Midwest Amateur Hockey Association, Inc. Registration for 2019 – 2020 Season

MWAHA Membership Fees	Level 0	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
14 YOA as of July 31, 2019	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00
15 YOA and over	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00	\$40.00
Seminar Walk-Up Fee Surcharge For All Levels	\$60.00	\$60.00	\$60.00	\$60.00	\$60.00

The seminar registration fee will cover Affiliate, seminar and local association fees. The \$40.00 will be the Affiliate fee, the seminar fee will cover the cost of the seminar and the local association fee covers the dues for the local association.

Walk-up will be allowed this year however you will have to be screened before the last scheduled seminar to receive credit for attending that seminar. Your tests will be sent in with the last seminar so you will not be able to work any games until you are screened and complete.

All returning officials 18 years of age as of July 31 of the current season must complete the MWAHA Background Screening process prior to enrolling in a seminar. Rescreening is required by USA Hockey every 2 years.

You must be a registered member of BOTH the MWAHA <u>AND</u> USA Hockey to officiate games in the Midwest Affiliate.

REGISTRATION PROCESS

All steps numbered below must be completed before an applicant may Officiate USA Hockey games in Midwest Affiliate.

- 1. All officials <u>MUST</u> attend a Seminar sponsored by MWAHA per MWAHA directive. Contact MWAHA RIC TBD (State Supervisors, <u>IA</u>, <u>KS</u> or <u>NE</u>) with any questions.
- 2. You MUST attend an ENTIRE Seminar of the same level that you made application to complete your USA Hockey registration.
 - o You MUST pre-register for the MWAHA Seminar you plan to attend.
 - You must Register Online (payment by credit card). Checks will NOT be accepted.
- 3. If you were registered last year, you will receive either an email notice regarding online registration directly from USA Hockey. *Please do not call USA Hockey, as they will refer you back to us.*

- 4. To complete the USA Hockey application online go to https://membership.usahockey.com
- 5. You will receive a rulebook and instructions on taking the online open book rules exam from USA Hockey. Please complete this exam as soon as possible.
- 6. Place the 2019 2020 USA Hockey Official Crest (mailed from USA Hockey when your registration is complete and validated) on the left breast of your officiating sweater.

Key points to remember

- You must make separate payments to **BOTH** USA Hockey and MWAHA. CASH AND CHECKS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR MWAHA REGISTRATION.
- You MUST be completely registered with **BOTH** USA Hockey and MWAHA to officiate games in the Midwest Affiliate.
- Some Seminars have multiple locations. Your seminar confirmation sheet will indicate the specific location of your seminar. You must attend the **ENTIRE MWAHA** Seminar of the **SAME LEVEL** you made application to USA Hockey to receive attendance credit.
- If 18 YOA or older as of July 31 complete the MWAHA Background Screening process.
- If you do not understand any of this information or you would like more information, please contact the MWAHA at (State Supervisors, <u>IA</u>, <u>KS</u> or <u>NE</u>)