

Victoria Gold Whitehorse Oldtimers'

Tournament Information 2023

Registration:

- The tournament is from Friday, Dec 8 to Sunday, Dec 10, 2023. Team rosters must be submitted to the organizing committee and cannot be changed after the start of a team's first game.
- The tournament fee is \$800 and must be e-transferred by Dec 2 to: whitehorseohl@gmail.com

Game Rules:

- All games are under CARHA rules with the WOHL amendments
- Teams are guaranteed three games

Player Eligibility:

- All players must be at least 35 years of age as of December 8, 2023
- Players who have played in the Whitehorse Recreational League or Canyon City League during the 2023-24 season are not eligible to play in the tournament. Goalies may be exempt from this rule.

Game Format:

- Games will consist of two 22-minute stop-time periods with a flood between periods
- Teams must start, and finish, a game with at least six skaters and a goalie
- Any team 10 minutes late forfeits the game
- In the round robin, two points are awarded for a win, and one for each tied game
- Ties in standings will be broken in the following order:
 - Average age of team (highest average age wins)
 - Coin flip

Penalties:

- See the attached Tournament Penalty Rules
- Mercy Rule - If there is a 5 goal difference with 10 minutes left in the game, or at any time with less than 10 minutes left, running time will commence. Running time will continue until the end of the game regardless of the score after it has started. If the goal difference reaches 7 in the last 10 minutes, the game is over immediately, unless the losing team wishes to keep playing. Minor penalties during running time are 3 minutes and major penalties are 7 minutes.

Tournament Playoffs:

- The top two teams in each division will play for their respective titles.
- Tied playoff games will be broken by a five-minute 4-on-4 sudden death overtime period. If it is still tied after five minutes, three players from each team will take part in a shootout. The team that finished higher in the standings will have the option to shoot first or second. If it is still tied after three shooters each, the teams will take turns shooting in a sudden death format until a winner is decided. No player can shoot a second time until every player on that team has taken a shot. After the team has used all available shooters once, the team will start over in the same rotation.

Beer Gardens and Team Supper:

- The beer gardens will be in the mezzanine at Takhini on Friday from 5pm-Midnight; Saturday from 5pm- midnight; and Sunday from 10am-3pm. Absolutely no outside alcohol may be brought to the beer gardens. The concession will be open Saturday and Sunday.
- A supper will be hosted for all teams by WOHL in the mezzanine at Takhini arena on Saturday night beginning at 6:15 p.m.

If you require any further information, please contact the tourney chair, **Peter Johnston** at, 867-333-1972.