

MHMHA Bantam City director's report

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Bantam city had and 65 players register for the house non-contact league this year. This is a 20% increase from the previous year's registration. With this increase in numbers we were able to increase our teams from 4 to 5 teams. Each team consisted of 13 players.

2016-2017 Season Review

Bantam City started after all of the rep tryouts were completed with a pair of evaluation (practices), followed by 2 evaluation games. 5 coaching groups were chosen and along with the director we chose 5 teams. These 5 teams were considered evaluation teams with the intent on creating 5 equal teams. After teams had played everyone once, we had to move 3 kid's around to get the equal teams we were looking for.

Practice to game ratio was about 50/50. This year with 5 teams we were able to give each team a weekend off every 5 weeks. This was welcomed by all. Once a week there was a shiny ice time booked that had a very poor turn out.

Playoffs consisted of a round robin format with the top 2 seeds playing in a Championship final.

This year's house program was very successful due to the fact that there were 5 very strong coaching groups who volunteered many hours of time to ensure the kids had a positive experience.

I would like to express my thanks to the parents, players, and the coaches for making this season a success and hope to see you all at the rinks next year.

Thank You

Dylan Hodgson

Bantam City Director