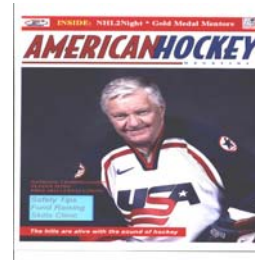




COACHING YOUTH HOCKEY IN Southeastern District



Welcome to the USA Hockey Coaching Family, and the 2006/2007 hockey season!

Please review the information in this flyer for your benefit, and that of your team.

First, and most importantly, “Thank You!” for your role of leading and developing our hockey players. Whether you are a new coach, or one with lots of experience, you have assumed an important set of responsibilities to your players, your team, your parents, your local hockey association, and to the game of hockey. You are the foundation of USA Hockey’s player development system, and your efforts are appreciated.

Next, in recognition of your importance to our players, USA Hockey and Southeastern District have adopted certain educational requirements to help you grow as a coach. The requirements can be located on www.sedistrict.org. Thousands of coaches receive this training every year, and most of them strongly support it. Of course, training alone doesn’t make you a coach, but it helps to outline skills and attributes you can develop and use as a coach. Our training programs are reviewed and developed by national and international leaders in hockey and the science of coaching. If you need to attend a coaching clinic this season, we will try to make it an excellent experience!

We also recognize that the hockey season is a long one, and the support and information you receive in our coaching clinics can carry you only so far. So, we are developing a support system for coaches in Southeastern District. Every local hockey program is required to have an “Association Coaching Education “ (ACE) Director. This person can be a season-long advisor for you, find out who your “ACE” is, and if your program doesn’t have one, ask about it. It usually the hockey director.

Finally, to provide you with extra resources and information, we maintain an extensive web site of coaching-related items specific to Southeastern District Hockey. Visit www.sedistrict.org and you will see what we mean. From articles on coaching to clinic schedules to opportunities for you to grow as a coach, our web site is the single best way for us to communicate with you. Visit often.

Because there are nearly 3,000 coaches in the Southeast, and you may need to communicate with us from time to time, we have a Coaching Team identified and listed below. All of us prefer the use of E-Mail, but we can take phone calls if E-Mail is not an option. Please remember that the people listed here are volunteers, working for youth hockey just like you are.

In closing, you have our best wishes for a wonderful 2006-2007 hockey season! Good Luck!

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**“REMEMBER KIDS DON’T CARE HOW MUCH YOU KNOW
UNTIL
THEY KNOW HOW MUCH YOU CARE.”**

Bob’s three H’s: Hustle - Hit them clean –Hit the net !!!!