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The Hockey Academy would like to thank all student-athletes and parents on an awesome two months to kick off the school year. The main source for information such as newsletters, schedules and upcoming events can be located on the Hockey Academy website at: www.stedmundhockey.com. The Hockey Academy is going into our second year using the social media outlet— *Twitter*. Parents can get instant messaging of important news and announcements straight to their smart phones. You can also see the conversation on the main page of the website. If you click on the *Twitter* icon on the left hand side of the main page of the website, you can read all of the twitter postings. Any further questions, can be forwarded to Academy staff via email or phone. All Academy staff email addresses can be found in this newsletter or on our website.



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Academy Website



PICK UP TIMES AND LOCATIONS

The two City of Edmonton arenas that will be the main two arenas for the school year will be Castle Downs Arena and Grand Trunk arena. Additional arenas that may be used due to ice availability include Clareview Arena, Knights of Columbus Arena, and Servus Center in St. Albert. Dismissal times for on-ice and off-ice days is 2:42 unless otherwise specified. The Academy schedule for on ice days is detailed at the bottom of this page. Each ice time is one hour and ten minutes of instruction with the students being able to get on ice at 1:25pm to work on their skills. Start times for ice sessions vary due to delays in loading time for equipment on the bus and traffic. There will be teacher supervision at the arena until 3:15pm. It is asked that all players be picked up as close to dismissal time as possible or by 3:00 at the latest. If this is unable to happen, car pooling with other families is a great alternative to share the driving. The lead teachers need to get back to the school to fulfill other responsibilities within the school, such as coaching school teams and lesson preparation. The Hockey Academy would like to thank all parents for their cooperation and support.



ON ICE DAY SCHEDULE

12:30 – Register at School [Attendance]
12:35 – Load the Equipment Van & students on bus
12:55 - Arrive at Arena
1:30 - 2:40 - On Ice session
2:42 -- Dismissal time from Arena / Pick-up
2:42pm—3:15pm—Teacher supervision @ ARENA

**Any questions, feel free
to contact Mr. Fiorillo
in the**

**STUDENTS MUST BE PICKED UP AT
THE RINK BY 3:00 PM.**

Teacher supervision at arena until 3:15pm

THANK YOU PARENTS FOR YOUR COOPERATION AND SUPPORT!

EMAIL ADDRESSES

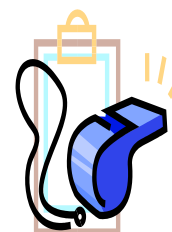
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HOCKEY ACADEMY STAFF

TEACHING STAFF AND ADMINISTRATION:

MR. FIORILLO - COACH: MIDGET AAA ST. ALBERT RAIDERS
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INSTRUCTOR STAFF:

SANDRO PISANI - COACH: MIDGET AAA ST. ALBERT RAIDERS
RAY PODLOSKI - ST. EDMUND & O'LEARY HOCKEY ACADEMIES
BLAINE RUSSELL - GOALTENDER COACH: PRINCE GEORGE COUGARS [WHL]
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MIKE FIORILLO - INSTRUCTOR - ST. EDMUND HOCKEY ACADEMY
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ALL STAFF BIOS CAN BE LOCATED ON THE WEBSITE UNDER THE "STAFF" TAB AT THE TOP OF THE HOMEPAGE



DRESS CODE—ON-ICE & OFF-ICE



Academy
Apparel

The Hockey Academy is driven by a passion to strive and achieve a standard of excellence in the education being delivered both on and off the ice. There is a strict dress code for the student-athletes for both on and off ice days. **STUDENTS MUST WEAR ACADEMY CLOTHING FOR ALL ACADEMY SESSIONS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED BY ACADEMY STAFF. STUDENTS ARE NOT REQUIRED TO WEAR THE APPAREL FOR THEIR MORNING CLASSES, JUST THE ACADEMY AFTERNOON SESSIONS.** The consequence for dress code violations for on-ice sessions equates to fifteen minutes off the ice. For off-ice days, the student-athlete will not be permitted to participate in any physical activity that afternoon.

**** Students will always be given time to change into their Academy clothing. When an activity is planned for the outdoors and the weather is cold, the students are not required to wear Academy clothes. The students would just need to worry about dressing for the weather.**

Email any
questions
about
apparel to
Mr. Fiorillo



ACADEMY APPAREL

The dress code of Academy apparel for the student-athletes during Hockey Academy activity is mandatory. This includes matching jersey and socks for on-ice days and shirt, shorts, and running shoes for off-ice days. Proper footwear includes running shoes.

(Absolutely No Skater Shoes!)

We hope that the students are proud and excited to wear our logo and name on various types of apparel. The purchase of extra apparel not already provided by the Academy is strictly voluntary and not mandatory. The apparel order form that was sent home has been submitted and ordered. The order items should arrive approximately by the third week of November. **You can also drop into the Hockey Academy office and ask Mr. Fiorillo what is in stock in the Hockey Academy for purchase or send me a quick email to set up a time to meet.**

ST. EDMUND HOCKEY ACADEMY HOCKEY BAG PROGRAM

Every **STUDENT-ATHLETE [except goaltenders]** in the Academy for the 2011-2012 school year is required to use a St. Edmund Hockey Academy equipment bag. This bags needs to be used for on-ice session days by each student-athlete within the program. Having no wheels on the bags quickens the loading process.

HOCKEY BAG POLICY:

Section 1.1 - Goaltenders are not included in the hockey bag program. Wheel bags are permitted for all of our goal-tenders, due to the size and weight of their equipment.

Section 1.2 - All new student-athletes are required to purchase a St. Edmund Hockey Bag when they enter the Academy. No student-athlete will be required to purchase a bag again until they require a new one. Cost of the bag is dependent of the pricing at that time.

Section 1.3 - Players are permitted to use their Club Team hockey Bag if there Hockey club has a bag program in place. No wheels are permitted on these bags to qualify for the exemption. [E.g. All Canadian Athletic Club players are required to use their club bag. This may be used for Academy]

Section 1.4 - Starting May 1 of each year, players may start to use their summer hockey team bag if they have them. No wheels are permitted on the bags for use during Academy activity.

PLAYERS OF THE MONTH



HONORS & MERIT LUNCH

CELEBRATING ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE



JUNIOR HIGH STUDENT-ATHLETES

AFTER THE FIRST AND SECOND TERM REPORT CARDS GET DISTRIBUTED, ALL OF THE HOCKEY ACADEMY STUDENT-ATHLETES THAT ACHIEVE HONORS OR MERIT DISTINCTION FROM THE SCHOOL ARE TAKEN OUT FOR LUNCH TO BOSTON PIZZA BY THE HOCKEY ACADEMY STAFF. TO ACHIEVE HONORS AT ST. EDMUND, A STUDENT MUST ACHIEVE AN AVERAGE OF 80% IN HIS/HER FOUR CORE SUBJECTS AND HAVE NO MARK LOWER THAN 65% IN OTHER SUBJECTS. IN JUNIOR HIGH, THE MERIT AWARD IS GIVEN TO STUDENTS WHO EXHIBIT AN EXTRA STRONG WORK ETHIC AND A POSITIVE ATTITUDE TOWARD LEARNING.

ELEMENTARY STUDENT-ATHLETES

IN ELEMENTARY, THE MERIT AWARD IS GIVEN TO STUDENTS WHO EXHIBIT ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE; CONTINUALLY DEMONSTRATE A POSITIVE ATTITUDE TOWARD LEARNING AND STRONG SCHOOL/ACADEMY CITIZENSHIP. STUDENT-ATHLETES THAT ACHIEVE MERIT STATUS FOR THE TERM WILL BE TAKEN OUT FOR LUNCH BY THE HOCKEY ACADEMY STAFF. HONORS LUNCHES WILL BE SCHEDULED AFTER TERM 1 AND TERM 2.

1. DEMONSTRATES A POSITIVE ATTITUDE AND IS A CONTRIBUTING MEMBER OF THE ST. EDMUND SCHOOL COMMUNITY AND IN THE HOCKEY ACADEMY BOTH ON AND OFF-ICE.
2. DEMONSTRATES A STRONG COMMITMENT TO THEIR ACADEMICS.
3. IN THE GROWTH AS A LEARNER SECTION OF THE REPORT CARD, EACH NOMINEE MUST HAVE NO FEWER THAN 9 “CONSISTENTLY” ON THEIR REPORT CARD AND 0 “RARELY” IN THE REPORT CARD FOR THE TERM.

QUOTE OF THE MONTH



POWER THOUGHTS

“WHATEVER YOUR SITUATION, WHATEVER YOU’RE ATTEMPTING TO DO, REMEMBER TO BREATHE EASY, FOCUS ON THE POSITIVE, AND EMPOWER YOURSELF WITH WINNING THOUGHTS. THINK “I AM...” “I CAN...” OR “I BELONG...” REMEMBER, YOU CREATE YOUR REALITY. YOU’RE THE BOSS AND YOU GET MORE OF WHAT YOU THINK ABOUT.”

DR. SAUL MILLER, *PERFORMING UNDER PRESSURE*