

## **The TAAA Volunteer Bond Program**

Thorold Athletic Amateur Association is run completely by volunteers. Many of our members are unaware of just how much volunteer work and fundraising is necessary to operate a quality hockey program.

Although not everyone has the hockey experience or skills to assist as an on-ice volunteer, there are many other roles that contribute greatly to the success of our association. Examples of these opportunities include, score keeping, assisting with fundraising events and volunteering your time to help with tournaments.

The Volunteer Bond Program has been introduced to encourage our association members to step forward and get involved.

Every family with a registered player in TAAA must provide payment in the form of a \$200 cheque before your child(ren) will be allowed to begin the 2019/2020 season. \$ 100.00 Jr Hawks

## The cheque must be postdated for April 30, 2020.

## **TAAA Bond program Guidelines**

- The volunteer bond program requires a minimum of 15 hours of Association Approved volunteer work. (5 hours Jr. Hawks)
- You are responsible for submitting your volunteer hours at the end of **every month** via email or by completing the volunteer bond credit form found online and submitting to the TAAA Office.
- Bondprogram@thoroldminorhockey.com
- https://thoroldminorhockey.com/Public/Documents/Volunteer Bond Credit Form.pdf
- All hours must be approved by the association.
- Association Approved Volunteer opportunities include:
  - ✓ Timekeeping
  - ✓ Parent Rep (1 per team only)
  - ✓ Volunteering at the Thorold Rep or Local League Tournaments
  - ✓ Coaches & Assistants & Team Managers (total of 5 members only)
  - ✓ Volunteering at TAAA Association Fundraising Event
  - ✓ Local League Evaluation
  - ✓ TAAA Board Member
- Those volunteering for major roles in the association will automatically have their hours recorded by the association i.e. board roles, coach, assistant coach, manager etc.
- Any volunteer hours outside of approved association activities must be approved in advance by the TAAA Board of Directors.

- You can opt out of volunteering. Just complete the Volunteer Bond Agreement form <a href="https://thoroldminorhockey.com/Public/Documents/Volunteer\_Bond\_Agreement.pdf">https://thoroldminorhockey.com/Public/Documents/Volunteer\_Bond\_Agreement.pdf</a> and attach your cheque in the amount of \$200.00 dated October 1, 2019. (\$ 100.00 Jr. Hawks)
- The volunteer bond is mandatory for all members in good standing. Unfortunately, your family member(s) will not be able to skate until the Association receives your cheque.
- If you do not complete all 15 hours (5 hrs Jr Hawks) your check will be cashed

Parent Guardian Name:

- All bond hours must be completed by March 1, 2020
- At this time bond hours apply only to the current season and cannot be accumulated and applied to next year.
- If bond hours are not completed and checks are cancelled before they are cashed your family member(s) will not be able to skate in the following season, until your account is brought up to date and your check is received.

I have read and fully understand that I am required to volunteer a minimum of 15 hours for my family for the upcoming hockey season. I understand that it is my responsibility to book, work and report my hours. My \$200.00 (\$ 100.00 Jr Hawks) postdated <u>cheque is attached and dated APRIL 1, 2020.</u> I understand that the cheque will be cashed if the hours are not completed or properly reported.

Parent Guardian Signature:	
Date:	
Cheque No:	Dated: April 1 2020
My family members are:	
Name	Team/Division