

# Chebucto Minor Hockey

## Recreation 'C' 2024-25

We had another great year in Rec C at Chebucto! This was my 11th year coaching at CMH and 3rd year as Rec VP. A special thanks to some people who were very helpful and as always went above and beyond for Chebucto... Suzanne Keith, Bryan Esbaugh, Craig Messervey, Paul Hunt, Morgan Burke and our Ice Schedulers.

Again this year we continued our approach to pre-season team selection. With the help of our Pres, EVP, VP Comp, and TD, our competitive team rosters were created with attention to Recreation team numbers at all age levels. This plan ensured all teams at Chebucto had reasonable numbers. Rec C teams were capped at 18 players, with at least one full time goaltender. Also, adding our Technical Director's expertise to pre-season, team balancing and in season programs will be a real advantage to Rec C moving forward.

This year we had 10 Rec C teams at the various age levels, winning 4 championships!

Our 3 U11C teams had a spectacular season! The Hurricanes won 3 banners- our KHM touney, the MMHL Gold Championship, and then the City Wide Championship! The Storm finished 2nd in the Gold Division, and the Lightning won the Silver Championship! Way to go players and coaches!

We had also 3 U13C teams. The Warriors won the MMHL Silver championship. The Chargers made the semi finals, and the Attack were within 2 seconds of going to OT in their semi final game. Great job!

Our one U15C team had a tough year, but that group of players and coaches have really bonded over the years, they truly made the best of it.

This year we began practices for our U18C program. It was a challenge to find ice time, but we managed a rotation that will only get better. The U18C Grey played their way into Silver division, and The Thunder fought their way into the Gold.

And our final Champions...U23. This is a great division. These are young adults who still want to play organized minor hockey. They were strong all season and won back to back U23C MMHL championships under coaches (and longtime Chebucto Volunteers) Peter Jollimore and Mike Beamish!

It takes a lot of people to run minor hockey. I want to personally thank all the Coaches, Managers and Parents of our teams. Without you we couldn't do it. Hope to see you all next season!