

COMMISSION REPORT

TO: CHAIR AND MEMBERS
PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURE
COMMISSION

DATE: 2018 Nov 01

FROM: DIRECTOR - PARKS, RECREATION &
CULTURAL SERVICES

FILE: 01400-20

SUBJECT: BURNABY MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION FEE WAIVER REQUEST

PURPOSE: To provide support to the Burnaby Minor Hockey Association in the form of a fee waiver (excluding tax) for the use of Bill Copeland Sports Centre and Kensington Arena from 2018 December 28 – 31.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. **THAT** the Burnaby Minor Hockey Association (BMHA) be granted a fee waiver of \$11,733 for the use of Bill Copeland Sports Centre and Kensington Arena from 2018 December 28-31 to host the Pat Quinn Classic Hockey Tournament.
2. **THAT** a copy of this report be forwarded to Mr. Larry Hayes, Executive Administrator, Burnaby Minor Hockey Association.

REPORT**INTRODUCTION**

Appearing as correspondence is a letter from Mr. Larry Hayes, Executive Administrator of BMHA, requesting a fee waiver for arena rentals for their 56th Annual Burnaby Bantam and Peewee Christmas Tournament. The tournament was extensively rebranded in 2015 in partnership with Tourism Burnaby and is now called the Pat Quinn Classic.

A selection of teams from Western Canada, the United States, Asia, and Europe will compete in the tournament. New for 2018 there will also be a Female Peewee AAA Elite Division. The tournament will consist of approximately 60 games over four days to determine the gold, silver and bronze champions.

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It is anticipated that BMHA will receive \$5,000 in tournament proceeds plus fundraising from the event which helps offset the overall cost of the sport for all participants in the BMHA, but particularly for those families in the community who have financial challenges but wish to join in the organized sport. Dependent on sponsorship revenue during the tournament, it is anticipated the Pat Quinn Legacy Fund will receive \$10,000 from tournament proceeds in 2018. This fund grants scholarships to former hockey players to pursue education opportunities once their hockey career ends.

As in previous years, there is little use of the arenas by community groups during the Christmas season. Public skating experiences and specialized children's programs during this time will be offered at Kensington Arena.

The fee waiver request is for \$11,733. This fee includes the following ice rental costs:

Bill Copeland	28 hours prime time \$123.65 per hour	15.5 hours non-prime time \$81.87 per hour
Burnaby Lake/Kensington	49 hours prime time \$108.06 per hour	26 hours non-prime time \$65.64 per hour

POLICY SECTION

The Pat Quinn Classic is aligned with the City of Burnaby's Corporate Strategic Plan by supporting the following:

Goal

- A Connected Community
 - Partnership –
Work collaboratively with businesses, educational institutions, associations, other communities and governments
- An Inclusive Community
 - Create a sense of community –
Provide opportunities that encourage and welcome all community members and create a sense of belonging
- A Healthy Community
 - Healthy life –
Encourages opportunities for healthy living and well-being

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RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the request to waive fees for ice rental costs for the Pat Quinn Classic be approved.

The contents of this report be shared with Mr. Larry Hayes, Executive Administrator, Burnaby Minor Hockey Association.



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