

OLG Gaming Revenues for Little Native Hockey League (LNHL) Policy

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Purpose:

To ensure the implementation of the OLG Gaming revenues in a fair and equitable manner for the benefit of the Wahnapiatae First Nation minor aged membership and youth. This allocation is intended to enhance the health, quality and training in developmental and competitive opportunities essential for continued success for our WFN youth not only improve their passion for the sports but in all aspects of their life skills and leadership in the future.

Eligibility:

Wahnapiatae First Nation Band Member not in arrears with other OLGR funded programs and between the ages of 4 - 18 yrs.

Annual Allocation:

Annual allocation will be in accordance with the On-Going plan for the OLG Revenues and accessing funds will be on a first come, first served basis annually. The Council will allocate \$ 7,500.00 for an annual budget.

Members may access the fund to a maximum of 200.00 for each fiscal year.

Process for Requesting Funds:

Initial contact with the WFN Receptionist is required to ensure that the funds are available, and that the activity is eligible under this policy. Requests for funding lessons or training from immediate family members will be dealt with on a case-by-case basis. The following criteria will be used to determine accessibility.

These funds are to help towards travel and meals attending Little NHL. Proof of costs over the amount of the subsidy will need to be provided by the athlete/participant or his/her parent or guardian prior to the WFN Little NHL releasing its subsidy payment.

WFN members must complete/provide the application/agreement form and any relevant documentation such as proof of registration costs information on the activity at least 20 days prior to the date required. To ensure the funds are well utilized.

Eligible Activities:

The following are some examples of eligible activities: Little Native Hockey League Registration costs. Examples of eligible expenses include registration any necessary and or equipment will be the responsibility of the applicant.

Level of Education:

Graduate Students – Hockey (LNHL) Players

Elementary Student – Players as recommended by parents or guardian

Application Process:

The application deadline date will be February 15th, of each calendar year and will be on a first come first, served basis. In the event a surplus in the allocation remains, it will be used to support any subsequent requests until the budget has been depleted or returned to the overall OFNLP budget.

Eligible applicants (parents/guardian for applicants under 18) must

- Make initial contact with the WFN Receptionist
- Submit a complete application form and estimate of travel cost

Completed application forms and estimates will be provided to council for processing.

Process for Receiving Funds

Student/parents, guardian must sign and return their complete application along with signed estimated travel cost and information needed to receive Little Native Hockey League (LNHL) funds.

By accepting this assistance:

I understand it is a onetime per year allocation.

I will bring estimated travel cost and proof of Hockey league/team played with LNHL

I agree to play the **Little Native Hockey League (NHL)** with the best of my ability, respect and have fun.

This Policy may be amended at the pleasure of the Chief and Council of the Wahnapiatae First Nation.

Application Form for Little Native Hockey League (NHL)

Player Information

Name: _____ Status Card Number _____

Address: _____ Birth Date: _____

City: _____ Phone No. (____) _____

Postal Code: _____ Fax No. (____) _____

Email: _____

Activity/Registration Information: _____

Cost of Activity/Registration: _____

Start Date: _____ Completion Date: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone No. (____) _____

Release:

By signing below, I/We give permission for Wahnapiatae First Nation to contact the person listed above to verify any participation in the activity described to confirm my enrollment in Little Native Hockey League

Agreement

By signing below I/WE agree that if I (or my child) does not participate nor complete the above listed activity, I will return the funds paid on my/our behalf by the WFN OLG Revenue

Signature

Date

Parent Signature/Guardian

Date

