

Consent to Use Photograph or Video/Audio Recording

We often use photographs and videos to capture great moments, celebrate victories, friendships and even record player activity/practices/games for assessment at a later date.

It is very possible that your child will be photographed or included in video/audio recordings while participating in hockey games, practices, or other programs and activities of Blues Hockey. Blues Hockey, teams, affiliate partners, and/or event holders use these photos, videos, content etc. for legal promotional materials including, but not limited to; social media posts, website material, newsletters, recognition posts, flyers, posters, brochures, advertisements, fundraising letters, annual reports, submissions to the Ottawa B Minor league for their website, media releases, newspapers, presentations, websites and multimedia productions, print and digital communications.

Blues Hockey is requesting player, or parent/guardian provide their consent on a voluntary basis only. If consent is given by a player or parent/guardian, such consent may be revoked at any time, upon written notice. If a Player or Parent/Guardian revokes consent, that revocation is not retroactive and, therefore, it does not apply to an action that occurred before the consent was revoked. Any action before is irrevocable. **Note:** It is the player, parent/guardian's responsibility to notify all of the following; Coach, Team Manager, Directors of Competitive for both EMHA and BMHA, in writing if the status of this consent changes.

The official team photos and/or tournament/league final photos will/may be published for public viewing on multiple platforms. Any player/family that doesn't consent to this photo containing them being published publicly, must not partake in these team photos. It is the Player and/or Parents/Guardians responsibility, to inform the coach and team manager in advance.

For players, parents/guardians that aren't giving their consent, coaches and managers will do their best to recall this stipulation. However, it is ultimately the responsibility of the player and/or parent(s)/guardian(s) to remind the coach(s) and team manager(s) throughout the season about not consenting to their photo(s) being published publicly, especially when partaking in tournaments or league finals, as teams typically take group photos after these games/events (finalist or champions).

Pictures Taken by Non-Blues Hockey Parties

While Blues Hockey may attempt to limit access to its games, practices, and other programs/activities to certain persons or agencies, it has no duty to do so and has no control over photographs and/or video/audio recordings which may be taken by other participants or volunteers/persons/agents accompanying participants and their actions to publish, share or otherwise disseminate a picture and/or video/audio recording of a named or unnamed minor participating in the program or activity, including your child.

I acknowledge that my (player's 18 years old and above) or my child's picture, voice, and/or likeness may be taken by others outside the control of Blues Hockey and I, on behalf of my minor child, and for my or my child's heirs, personal representatives or assigns, release and forever discharge Blues Hockey, EMHA, BMHA, their directors and any volunteers from any and all claims or liabilities of any kind which may result from the use, publication and/or dissemination of such likenesses outside of Blues Hockey control.

Waiver and Release

This Is a Consent and Release of Liability and Waiver of Certain Legal Rights

I hereby grant and authorize Blues Hockey the revocable right to use, edit, alter, copy, exhibit, publish, distribute and make use of any and all pictures, videos, or likeness taken/captured of my child during any game, tournament, event or activity in any photographic, video, digital imaging or other audio/visual format to be used in and/or for legal promotional materials including, but not limited to; social media posts, website material, newsletters, recognition posts, flyers, posters, brochures, advertisements, fundraising letters, broadcasts, annual reports, submissions to the Ottawa B Minor league for their website, media releases, newspapers, presentations, print and digital communications, without payment or any other consideration.

I also understand that my child's name may be used in conjunction with such images. I waive any right to inspection or approval of any content, photos, videos and material concerning my or my child. This authorization extends to all languages, media, formats and markets now known or hereafter devised. This authorization shall continue indefinitely, unless I otherwise revoke said authorization in writing. I understand and agree that these materials shall become the property of Blues Hockey or Blues Parties and will not be returned. I hereby hold harmless, release and forever discharge Blues Hockey, EMHA, BMHA, their directors, officers, agents, employees, volunteers, and any of their independent contractors (collectively, "Blues Hockey / Blues Parties") from any and all petitions, claims and liabilities and cause of action which I, my heirs, representative, executors, administrators, or any other persons may make while acting on my behalf and/or on behalf of my estate/child.

I have read this release in its entirety, and I fully understand the contents, meaning and impact of this release. I hereby certify that I am the parent or guardian of the registered participant, and do hereby give my consent without reservation to the foregoing on behalf of this individual.

Print Full Name of Player

Yes, I consent to the above;

Print Full Name of Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian, or Player (18 years of age or above) Signature

Date

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NO, I do not consent to the above. However, I understand and accept my responsibilities outlined in: Official team photos and/or tournament/league final photos, and Pictures Taken by Non-Blues Hockey Parties.

Print Full Name of Parent/Guardian

Parent/Guardian, or Player (18 years of age or above) Signature

Date