



NHL Street Hockey – Children’s Team Coach & Referee



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Reports to: Emma Dwyer, Director of Aquatics & Youth

Part-Time: \$15.00 Hourly

Start Date: November 2023

The YMCA of Pictou County Experience

The YMCA of Pictou County is a supportive and caring staff team who are thriving, growing and are passionate about their work. The workplace team culture is inclusive, genuine, kind and nurturing, where team members are encouraged to learn and succeed individually and collectively. The environment is casual and comfortable yet friendly and professional. All team members are encouraged to have fun at work alongside the policies that guide our professionalism. At the YMCA of Pictou County, we know the value of being healthy and active, of bringing people together, and social and physical activity within a community. If this environment interests you and you identify as a dynamic team player who is socially connected and passionate about helping people, consider joining our team as an NHL Street Hockey Team Coach and Referee.

Position Summary

Positioned to be the premier ball hockey experience, NHL STREET provides kids and their families with the best of what youth sports can be: having fun, staying active, making friends, and creating great memories. Designed for kids ages 6 to 16, NHL STREET athletes feel like the pros when they suit up in authentic uniforms to play in high-energy, team-first leagues.

Coaches of all experience levels are welcome in NHL STREET. Basic training for coaches is available through NHLSTREET.com, providing volunteers with the tools they need to learn and manage a street hockey game.

While NHL STREET is focused on maximizing fun by encouraging low-pressure gameplay, we have practice plans and individual drills available, enabling coaches to enhance player skills and improve the gameplay experience.

We Offer

- Individual YMCA Membership

Qualifications

- Knowledge in coaching, refereeing, or playing Hockey on or off the ice.
- Experience working with or coaching children
- Safety oriented, kid focused.
- Organizational skills and the ability to manage multiple tasks.
- Experience leading or coaching staff, volunteers, or participants
- **Intermediate First Aid Certification (Courses available at the YMCA).**
- **Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector & Child Abuse Registry Required**

Responsibilities

- Coaching a team in recreational Floor hockey following the NHL Street Hockey standards

The YMCA of Pictou County is an equal opportunity employer that values inclusion and diversity.

- Act as a referee for recreational games in a Floor Hockey League following NHL Street Hockey Standards
- Follow all YMCA Child Safeguarding policies and public health policies

Note: Employees will be required to attend YMCA Child Protection Training. Successful candidates will be required to provide a current and satisfactory Criminal Record Check/Vulnerable Sector Check, Child Abuse Registry Check, and proof of valid First Aid and CPR training. Having these documents ready for the volunteer interview is recommended.

Apply Today: Please email your cover letter and resume in one document to Emma Dwyer at emma.dwyer@pcymca.ca. We look forward to hearing from you. The posting will remain open until a suitable candidate has been found.