via Team Reps.

Spirit Volunteers

We are looking for interested individuals to assist with the Silent Auction. If you have the Fighting Irish Spirit - please contact Kathy Noyes at fundraising@lucanminorhockey.net. This will be a bond position.

Cash Calendars

Anyone who has not picked up their cash calendars should contact registration@lucanminorhockey.net as soon as possible to make arrangements to pick them up. Please return stubs to your team rep prior to **October 25th, 2011**

Hockey Socks

Hockey Socks can be picked up this Friday from 7:00pm -8:30pm and on Saturday from 9:00am – 11:00am. Extra socks are available on a first come, first serve basis as priority will be given to those that pre-ordered with their registration. For additional information regarding equipment, please send an e-mail to equipment@lucanminorhockey.net.

Medical Forms

Please remember to print off the medical form, complete and submit to your child's coach ASAP. If you missed the e-mail, the forms are available from your teams' trainer.

Hockey Day

Details are being firmed up for Lucan's First (hope to be Annual) Hockey Day! This is a joint venture between Lucan Minor Hockey and the Jr D's. Lucan will be hosting Parkhill on November 19. There will be bond opportunities available. Events of the day will be posted on the website and through email in the coming weeks. In the meantime, please mark your calendars for Saturday November 19 to celebrate Hockey in Lucan!

Family Gate Passes

Please purchase your Family Gate Passes! Passes allow you to enter all Lucan Shamrock, Lambton Middlesex, and WOGHL Regular Season Home Games. The cost is \$80 for a Family, \$45 Single Adult, \$60 for Seniors and \$35 for a Single Senior pass. Passes can be purchased at the gate.

Goalie Clinic 2011-12 Season

We are pleased to offer goaltender instruction again this year. This year's instructor, Bill Dark, is the current goaltender coach for the London Knights and the University of Western Ontario Men's Hockey Team. This is an on ice session only and it will be held on Sunday evenings. The dates are: Oct.30, Nov.13, Dec.11, Jan.8, Feb.5 from 6:30-7:30pm. The Nov.27 session is 6:00-7:00pm. The rate this year will be \$20.00 per goalie per session.

Shooters will be required to assist on the ice and will be provided from within our organization.

This is a great opportunity for high school students to earn hours towards their Community Service hours requirement. We will also be looking for some younger shooters to work with the younger goaltenders.

Coaches: You are welcome and urged to come out and take part in the clinic as well. This is an opportunity for you to gain a better understanding of what drills assist your goalies in improving their game.

To goalies wishing to register for a clinic, or shooters or coaches willing to participate, please contact me at goalies@lucanminorhockey.net. Payment is to be made before each session.

Looking forward to another great year!

See you at the rink, Scott Beattie