



2019 GLOBAL GIRLS' GAME INFORMATION

PURPOSE OF EVENT The IIHF Global Girls' Game originated in 2015 as an evolved form of the Canadian Long Game. This event was created to unite federations around the world through a unique effort to celebrate and ultimately grow the female game globally. In Canada, we have developed this event to involve players from all Members and create a complete Canadian leg of the Global Game. Players chosen for this event exemplify positive attitudes, teamwork and leadership that reflect the philosophy of the Global Game and Female Hockey in Canada.

Logistics

- Hockey Canada in partnership with Hockey Alberta will be hosting the 2019 Global Game in co-operation with the IIHF.
- The Canadian segment of the IIHF Global Game will take place on Saturday, February 16th, 2019 at the Flames Community Arena in Calgary, Alberta with festivities commencing at 2:00pm Mountain Time.
- The Global Game Festivities will take place throughout the weekend with players arriving on Friday, February 15th and departing on Sunday, February 17th.

Participants

- 2 teams of 20 players for a total of 40 players (12 forwards, 6 defence and 2 goaltenders per team) will take part in the game
- Each Province (Branch) are invited to send 2 players for a total of 24 players
- The OWHA, who represents 3 Branch Members, will therefore provide 6 participants for this event
- Hockey Alberta will provide the other 16 players from around the province of Alberta and will fill other spots as needed
- Players will be mixed geographically with the goal of creating similar caliber and a mix of girls from various parts of Canada
- Team Staff and game officials will be provided by Hockey Alberta and Hockey Canada
- All participants will be under supervision from pre-screened volunteer adults throughout the event. Volunteer staff will be briefed prior to arrival of players on all safety measures required

Finances

Hockey PEI will cover the following expenses for both players.

- Travel-flights from Charlottetown to Calgary (return)
- Accommodations-There will be 2 participants per room in Queen Double rooms so each has their own bed

Hockey Canada & Hockey Alberta will cover the following expenses:

- Ground transportation for players between airport and hotel as well as to and from scheduled activities.
- Meals-All meals from time of arrival in Calgary on Friday, February 15th thru their departure on Sunday, February 17th.
- Activity Costs related to game, on ice sessions and off ice activities etc.
- Global Game Jersey-Players will keep the jersey as a souvenir

Player Selection Criteria

- Encourage a focus on positive values and good citizenship in the selection process as it meets the goals of the activity and the positive messaging for Female Hockey worldwide.
- Age Group-Bantam A Female (Players born 2004 and 2005)
- Hockey PEI positions – Hockey PEI has been allocated two positions for the game. Positions will be determined through a random draw by Hockey Canada and Hockey Alberta.

Application Process

- Registered Female Bantam 'A' Players from Hockey PEI born in 2004 and 2005 who play on a female team are eligible to apply.
- Two players will be selected to attend the Global Game.
- A selection committee comprised of Hockey PEI volunteers will select two players to attend the Global Game through a draw process.

STEP 1 - Application Form

Applicants must complete the application form by January 22, 2019

STEP 2 - Essay

Applicants must also submit a one page essay by January 22, 2019 outlining to the selection committee why you are a deserving individual and should be selected to represent Hockey PEI at the 2019 Global Game.

Application and Essays may be submitted as follows:

Email: info@hockypei.com or Fax: 902-368-4337

Schedule

Hockey Canada and Hockey Alberta are preparing an agenda for the event that will include many activities and events for the participants while in Calgary.