



To Our Volunteers:

Thank you for donating your time in assisting the BAD Girls Hockey Association. It takes many hands and hard work to organize fundraising and participate in community events. Our hope is that by volunteering your time you will meet new friends, develop further knowledge of the Blazers organization and share ideas to ensure our continued success.

For the 2023/2024 season the Blazers Board is implementing a Bond system. Each family is required to provide a post-dated cheque (April 30/24) for \$300 to their team manager. During the season volunteer opportunities will be available so that **each player's family contributes 4 hours of time**. Families with **2 girls registered will be required to offer 8 hours of time**. U18 players may be able to sign up to complete their own bond hours; however, some activities will require them to be of the age of majority. Please check with Melissa Taylor if in doubt. Team managers will track bond hours which will be reported to Melissa. When bond hours are fulfilled you will be notified and your cheque will be shredded. Hours must be completed by April 30th, 2024 or your cheque will be cashed.

Coaches, managers, trainers and board members are not required to fulfill bond hours.

Timekeeping for regular season games will not count toward your bond. We encourage you to learn how to work the clock and enter game information into RAMP so that you have the ability to do so during our tournament.

We have many exciting events planned. Below are descriptions of some upcoming opportunities along with the Google Tracking Sheet for signup.

Link to Opportunities/Tracking Spreadsheet and Steps:

Please be aware that this is a live Google sheet meant to offer transparency. Do not sign up for more bond hours than you need to complete and please **do not edit anyone else's entry** as **opportunities are first-come-first-serve**. Cell changes are tracked and violations of the process may result in forfeiting your bond funds.

- Select the below 'Bond Opportunities' Link
- Complete the row of information for your chosen event
- Event organizer will reach out to you closer to event date to confirm your participation

- Report completion of bond hour(s) to your team manager following event

 [Bond Opportunities Sign Up Sheet](#)

(If you do not have a Google account, you may need to download the Google Sheets app to be able to edit it)

Dorchester Dolphins 50/50

The North Dorchester Optimist Club is one of our sponsors. In exchange for funding we will assist them by running the 50/50 draws at several Dorchester Dolphins home games. You must arrive at the Dorchester arena at 6:30pm (one hour prior to game time). Most volunteers will leave one and half hours after the game starts. One volunteer (plus a Board member) will stay longer to count the funds, declare the winner and present the prize money. Further game dates may be posted depending on the team's success in their playoffs.

BAD Day - October 21, 2023

This year marks our 3rd Annual BAD Day! We celebrate and promote the association through back-to-back games all day in Aylmer. Opportunities will be posted as planning is finalized.

Annual Tournament

Our tournament will be held January 19th-21st/2024. Bonding opportunities will include timekeeping, running the raffle table and arena convening.

Santa Claus Parades

Please reach out to Melissa (mandmtaylor@live.ca) if you wish to help organize a Blazers float in the Belmont or Aylmer parades.

Year End Banquet

Please reach out to Melissa (mandmtaylor@live.ca) if you wish to help organize a banquet at the end of the season to celebrate our players.

Board Meetings

Attending a board meeting will fulfill one bond hour. Meetings are monthly and currently are on Wednesdays in Dorchester in the middle of the month. Plan to attend at 7:30pm.