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BMHA Newsletter

December/January

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

This holiday season is unlike any other, to cap off a year unlike any other for Burnaby Minor Hockey Association. We want thank all of you for being patient with the ongoing changes throughout season and being understanding that we are all working to get our kids onto the ice safely. And, we want to thank all of the volunteers who have stepped up, above and beyond the "norm", and helped our kids to return to the game they love.

As we move into a new (and hopefully better) year for 2021, we wish you all the best for a safe, healthy and the happiest of holidays.



BMHA'S ANNUAL TOY & SPORT DRIVE - Sadly Cancelled

For the past several years, BMHA has worked with the [Burnaby Christmas Bureau](#) and held a Toy & Sport Drive to collect new toys, and new sports gear & equipment for local Burnaby children. Unfortunately, we had to make the decision to cancel the Toy & Sport Drive this year. While we may not be hosting our own event this year, there are still ways where you can still donate toys to the [Burnaby Christmas Bureau](#) so that kids in Burnaby have a Merry Christmas!



The poster features a blue background with white snowflake patterns and a network of white lines at the top. A circular logo for Burnaby Community Services is at the top center. The main text is in white and yellow, with 'TOY ROOM' in large, colorful, hand-drawn letters. Three circular icons illustrate donation methods: a hand holding a 'DONATE' button, a hand holding a smartphone, and a hand writing on a cheque.

**BURNABY CHRISTMAS BUREAU'S
TOY ROOM
NEEDS YOUR HELP**
to make this season a little merrier for those in need

WHY HELP?
Many Burnaby families and seniors have been heavily impacted by COVID-19 and are struggling with poverty and isolation.
Your donation helps to support those in need this holiday season.

WAYS TO DONATE

Donate Online:
www.bbyservices.ca/donate

Donate by Phone:
604-292-3905

Mail a Cheque made out to:
Burnaby Community Services
2055 Rosser Avenue
Burnaby, BC V5C 0H1

NEW TOY DONATIONS
Help fill the shelves of our Toy Room!
Bring a new, unwrapped toy or gift to **Brentwood Town Centre**.
We are at the Main Mall Level across from the Children's Play Area.
Drop off toys **Monday to Friday (10am - 4pm), Saturday (10am - 3pm) until December 18.**

NOTE: Client Registration has been extended!!!

*We are adhering to BC Ministry of Health COVID safety protocols during this challenging time *

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PAT QUINN CLASSIC - Virtual Food Drive & Bantam Scholarship!

Since we were unable to host the Pat Quinn Classic this year, the tournament wants to showcase our community support to for youth hockey and ensure local families have a joyous holiday season.

First, is the Virtual Food Drive - there are some incredible prizes including a Nintendo Switch and an autographed Canucks jersey! With a goal of raising \$2,500, for every \$10 donated you get one entry into the draw - ballots will be drawn and winners will be contacted on December 21, 2020. For more information & to donate – [click here](#).

Second, since we are not able to host a tournament this year, the eligibility criteria has been expanded so more players are able to apply. In previous years, you had to participate in the tournament to be eligible for the scholarships. The 2020 scholarships are open to any players registered to a BC-based Bantam Hockey team. That includes male and female Bantam teams from anywhere in BC. Applications close January 2, 2021. For more information – [click here](#).

BE A GOOD SPORT.
GIVE BACK TO THOSE IN NEED.
Visit patquinnclassic.com/giveback to learn more

We are raising funds for the Greater Vancouver Food Bank

Help support our fundraising efforts, and be entered to win a Nintendo Switch, signed Canuck's jersey, and more!



VANCOUVER CANUCK ALUMNI
SCHOLARSHIPS

Visit patquinnclassic.com/scholarships to learn more

Applications are now open for 3 x \$1000 scholarships

All BC Bantam (U15) players are eligible



TELUS COLORING CONTEST - Win a World Junior Souvenir!

TELUS, a sponsor of BMHA, is also the exclusive telecommunications provider to Hockey Canada! With the upcoming IIHF World Junior Championship running December 25 to January 5, we want to see your colouring skills! Colour the picture below, take a photo of your completed work of art with your name and what team you're on, and email it to bmhateluscontest@gmail.com by January 6, 2021. The winner chosen will be receiving a [IIHF World Junior Championship](#) goodie!



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CONGRATS - Volunteers/Players Award Winners & Graduating Midget Rings

This past Sunday, we were finally able to arrange a mini-presentation of awards to our annual BMHA Volunteer & Player Award Winners as well to as our Graduating Midget Ring recipients! Congratulations again everyone!



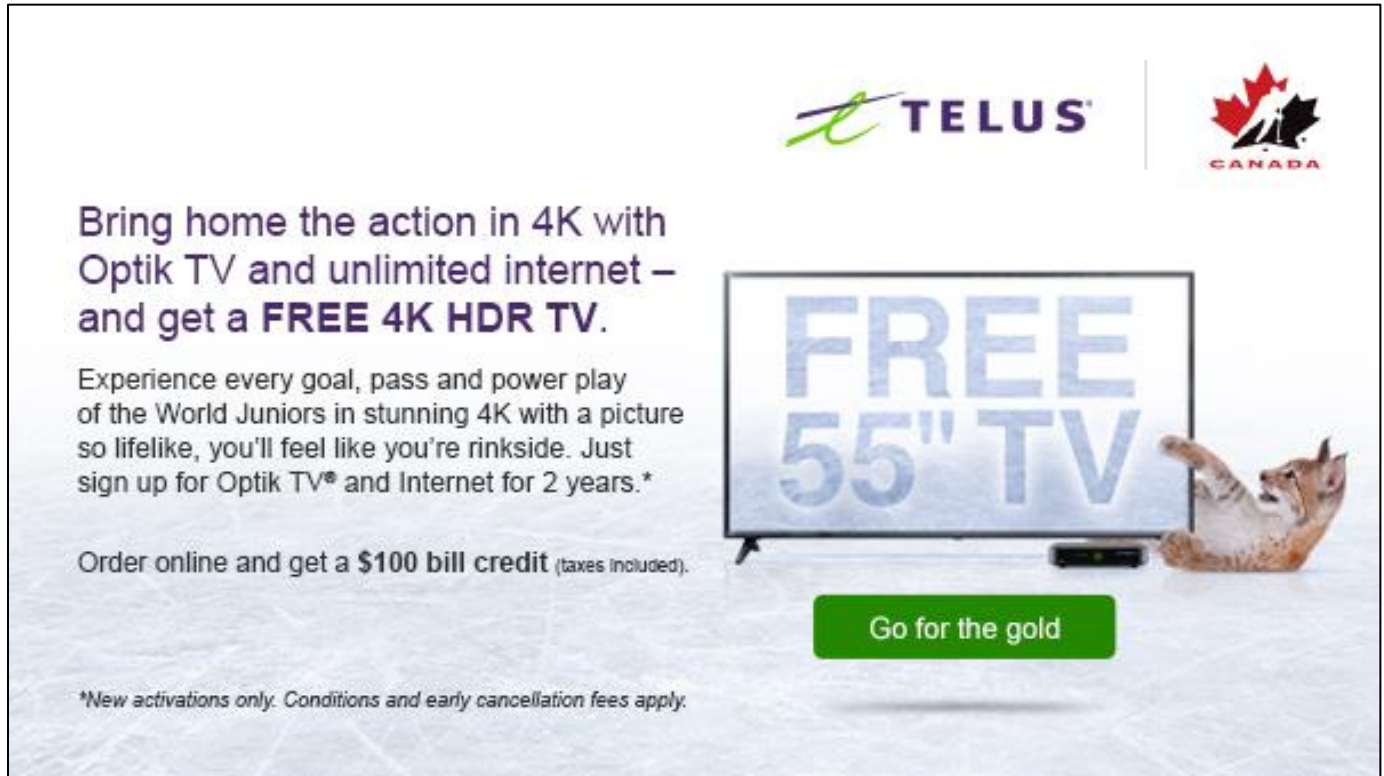
WINTER BREAK - Ice Closure

Just a reminder to everyone about our upcoming winter break:

- Last Day of Ice Before Winter Break - Sunday, December 20 for all rinks
- First Day of Ice After Winter Break - Saturday, January 2, 2021 for all rinks



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