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November 20, 2023

2023 2024 TCMHL Playoff Structure

RR Playoff Structure/# of Games/League Championship/# of Teams to OMHA Championship

Here is the 2023 2024 Playoff Structure for the TCMHL as of today. As more information becomes available the chart will be updated

IMPORTANT DATES

RR PLAYOFFS	February 5th to March 8th, 2024 inclusive
TIE BREAKERS, if required	March 9th to March 11th, 2024 inclusive
TCMHL QUARTER FINALS	March 12th to March 15th, 2024 inclusive. Single Game, Winner advances
TCMHL SEMI-FINALS	March 16th to March 18, 2024 inclusive. Single Game, Winner advances
TCMHL FINALS - U10 - U11 inclusive	March 19th to March 22nd, 2024 inclusive. Single game Championship. Play-in game if required will be one game
TCMHL FINALS - U12 - U18 inclusive	March 19th to March 22nd, 2024 inclusive. Best 2 out of 3 Championship. Play-in game if required will be one game

Age Group	AA	A	BB
U10	RR Playoff Games - See Rules 1 -3 Located at the end of this document		
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<p>OF and SHOOTOUT Requirement in Tri-County Minor Hockey League Championship Round Games</p>	<p>See Rule # 10 & # 11 Below</p>	<p>See Rule # 10 & # 11 Below</p>	<p>See Rule # 10 & # 11 Below</p>
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OMHA CHAMPIONSHIP - THE ROAD TO #REDHATS

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U11

RR Playoff Games - See Rules 1 -3 Located at the end of this document

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<p>Teams per Pool</p>	<p>TBD TBD</p>	<p>TBD TBD</p>	<p>TBD TBD</p>
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OT and SHOOTOUT
Requirement in Tri-
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Hockey League
Championship
Round
Games

See Rule # 10 & # 11
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OMHA CHAMPIONSHIP - THE ROAD TO #REDHATS

of Teams
advancing to OMHA
Championship

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Location/Date of
OMHA
CHAMPIONSHIP

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U12

RR Playoff Games - See Rules 1 -3 Located at the end of this document

of Teams in
Division

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Total Playoff Games
Per Team

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of Playoff Pools
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OMHA CHAMPIONSHIP - THE ROAD TO #REDHATS

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Location/Date of OMHA CHAMPIONSHIP	TBD	TBD	TBD

U13

RR Playoff Games - See Rules 1 -3 Located at the end of this document

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OMHA
CHAMPIONSHIP

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U14

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U15

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U16

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Location/Date of
OMHA
CHAMPIONSHIP

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U18

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Rules

RR PLAYOFF GAMES - PLEASE UPLOAD THE GAMES ON YOUR IPAD AS SOON AS THE TIMEKEEPER HANDS IT OVER TO YOU

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| 1 | Timeouts | 1 - 30 second per team per game |
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2 Referees The Association, who is Hosting, is responsible to provide the referees. Games ending in a tie will play 1 - 10 minute (5 on 5) sudden victory OT period. If still tied after this period, the game is recorded as a tie. No Shoot-out in RR games. Please advise Referees of this OT requirement

3 Timekeepers The Association, who is Hosting, is responsible to provide the timekeepers. Games ending in a tie will play 1 -10 minute (5 on 5) sudden victory OT period. If still tied after this period, the game is recorded as a tie. No Shoot-out in RR games. Please advise Timekeepers of this OT requirement

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4	Number of Teams advancing to TCMHL Playoffs	4 Teams advancing	1 Pool - Top 4 Teams, 2 Pools - Top 2 Teams from each Pool
		6 Teams advancing	Top team from each Pool will be seeded (1, 2) and advance to semis. The remaining teams will be seeded 3 to 13 etc. Team 3 plays Team 6, Team 4 plays Team 5 in quarter-finals
		8 Teams advancing	Top team from each Pool will be seeded (1, 2) The remaining teams will be seeded 3 to Team 1 plays Team 8, Team 2 plays Team 7, Team 3 plays Team 6, Team 4 plays Team 5 in quarter-finals

5 Timeouts 1 - 30 second per team per game

6 Who Plays/Hosts the Semi-Finals and Finals - 4 Teams - 3 or 4 Games

Semi-Finals (Game 1 & 2) Top Team from each Pool. Finals (Game 3 & 4) Seeding for Finals - the Team with the higher Seed from the Regular Season

Who Plays/Hosts the Quarter-Finals, Semi-Finals and Finals 6 Teams - 5 or 6 Games

Quarter-Finals (Game 1 & 2) Team 3 plays Team 6, Team 4 plays Team 5. Semi-Finals (Game 3 & 4) Team 1 plays lowest seeded Team Team 2 plays second lowest seeded Team. Final (Game 5 & 6) W3 plays W4, L3 plays L4. Seeding for Finals - the Team with the higher Seed from the Regular Season will host

Who Plays/Hosts the Quarter-Finals Semi-Finals and Finals 8 Teams - 7 or 8 Games

Quarter-Finals (Game 1, 2, 3 and 4) Team 1 plays Team 8, Team 2 plays Team 7, Team 3 plays Team 6, Team 4 plays Team 5. Semi-Finals (Game 5 & 6) Highest seeded team plays lowest seeded Team Second highest seeded team plays second lowest seeded Team. Final (Game 7 & 8) W5 plays W6, L5 plays L6. Seeding for Finals - the Team with the higher Seed from the Regular Season will host

The following Period Lengths are in line with the OMHA Championship.

U10-U13

10-15-REST-15

7 Our suggestion/recommendation is to try to follow these Period Lengths for the Quarter-Finals, Semi-Finals, Finals should the Host's ice package permit it.

U14-U21

15-15-FLOOD-15

8 Referees

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Please advise Referees of this OT and Shootout requirement.

9 Timekeepers

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10

OT and Shootout requirement Playing in a game where THERE MUST BE A WINNER (Tiebreaker, Quarter-Finals, Semi-Final, Final, Play-in etc.)

In the event of a tie after regulation time, the format will be as follows. All games sudden victory. First goal wins. Teams will play one 10-minute sudden victory period. 5 on 5. If after overtime there is no winner, then a 5-player shootout will occur with teams alternating shots. Both shooters will go at the same time. (Players who are still serving an overtime or regulation time penalty cannot participate in the shootout) The Team scoring most goals after 5 shooters will be declared the winner. If still tied the shootout will continue in sets of one, till there is a winner. Teams must change the players for shootout until they have utilized all players on roster. If there is a difference in the number of players between teams, the team with more players has option to designate the same number of players as opposition before the shootout begins. PLEASE ADVISE GAME OFFICIALS (referees/timekeepers) OF THIS. PLEASE INSTRUCT THE HOME TEAM WHEN SETTING UP THE GAME ON THE IPAD TO SHOW 1 OT Period (10 minutes) PLUS SHOOTOUT.

11 Receiving a Penalty
in Overtime or your
penalty at the end
of Regulation has
not been fully
served

Should your penalty at the end of Regulation not be fully served the opposing team will start the OT period, 5 on 4 till it is served.

12 YOU MAY WANT TO DO
THIS FOR THE QUARTER-
FINALS, SEMI-FINALS AND
FINAL GAMES.
Announcing Goals and
Penalties. Music at
stoppage of play.
PRE/POST
ANNOUNCEMENTS

THIS PART IS OPTIONAL AND UP TO THE HOST ASSOCIATION. You need to decide if you will have the Timekeeper announce goals and penalties and PRE/POST announcements. Also are you playing music between play stoppages. If so, you will need to arrange to have a working microphone in the penalty box. If you are going to have music, it is the responsibility of the Hosting Association to arrange this.

13 Presentation of
Medals/Banners, once
you get into the Tri-
County Minor Hockey
League Championship

Ensure you have the Medals and Banners one day prior to the Championship Games. Remember to have a working microphone in the penalty box for the Championship Game. Also have a representative from your Association there to present the medals and banners. Or have the Referee and Linesman do it.☒

November 20, 2023

Date

Revision Made

