



**2019-2020 MITE and JR. IP  
Parent Meeting**

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Season Format

Each child will be assigned to a team. Mite teams will be made up entirely of 2015-born skaters, and Jr. IP teams will be made up entirely of 2014-born skaters. There will be no formal evaluations for Mite and Jr. IP. Teams are simply used to distribute uniforms and for splitting skaters up for drills.

The Mite and Jr. IP programs will be delivered by Mike Cormier, with the assistance of parent volunteer On-Ice Helpers. All those on the ice will be certified using the OMHA criteria.

Blue pucks will be used for all Mite and Jr. IP activities. All scrimmages/games played will be cross-ice, as per OMHA and Hockey Canada requirements.

Team Schedule & Webpage

Ice time starts Saturday, September 28th. The schedule for the season is:

MITE (2015-born skaters): Saturdays, 8:00am-8:50am

JR. IP (2014-born skaters): Saturdays, 9:00am-9:50am

ALL SKATERS: Sundays, 8:00am-8:50am

All ice times will be on the South Ice Pad.

Each team has its own webpage on the DMHA site: <http://dorchesterdragons.ca/>  
Your team schedule will be posted to this site.

**Please sign up for the text message or email message if a change in schedule occurs. Select your team from the home page per below. Then scroll down to the bottom on the left side and select “manage subscriptions”.**



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Please review the online schedule for dates where there will be no hockey. We have several dates “black out” throughout the season. Reminders will be sent by email and posted on the website.

**Team Links**

- Jr Tyke
- Tyke
- Novice
- Atom
- PeeWee
- Bantam
- Midget

**Latest News**

**LOCAL LEAGUE EVALUATIONS**  
Submitted By Jeremy Rintjema on Wednesday, September 16, 2015 (193 views)  
The league team evaluations will begin this weekend, starting on Saturday, September 19th. All of the times are posted in the DMHA calendar on the website. Please check back frequently in order to stay up to date on any changes to the schedule. Best of luck to all for the coming season.

**ARENA BEHAVIOUR**  
Submitted By Jeremy Rintjema on Friday, September 11, 2015 (266 views)  
With the 2015/16 season just beginning, Thames Centre has received expressions of concern expressed regarding unsupervised children playing around the track with balls, etc. The recreation facility staff would like to remind all of the arena users of the following policy which has been posted on the north wall of the walking track area.

**DMHA Annual Golf Tournament**  
Submitted By Jeremy Rintjema on Wednesday, September 09, 2015 (139 views)  
Hello DMHA members!!  
Just a reminder of our annual golf tournament coming up on Friday September 18th 1pm!  
Please email Jenn McLellan at [jmclellan@start.ca](mailto:jmclellan@start.ca) to secure your spot so you don't miss it!  
[Read More](#)

**Manage Subscriptions**

Signup to receive email or text messages for the teams you want to follow.

**Website Visit Counter**

688,526 (1,872 per day)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5:00 PM-6:00 PM Atom BB & Atom AE Shared Practice Dorchester Arena (CANUSA/North)	5:00 PM-6:00 PM Practice Dorchester Arena (CANUSA/North)	5:00 PM-6:00 PM Practice Dorchester Arena (APC/South)	5:00 PM-6:00 PM Practice Dorchester Arena (APC/South)	5:30 PM-6:30 PM Practice Dorchester Arena (CANUSA/North)
6:00 PM-7:00 PM Practice Dorchester Arena (CANUSA/North)	5:30 PM-6:30 PM Practice Dorchester Arena (APC/South)		6:00 PM-7:10 PM Shared Practice Dorchester Arena (APC/South)	6:45 PM @ Strathroy Jr. Rockets Gemini Sports Comp
7:30 PM vs. Ingersoll Dorchester Arena (APC/South)	6:00 PM-7:00 PM Practice Dorchester Arena (CANUSA/North)		7:30 PM vs. Petrolia Oilers Dorchester Arena (APC/South) (96)	
9:00 PM Tiltsburg Dorchester Arena (APC/South)	6:15 PM @ Woodstock Woodstock Southwood Arena		8:30 PM vs. Petrolia Oilers Dorchester Arena (APC/South) (94)	
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	7:30 PM vs. Petrolia Oilers Dorchester Arena (APC/South) (94)			
	8:45 PM @ West London Hawks Kinsman Arena			

You can use MyCal to combine schedules from multiple teams.  
Or, [Subscribe](#) to multiple calendars at once.

### On-Ice Helpers

All On-Ice Helper positions have now been filled. All On-Ice Helpers will be parents of the age group they are assisting with, and must have completed the following:

- 1) Police Vulnerable Sector Check (valid for 3 years) or a Criminal Defense Declaration
- 2) Respect in Sport - Activity Leader module
- 3) Gender Identity and Expression Training module



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### Bond Hours

You are required to complete a minimum of 1 bond job per child registered with DMHA, to a maximum of 2 bond jobs. To sign up for bond positions, please refer to the DMHA website – BONDS/VOLUNTEERS. Bond positions specific to the Mite and Jr. IP programs may become available throughout the season, and will be emailed out. The On-Ice Helper position, Program Coordinator position, and Uniform/Name Bar Assistants count for one bond job.

### Name Bars

You will have the opportunity to order a name bar for the back of your child's jersey. We will be taking orders and payment for name bars during uniform pick-up. The cost is \$12.

### Yellow Tickets

During registration, you paid \$100 for our yellow ticket. Lottery fundraiser. Yellow tickets will be during uniform pick-up.

You can sell these tickets (keep the money you make) or fill them out yourself. Completed tickets need to be dropped into the black drop box between the two rinks (hanging on the mural wall by the doors to the South rink, beside the schedule TV). The first draw is Nov 1<sup>st</sup>. Please submit your tickets before that date.

### Special Events

All Mite and Jr. IP players are invited to skate during the first intermission of the Knights game on Friday, January 24, 2020 (7:30pm). Tickets will be required to the game and a block of tickets will be available for DMHA families. More details to follow.

### Uniforms

Children will be required to have the full equipment including a mouth guard. Names should be labelled on helmets and sticks. Helmet names should be visible for the coaches to easily address your child by name. Jerseys and socks are provided by the DMHA. Uniform pick-up will take place on Wednesday, September 18<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm-7:00pm, Wednesday, September 25<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm-7:00pm, Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>, 7:30am-9:00am and Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup>, 7:30am-8:00am. Make sure your child has the proper size stick. Please also ensure that your child's equipment fits properly.

### Respect In Sport

One parent for each skater must complete the Respect In Sport module online. More information can be found on the DMHA website here: [http://dorchesterdragons.ca/Pages/3670/Respect\\_in\\_Sport/](http://dorchesterdragons.ca/Pages/3670/Respect_in_Sport/). The RIS must be completed before November 1st. You do not need to notify us once you have completed the RIS course. You do not have to do the RIS course again if you have already completed it. The cost of this module is \$12 + HST.

### Picture Day

Picture Day will be scheduled in late November. More details will follow by email.