



**PUBLIC MEETING
2015 BUDGET
MINUTES**

Tuesday, January 20th, 2015

6:00 p.m.

Tay Valley Municipal Office – 217 Harper Road, Perth, Ontario
Council Chambers

ATTENDANCE:

Members Present: Chair, Reeve Keith Kerr
Deputy Reeve Brian Campbell
Councillor Jennifer Dickson
Councillor Mark Burnham
Councillor Fred Dobbie
Councillor RoxAnne Darling
Councillor Greg Hallam
Councillor Judy Farrell

Staff Present: Larry Donaldson, Chief Administrative Officer
Amanda Mabo, Clerk
Donna Cyr, Treasurer
Noelle Reeve, Planner

Public Present: 8 Members of the Public

1. CALL TO ORDER

The public meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. INTRODUCTION

The Chairman provided an overview of:

- the purpose of the public meeting
- the process of the public meeting

3. 2015 BUDGET – PUBLIC PRESENTATION

The Chief Administrative Officer overviewed the budget process to date; operating budget was discussed on January 6th and capital budget on January 13th.

The Treasurer provided an overview of the proposed budget.

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS

Larry Bowan

- would like an explanation of the overall amount in the corporate management of a 7.12% increase
- clarification on police services; 3.19% on levy but 27% in own section
- official plan is completed so why is there an amount in the budget?
- why did vehicles and equipment in the capital budget go up significantly?

Treasurer's Response

- under corporate management the cleaning contract will be going out for RFP (request for proposal) later this year; it is anticipated that there will be a cost increase to that contract
- police services – the increase over last year for the OPP contract was a 27% increase; that increase is only 3.19% on the total levy
- official plan – a set amount is put away each year into a reserve so that the Township does not have to increase taxes for a lump sum in the year the project is to be completed
- vehicles and equipment – the amount being brought from the reserves varies from year to year depending on the projects or equipment proposed but has no impact on the levy

Doug Burt

- why does it show in one section the amount for grants as a 100% decrease in one area and an increase in another area of the budget

Treasurer's Response

- funds were reallocated to a different line in the budget

Gordon Hill – *attached, page 5.*

- two main concerns are the long term debt and recreation fees
- long term debt – use cash investments to pay off the debt thereby saving on interest fees
- recreation fees – concerns regarding the amounts paid for the Township to run its own programs and maintain facilities and the second amount is the agreement with Perth
- take 10% off expenses overall

Larry Bowan

- disappointed that year over year budget goes up 4% every year; have not had increase in cost of living anywhere near that; why has council not looked at the entire budget and gone through every item with the intent of lowering the taxes

Suzanne Bowan

- what does the Council line include?
- what does the Corporate Management line include?

Treasurer's Response

- Council includes honorariums and benefits, internet, training and seminars, mileage, etc.
- Corporate Management includes legal fees, consulting, courier, phone, fax, advertising, training and seminars, office equipment, postage, salaries and wages, membership fees, books, bank fees, bad debt, tax write-offs, etc.

Wayne Church

- \$18 increase on a \$200,000 home; what is the percentage increase

Treasurer

- the percentage increase on the levy is 6.5%; the tax rate increase is a little over 2%

5. NEXT STEPS

Committee of the Whole Meeting – January 20th, 2015

Council Meeting – January 27th, 2015

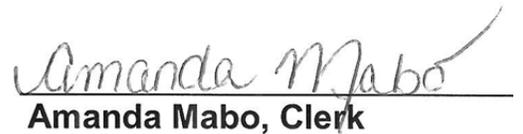
Notice of Passing – January 28th, 2015

6. ADJOURNMENT

The public meeting adjourned at 6:55 p.m.



Keith Kerr, Reeve



Amanda Mabo, Clerk

PUBLIC COMMENTS AND QUESTIONS

2015 Budget Comment
From Gordon Hill
Given at Committee of the Whole "Public meeting
Held at 6:00 p.m. on 20 January 2015

Once again, Council seems to have the impression that TVT taxpayers are an endless source of revenue. Since 2004, TVT taxes will have increased \$2,716,700 to \$4,767,665 (assuming the 2015 budget is passed as presented tonight), an increase of \$2,050,995. That represents an increase of 75.5% over 11 years or an average annual increase of 6.9%.

By contrast:

- (a) During the similar period, the Consumer Price Index-Ontario All-items on the 2002 base ("the CPI index") has increased from 104.3 as at December 31, 2004 to 123.0 as at December 31, 2103, an increase of 18.7 points in 9 years.

[\[http://www.statcan.gc.ca/tables-tableaux/sum-som/l01/cst01/econ150a-eng.htm\]](http://www.statcan.gc.ca/tables-tableaux/sum-som/l01/cst01/econ150a-eng.htm)

That represents an increase of 15.8% over the period, or an average annual increase of 1.9%. Over the period, TVT's annual average tax increases have exceeded the increases in the CPI Index by 3.63 times.

- (b) During the period December 31, 2006, to 31 December 2014, the TSX Composite Index rose from approximately 12,500 to 14,289, an increase of approximately 1,800.

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That represents an increase of 14.38% over 8 years or an average annual increase of 1.8%. Over the period, TVT's annual average percentage tax increases have exceeded the average annual percentage increase in the TSX Index by 3.83 time times.

- (c) At December 31, 2005, five year 2005 GIC rates stood at about 2.8%. Today, five year rates are about 1% less than that. TD Canada Trust and CIBC now offer 5 year GICs at 1.75%.

[\[http://www.financialpost.com/personal-finance/rates/gic-annual.html\]](http://www.financialpost.com/personal-finance/rates/gic-annual.html)

CSB's now pay 1.4% on 3 year bonds.

[\[http://www.financialpost.com/personal-finance/rates/gic-annual.html\]](http://www.financialpost.com/personal-finance/rates/gic-annual.html)

- (d) In last Sundays edition of the CBS TV news magazine program "Meet the Press", Robert Gibbs, who served as Press Secretary in the Obama administration, stated (in the context of the portion of President Obama's State of the Union Address at 9:00 p.m., this evening relating to job creation) that wages rates in the US have remained unchanged for 15 years. While I don't have the Canadian information, I can't believe that it is significantly different.

In light of the Eastern Ontario's economic history over the past 10 years, a tax increase of 6.9% or even 6.54% cannot be justified - unless Council is satisfied that TVT taxpayers have unlimited deep pockets. Doesn't Council have a moral obligation to keep taxes affordable? How can they be said to be affordable if, over the better part of a ten year period, taxes have

increased 3.5 to 4 times more than revenue sources which are available to taxpayers? Is it a case of "Whatever government says it needs, it takes."?

Given the increase in OPP cost, over which, it would appear, TVT has no control, why doesn't Council do a hatchet job on the rest of the budget to keep tax increase in line with the economic indicators referred to above.

All Budgets have fat which can be cut. Government budgets (at all levels) have more fat than most. TVT's practice of starting the budget process by taking the prior year's budget and making adjustments for assumed increased costs and new initiatives, necessarily assumes that all of the previous year's budget was fully, properly and necessarily used. As a general rule, budgets allocation are fully used because department heads fear that if they are not fully used in a particular year, next year's budget may (will likely) be reduced. But the last 5% to 15% of any year's budget allocations are not necessarily spent wisely. They may be spent for the primary purpose of protecting next year's budget allocation. Accepting the prior year's budget as a starting point for this year's budget without examining each item to determine whether it was reasonably and properly spent is the easy way, but it is a poor budget strategy if the goal is to minimize waste. In the municipal tax context, that strategy is detrimental to taxpayer interests.

A reduction in proposed tax expenditures of \$29,000 (from \$4,767,655 to \$4,738,655) is pathetic. It represents a reduction of only .61% of the originally proposed budget. If you approve this budget, those of you who promised the voters that they would work diligently to spend tax dollars wisely will, in my view, have reneged on your promises. What TVT really needs is a significant reduction in expenditures.

So, where is the fat?

1 Long term Debt

TVT's long term debt (approximately \$1 million) bears interest at 4.5% per annum. Cash and investments on hand (in the vicinity of \$5 Million) earn approximately 1.4% per annum. The interest rate differential is approximately 3% per annum. On debt of \$1 million, that interest differential costs TVT taxpayers approximately \$30,000 per year. If TVT borrowed that \$1 million from its reserves, rather than from one of the "Big Banks", Council could have saved taxpayers approximately \$30,000 per year. Most of that \$1 million debt was incurred in 2009 or 2010 when additions/renovation to the office premises were undertaken. If that is the case, then TVT has already used close to \$150,000 of taxpayers money to pay interest on debt that it did not have to pay.

I brought up this issue in budget meeting 2 years ago. Yet Council still persists in approving the payment of that \$30,000 interest differential.

Where will interest rates be 2 years from now? 5 years from now? None of you are prepared to say.

TVT now holds cash and investments which are considerably greater than the amount of the long term debt. When will that money be spent? When might TVT have to borrow again for capital projects, if it borrowed \$1 million from its reserves? What will interest rates be at that time?

If you don't know, why are you paying \$30,000 a year to hedge against interest rates? Such a hedge is nothing more than speculation on interest rates – using taxpayers' money.

2 Recreation Fees

There are two main components to TVT's recreation expenses:

- (a) Amounts paid by TVT to run its own Rec programs and maintain its own facilities; and
- (b) Amounts paid by TVT to the Town of Perth toward the cost of maintaining its recreational facilities and operating its rec programs

(a) TVT Rec Programs

Based upon 2012 user stats provided by Joanne Gallagher and 2013 budget costs, the 2011 census information, the Deputy Reeve's assertion (at a meeting of the Committee of the Whole a few weeks ago) that 40% of TVT's population in summer months was composed of seasonal residents, the figures demonstrate that

- (i) Only 6.63% of TVT's permanent residents, which equates to 3.86 % of TVT's total summer population made use of TVT's recreational facilities; and
- (ii) The cost of the programs (\$34,000, which included almost \$10,000 for administration) and the maintenance of the rec facilities (\$66,000) net of user fees and hall rental receipts (\$27,000) were budgeted to cost the taxpayer \$73,700 in 2013.
- (iii) That cost represents a subsidy of \$205.87 to each user. Yet less than 7% of TVT's permanent residents and less than 4% of its total residents make use of those facilities in any particular year.

(b) Contribution to Perth Rec facilities

In 2015, TVT will contribute \$186,800 to the cost of maintaining 3 rec facilities owned by the town of Perth (Conlon Farms, the Skating Arena and the Swimming Pool).

User stats

The only "user statistics" that I am aware for the three Perth facilities relate to the year 2013. The 2013 statistics indicate that 825 TVT residents (approximately 14.8 % of the permanent TVT population or 8.9% of the total summer population) used the Perth facilities. The number 825 does not include 1023 drops-in to the pool. If a similar number (i.e. 825) use the Perth facilities in 2015, TVT will subsidize those users to the extent of \$226.40 each.

Statistics also indicate that the value of the benefit received by TVT residents in 2013 resulting from reduced user fees was only about \$90,000, less than half of what TVT will contribute to Perth in 2014.

2014 on-line registration forms for Little League Baseball, Perth Minor Hockey, Perth United Soccer Club (the three largest user groups excluding swimming pool use) make no mention of additional fees for residents of non-contribution municipalities. Why is that? Do those organizations collect additional fees from residents of non-contributing municipalities? If the answer is yes, what is the evidence of that? [PDF copies of the Application/Registration are attached].

The 2014 application form for Perth Girls Hockey Association (“PGHA”) indicates that “players that live outside the ‘contributing townships’ pay a non-contributing user fee’, therefore any player not residing in the Town of Perth, Tay valley, Drummond North Elmsley, **Lanark Highlands and the Town of Smiths Falls** will be subject to this on top of their registration fee”. [A PDF copy of the PGHA 2014-2015 Registration Form is attached.] TVT’s Recreation Agreement with the Town of Perth makes it clear that only three municipalities (Perth, Tay Valley and Drummond/North Elmsley) contribute to the cost of the three facilities and that they are the only “contributing municipalities”. Does Perth have side agreements with Lanark Highlands and Smiths Falls? If so, Perth has misrepresented its recreation revenues to TVT? If it does not have side agreements, is the PGHA collecting the proper amount of user fees from residents of Lanark Highlands and Smiths Falls? If they are collecting the correct fees, what is the evidence of that and why are Lanark Highlands and Smiths Falls mentioned as apparent contribution municipalities? Why hasn’t Council done its homework on these issues? Why is it up to me to bring these apparent inconsistencies to Council’s attention?

The Swimming Pool has published a list of user fees for various activities and age groups. The list indicates that residents of non-contribution municipalities pay fees which are between 25% and 33% higher than those paid by residents of the three contributing municipalities.

I used TVT pool this week. It was my first visit to the Pool. I was asked about my residence. I replied that I lived in TVT and I received the reduce rate. I was not asked for any evidence of residence (e.g. driver’s licence, tax bill). If no evidence of residence is required, how can TVT be confident that residents of non-contributing municipalities are telling the truth about their municipality of residence and paying their “fair” share?

How can we ensure that Perth collects meaningful user statistics?

For starters, we should ensure that all sports associations (which use the Perth Rec facilities for their programs):

- (a) indicate on their application/registration forms that additional fees are payable by residents of non-contributing municipalities (and someone should be assigned to review those forms to ensure compliance); and
- (b) collect the additional fees.

Perth could issue Rec Cards to residents of the contributing municipalities. Each resident who wished to use any one or more of three Rec facilities and pay the preferred user fee rate would have to apply for a Rec Card and provide relevant information (name address, municipality, age, gender, etc.). A card might be valid for 5 years and renewed if the card holder continued to reside in a contributing municipality. Each time a person completed a registration form, he or she would have to produce a Rec card to receive the preferred user fee rate. The Card Number would be inserted in the registration form and a copy of the registration form would be given to the Town of Perth. A One-off user (public skating, swimming pools, etc.) would have to produce his or her Rec Card in order to receive the preferred rates. No card? The you pay the non-contributing user rate. These cards could be scanned when presented. Rec Cards would be similar to the Perth Library cards or the tokens issued and scanned by Tay River Reflections to monitor use of its gym facilities.

Presentation by Gordon Hill to Meeting of Council of Tay Valley Township
20 January 2015 at 6:00 pm.
Re: 2015 Budget

Year	Tax Statistics				CPI - Ontario All Items 2002 = 100		TSX index as at 31 Dec		
	Total Tax requirement	increase from prior year	Growth in tax base from prior year	% tax increase	CPI - ONT	CPI - % increase	Index Value	Annual increase/ decrease	% annual increase/ decrease
2003					102.0				
2004	2,716,700				104.3				
2005	2,902,000	185,300	N/A	6.80%	106.5	2.1%			
2006	3,073,000	171,000	30,000	4.90%	108.6	2.0%	12,500		
2007	3,279,000	206,000	46,000	5.20%	110.8	2.0%	13,000	500	4.00%
2008	3,437,000	158,000	33,000	3.80%	113.3	2.3%	8,200	- 4,800	-36.92%
2009	3,659,000	222,000	13,000	6.10%	113.7	0.4%	12,000	3,800	46.34%
2010	3,790,000	131,000	25,000	2.90%	116.5	2.5%	13,400	1,400	11.67%
2011	4,006,000	216,000	38,000	4.70%	120.1	3.1%	13,500	100	0.75%
2012	4,237,000	231,000	30,833	5.00%	121.8	1.4%	12,000	- 1,500	-11.11%
2013	4,379,000	142,000	19,000	2.90%	123.0	1.0%	13,622	1,622	13.51%
2014	4,447,700	68,700	31,000	0.86%			14,298	676	4.97%
2015	4,767,655	319,955	22,900	6.68%					
Totals		2,050,955	288,733	43.16%	18.7	16.7%		1,798	33.20%

Average yearly increase	256,369	28,873.33						
% increase				75.5%		15.8%		14.38%
Average annual % increase (simple)				9.4%		1.8%		1.80%
Average annual % increase (compounded)				3.9%		1.9%		

Notes

- 1 Total Tax requirement info taken from TVT Budget Summaries as posted on the TVT Website
- 2 Growth in tax base info taken from TVT Budget Summaries as posted on the TVT Website
- 3 Growth in tax base for 2005 and 2011 not provided by TVT budget info
- 4 Growth in tax base for 2011 estimated at the average growth for the preceding 6 years.
- 5 % tax increase info taken from TVT Budget Summaries as posted on the TVT Website
- 6 % tax increase for 2012 calculated: $(= 231,000 - 30,833) / 4,006,000 \times 100$
- 7 CPI information for 2003 to 2012 obtained from Statistics Canada Website
<http://www40.statcan.gc.ca/l01/cst01/econ150a-eng.htm>
- 8 CPI information for 2006 assumes equal annual increases from 2002 to 2006
- 9 TSX values are Dec 31 values for years indicate. Info taken from Yahoo Finance Website
<http://ca.finance.yahoo.com/echarts?s=%5EGSPTSE#symbol=%5EGSPTSE;range=20041231,20120313;compare=;indicator=volume;charttype=area;crosshair=on;ohlcvvalues=0;logscale=off;>

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10	TSX value mid afternoon 13 March 2012	14,302.28
10	TD GIC - 5 years - http://www.financialpost.com/personal-finance/rates/gic-annual.html	2.00
11	CIBC GIC http://www.financialpost.com/personal-finance/rates/gic-annual.html	1.75
12	CSB - 3 year [http://www.csb.gc.ca/about/rates/]	1.40

Recreation Statistics - based upon 2012 User Stats and 2013 Budgeted costs
 2012 User Stats provided by emails dated January 14 and 17 , 2013 from Joanne Gallagher

Rec programs	cost	No Users	program cost per user
Admin	9,600		
Baseball	2,500	35	71.43
soccer	2,500	135	18.52
hockey	13,000	92	141.30
Karate	1,500	62	24.19
Tennis	400	-	#DIV/0!
Choir	4,500	34	132.35
	<u>34,000</u>	<u>358</u>	
Rec Facilities - maintenance	<u>66,700</u>		
Total cost	<u>100,700</u>		
Rec Revenues & Hall rental	27,000		
Net Cost	<u>73,700</u>		
Net cost per user	<u>205.87</u>		
TVT Population (fulltime residents) [Info from 2011 census]	5,571		
TVT summer residents (approx 40% of total population - per Deputy Reeve Cambell	<u>3,714</u>		
Total Population	9,285		
% of fulltime residents benefited by rec progams		6.43	
% of Total residents benefited by rec progams		3.86	

Value of User Fee Benefits to TVT Residents

Calculation of Assumed Benefit

Pool Fees 2015

	Contributing	Non-Contributing	Difference	% Reduction
family	15.00	21.00	6.00	28.6
adult	4.50	6.30	1.80	28.6
senior	3.60	5.25	1.65	31.4
student	3.50	5.00	1.50	30.0
child	2.66	4.00	1.34	33.5
1 Year	450.00	570.90	120.90	21.2
adult	272.00	363.20	91.20	25.1
6 months	260.00	345.00	85.00	24.6
Average				30.4

Fee Benefits to TVT residents from Rec Agreement

2013 statistics	contributing	non-contributing	additional non-contributing	Benefit to all TVT residents (in \$)	Notes
Soccer	84	138.33	72.00	6,048.00	1
Little league	41	60.00	25.00	1,025.00	1
Adult baseball	56	100.00	40.00	2,240.00	1
Tennis	19	95.00	78.00	1,482.00	2
Figure skating	29	450.00	158.45	4,595.05	2
Girls hockey			170.00	-	1
Perth Lanark minor Hockey	80	435.00	165.00	13,200.00	1
Sportsmen's Hockey league	11			-	
Geritol Hockey League		285.00	400.00	-	1
Stingrays	10			-	
regd users	495	450.00	120.90	59,845.50	3
drop- Ins	1023	4.50	1.80	1,841.40	4
TVT Totals	1848			90,276.95	

Notes

- 1 Assumed benefit = 30% of Fees paid by Non-Contributing User
- 2 Actual benefit per application form
- 3 Assumes that all regd users paid 1 year fees
- 4 assumes that all drop in paid full adult rate

PERTH & DISTRICT LITTLE LEAGUE

PLAYER INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)	
LAST NAME:	FIRST NAME:
HOME ADDRESS:	POSTAL CODE:
HOME PHONE:	TOWN/TOWNSHIP:
DATE OF BIRTH (YY/MM/DD) / /	E-MAIL ADDRESS:
CHECK ONE	DIVISION
	BLAST BALL (3-4 years old)
	T-BALL (5-6 years old)
	ROOKIE (7-8 years old)
	MINOR (9-10 years old)
	MAJOR (11-12 years old)
	JUNIOR (13-14 years old)
	SENIOR (15-16 years old)
	LATE FEE (registration after April 5th)
<p><i>CODE OF CONDUCT:</i> By signing this document I have read and agree that I and members of my family all agree to abide by the PDLL code of conduct as a condition of participation in the PDLL program.</p> <p><i>WAIVER OF LIABILITY:</i> 2. I/We know that participation in baseball or softball may result in serious injuries and protective equipment does not prevent all injuries to players, and do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless the local Little League, Little League Baseball, Incorporated, the organizers, sponsors, supervisors, participants, and persons transporting my/our child to and from activities from any claim arising out of any injury to my/our child whether the result of negligence or for any other cause.</p>	
PARENT OR GUARDIAN INFORMATION	
LAST NAME:	FIRST NAME:
HOME ADDRESS: (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE)	PHONE # (IF DIFFERENT THEN ABOVE)
SIGNATURE:	DATE SIGNED:
VOLUNTEERING WITH PERTH & DISTRICT LITTLE LEAGUE	
<p>Perth & District Little League can only function at the current fee level with the generous support of the volunteers who give their time to help their children in</p>	

our community.

I would like to volunteer as a:

COACH ASSISTANT COACH UMPIRE
CONVENOR PDLL EXECUTIVE

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- HOME
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- REFUNDS
- FINANCIAL AID

REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION FOR 2014-2015 SEASON

Please ensure you read the following information and should you need clarification contact Christine Thomas (plmha_registrar@gmail.com)

****For those players with outstanding accounts from the 2013-2014 season please note that registration for the 2014-2015 season cannot and will not be considered until ALL OUTSTANDING FEES HAVE BEEN PAID IN FULL****

Returning Members
If your child is a returning PLMHA player, you are responsible for completing the online registration. This **MUST** be done to begin your registration process. Please do not come to a walk in clinic if the online registration is not done. Please click on [RETURNING PLAYERS - ONLINE REGISTRATION](#) located in the menu on the left side of the page

New Members
You must attend a walk in clinic. Please click on [NEW MEMBERS REGISTRATION](#) located in the menu on the left side of the page.




Canadian Minor Hockey Associations



CONTEST

Payment

There are 3 payment options available this year:

1. Cash - you will be required to attend one of the walk in registrations which will be listed on the website at a later date. If you are paying in cash installments, you will be required to complete a *Committed Payment Schedule* which will date for future payments. Should you deviate from the schedule, your child will not be permitted on the ice until payment is received.
2. Cheque -post dated cheques are accepted provided that the payment requirements are met as indicated below; cheques may be mailed with the registration form(s) to the PLMHA Registrar. Please note that there will be an NSF fee charged for each cheque returned by the bank and should 2 cheques be returned, PLMHA reserves the right to remove your child(ren) from further play until full payment is received.
3. Credit Card - please note that there will be an additional \$15 fee that will be added to the registration to offset credit card handling fees charged to the Association. This is not an optional fee and you will be prompted to add this to your online registration.

Registration/Payment Requirements

Your child is **not registered** until the registration form is completed and submitted with appropriate payment.






- Deposits will be made on the 1st and 15th of each month.
- If registration is not paid in full by **October 1st** your child(ren) will be removed and not permitted back on the ice until full payment is received.
- For those wishing to pay in cash installments, you will be required to complete a "Committed Payment Schedule" which will detail dates of future payments. Should cash installments deviate from this schedule, your child will not be permitted on the ice until payment is received.

Financial Assistance
If you require financial assistance, click [HERE](#) for a list of organizations that might be able to help. It will be the parent's responsibility to make the arrangements with the appropriate organization.

Walk-In Registration Dates:
 Thursday May 29th @ Conlon Farm 6:30-8:00pm
 Thursday June 26th @ Conlon Farm 6:00-8:00pm
 Thursday August 21st @ Conlon Farm 6:30-8:00pm

Click [HERE](#) to access 2014-15 Registration Form.

Registrations and Cheques can also be mailed to:

PLMHA c/o Christine Thomas
1647 Drummond Conc. 5B RR#6
Perth, Ontario
K7H 3C8

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- A minimum of 75% of each player's registration (which also includes fundraising) must be paid, on or before September 1st in order for them to be permitted to go on the ice. (i.e. if a player is of novice age, their registration is \$415 plus \$150 fundraising totals \$565, therefore 75% of the total \$565 is due which is \$423.75 - For those paying by cheque, it is NOT necessary to write a separate cheque for fundraising, this can be put on the same cheque as the registration.) The remaining 25% is due on or before October 1st. Your registration is not complete until all registration forms and cheques are received - partial payments will not be accepted.
- Any persons not registered by June 30th, 2013 could be placed on a waiting list.
- A 15% (fifteen percent) discount off the basic fees only is offered to families of 3 or more registered children.
- Please note that there will be an NSF fee of \$15 charged for each cheque returned by the bank and should 2 cheques be returned, PLMHA reserves the right to remove your child(ren) from further play until full payment is received.
- Rep Tryout fees (Atom through Midget) are \$25.00 and are to be paid at the first tryout. Players will **not** be allowed on the ice until tryout fee is paid. The fee is \$25.00 regardless of how many tryouts ice times are attended. **Players must be registered with the association prior to tryouts.** Tryout times will be posted on the website.

Fundraising Fees: The raffle tickets are \$150 with prize payouts indicated on the tickets. We encourage parents to put their child's name on the ticket as the "Seller" because if one of their tickets is drawn, the player will receive \$25. For those that choose to mail their registration in or pay by credit card, unless you attend a walk in registration to collect your raffle tickets, you will not receive them until your child's first ice time in September. They will not be mailed to you.

Age Eligibility & Basic Registration Fees

Players register in one of the following divisions based on their age as of December 31, 2013. All **new** players to PLMHA must provide proof of age (birth certificate, baptismal certificate or passport) and proof of residency. Contact the Registrar for further details if necessary.

Rates for the 2014-2015 Season

Division	Year of birth	Registration fees
Initiation	2008, 2009, 2010	\$330
Novice	2006, 2007	\$415
Atom	2004, 2005	\$415
PeeWee	2002, 2003	\$435
Bantam	2000, 2001	\$470
Midget	1997, 1998, 1999	\$530
Juvenile	1994, 1995, 1996	\$375

Competitive Hockey (Titans and Silver Seven)

All players must be registered in the home association before registering for tryouts at higher competitive level (Titans & Silver Seven). Separate tryout fees are charged by those clubs and home association registration is verified. No transfer forms are required for PLMHA players trying out for these teams. Please note: All fees are to be paid in full to the home association. Funds will then be forwarded to Titans and Silver Seven from the home association.

Transfers to Other Associations

Any player requesting a transfer to another association must be registered in the home association before any transfer can be considered.



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PERTH LANARK MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION –APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

PLAYER INFORMATION – PLEASE PRINT

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	GENDER M F
STREET ADDRESS	CITY	POSTAL CODE
BIRTH DATE (mm/dd/yyyy)	PROOF OF RESIDENCY AND CITIZENSHIP	

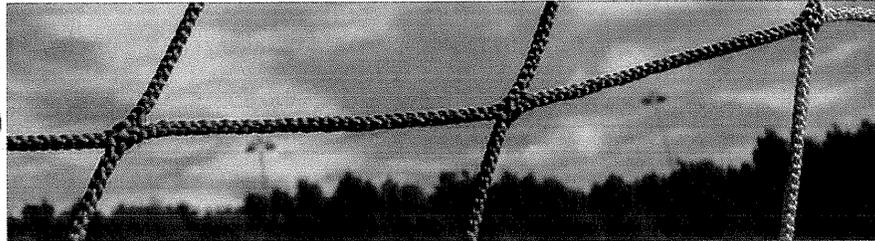
PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION – PLEASE PRINT

FATHER'S NAME				INITIAL
PHONE NUMBER (HOME)	PHONE NUMBER (WORK)	PHONE NUMBER (CELL)	EMAIL ADDRESS	
MOTHER'S NAME				INITIAL
PHONE NUMBER (HOME)	PHONE NUMBER (WORK)	PHONE NUMBER (CELL)	EMAIL ADDRESS	
SIGNATURE AND WAIVER: We hereby acknowledge the authority of Hockey Canada, OTTAWA DISTRICT HOCKEY ASSOCIATION, and PERTH/LANARK MINOR HOCKEY, and agree to carry out and abide by the Constitution, Bylaws, Rules, Guidelines and Regulations of those Associations.				
RELEASE: In consideration of this application to play under the auspices of PERTH/LANARK MINOR HOCKEY, I hereby for myself, heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, remise, release and forever discharge Hockey Canada, OTTAWA DISTRICT HOCKEY ASSOCIATION, and PERTH/LANARK MINOR HOCKEY its officers, or anyone acting on their behalf from any manner of litigation, damage, claims, or demands.				
EQUIPMENT: We, at the end of each season, agree to return all equipment provided by PERTH/LANARK MINOR HOCKEY in good condition and should we fail to do so we agree to reimburse the PERTH/LANARK MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION for the replacement of same.				
SIGNATURE (FATHER)			DATE	
SIGNATURE (MOTHER)			DATE	

REGISTRATION FEES:

Basic Registration - _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Mandatory Fundraising (Raffle tickets/family)	\$125	\$125
Mandatory 67's tickets (per family)	\$50	\$50
Family Discount – (3 or more children) – 15% of Basic	-\$ _____	-\$ _____
Late Fee (if registering after June 30 th) (\$50)		
Total Fee Paid		\$ _____
Cash	Cheque(s)	Money Order

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2014 Perth Soccer Teams, Fees and Registration Dates

Perth United Soccer Club hosts and participates in a variety of leagues and levels of play for children, youth and adults.

If you reside in the Perth area, or are staying in the Perth vicinity for the soccer season, we invite you to participate on one of our many teams.

League Name	Type Of League	Age Ranges	Perth Teams for 2014	Games Played In	Cost to Play (2014)
PUSC House League	Recreational	4-10 Girls & Boys	U5 Mixed U7 Girls U7 Boys U10 Girls U10 Boys	Perth at Conlon Farm U5 players play once a week (on Tues. OR Thurs.) from 6-7pm at Conlon Farm U7 & U10 players play two nights a week (on Tues. and Thurs.) from 6-7pm at Conlon Farm	U5 \$75 (before Apr. 1) U5 \$85 (after Apr. 1) U7&up \$125 (by Apr. 1) U7&up \$135 (after Apr. 1)
Perth teams participating in Lanark country youth soccer (The Goulbourn-Lanark Soccer League (GLSL))	Recreational	8-18 Boys 11-18 Girls	U8 Boys U10 Boys U12 Girls U12 Boys U15 Girls U15 Boys U18 Girls U18 Boys	Perth, Almonte, Carleton Place, (Beckwith), Smiths Falls, West Carleton	\$155
East Region Soccer League	Competitive	11-14	U12 Girls	Eastern	\$185

(ERSL) *in 2013 this was the EODSA league)		Girls 10-13 Boys	U13 Girls U14 Girls U10 Boys U11 Boys U12 Boys U13 Boys	Ontario	+ Uniform Cost
Ottawa Carleton Soccer League (OSCL)		16+	1. Perth Hydras (Women's 16+, Rec Division 1) 2. Perth Rocs (Men 16+, Rec Division 1) 3. Perth Saints (Men 35+ Oldtimers Division 2) 4. Perth Ospreys (Men 35+ Oldtimers Division 7)	Perth and Ottawa Area	1. \$185 2. \$185 3. \$185 4. \$185
Lanark County Cup	Recreational	16+		TBA	TBA

*The GLSL league may change their team age categories, depending on registrations. The GLSL Board will make a decision on this shortly.

The cost to play covers expenses. We are a non-profit Club, run by volunteers, and fees charged cover our costs, such as renting fields and paying for referees, equipment and insurance.

PERTH & DISTRICT LITTLE LEAGUE

Registration

2014 Registration

Perth and District Little League welcomes players from Lanark, Perth, Smiths Falls, Westport, and surrounding townships!

Perth and District Little League invites all baseball players for the upcoming 2014 season. We are looking for baseball players ages 3 and up. Come learn the fast paced game of baseball. Try our pitching machine at practise, while playing on the beautiful well maintained facilities of the park. We offer house league, with the opportunity to try out for the Royals Competitive League.

Registration fees for the 2014 season are:

- Blastball (3-4 years old) = \$30.00 (Monday evenings)
- 'T' Ball (5-6 years old) = \$40.00 (Monday and Wednesday evenings)
- Rookie (7-8 years old) = \$40.00 (Tuesday and Thursday evenings)
- Minor (9-10 years old) = \$80.00 (Tuesday and Thursday evenings)
- Major (11-12 years old) = \$80.00 (Monday and Wednesday evenings)
- Juniors (13-14 years old) = \$90.00
- Senior (15-16 years old) = \$100.00

Registration for the 2014 season will happen on:

- Saturday March 22nd from 10am-2pm (Perth Rink)
- Wednesday March 26th from 6pm-8pm (Perth Rink)
- Saturday March 29th from 10am-2pm (Perth Rink)
- Wednesday April 2nd from 6pm-8pm (Perth Rink)
- Saturday April 5th from 10am-2pm (Perth Rink)

Registration form:

You can download the 2014 [Registration Form here](#) and have it filled out prior to arriving at the arena for quicker processing.

Registration after April 5th 2014, will be subject to a \$10.00 fee.

NOTE: No refunds will be given after Friday June 6th, 2014.

For more information please email info@perthlittleleague.ca

2 Responses to *Registration*



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**PERTH GIRLS HOCKEY ASSOCIATION
2014-2015 PLAYER REGISTRATION FORM**

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PLAYER INFORMATION

_____		_____	
First Name		Last Name	
_____		_____	
Street Address / RR#	City or Town	Province	Postal Code
_____		_____	
Township		Phone Number	
_____		_____	
Date of Birth (Day, Month, Year)		Email Address	
_____		_____	
Parent /Guardian		Address if different from Player	
_____		_____	

Association Last Registered With: _____ Year: _____

***Player Release form is required if registered with a different association in the previous year.**

***Copy of Birth Certificate is required for all new PGHA Members.**

Player Position: _____ Interested in playing Goalie: _____

Is Player interested in trying out for a competitive Team? _____ (Additional fees may apply)

I, the undersigned and/or co-signed certify the above information to be true and in consideration of the granting of this certificate to me with the privileges incident thereto, and by signing this certificate I have become subject to the rules, regulations and decisions of Hockey Canada, it's Board of Directors, its Branches and/or divisions which may be restrictive in some areas such as movement from team to team, conduct etc. and I agree to abide by such rules, regulations and decisions of Hockey Canada, it's Board of Director's, it's Branches and or divisions. Further, the information requested above is required by Hockey Canada to facilitated hockey programs on behalf of the registrant and Hockey Canada and the Perth Girls Hockey Association. Hockey Canada and the Perth Girls Hockey Association will treat this personal information with the utmost respect and in accordance with the Hockey Canada Privacy Policy at all times.

Parent /Guardian Signature _____ Players Signature _____
(If player is under 18 years of age)

Consent given to use player photos on PGHA website: yes no

Age Level for 2014-2015
Fundamentals: 08/09/10/11
Novice 2006/2007
Atom 2004/2005
Peewee 2002/2003
Bantam 2000/2001
Midget 1997/1998/1999
Intermediate 1993/94/95/96
Senior 1992+

Deposits will be made on the 15th of each month and registrations must be paid in full by September 15th. Players that do not have their registration paid by September 15th will not be permitted on the ice.

****Registrations handed in on or before April 30th 2014 will receive a \$25.00 discount. The discount ONLY applies if full payments are handed in on that day (including post dated cheques).**

If you do not provide full payment then the discount does not apply.**

Families with 3 or more children registered in the PGHA will receive a 15% discount – this discount only applies to registration fees and not fundraising.

Below is a list of divisions and a breakdown of their registration fees:

Level/Division	Registration Fee handed in on April 30 th 2014	Registration Fee from May 1 st – June 30 th 2014	Registration Fee July 1 st or after
Fundamental	\$300.00	\$325.00	\$375.00
Novice	\$415.00	\$440.00	\$490.00
Atom	\$415.00	\$440.00	\$490.00
Peewee	\$415.00	\$440.00	\$490.00
Bantam	\$505.00	\$530.00	\$580.00
Midget	\$505.00	\$530.00	\$580.00
Midget AA	N/A	\$700.00	N/A
Senior	N/A	\$520.00	N/A

***The Town of Perth requires all players that live outside the 'contributing townships' pay a 'non contributing user fee', therefore any player not residing in the Town of Perth, Tay Valley, Drummond North Elmsley, Lanark Highlands and the Town of Smiths Falls will be subject to this on top of their registration fee ***

****There will be NO refunds issued after December 31st 2014****

In addition to the above registration fees, each family will be required to take part in the PGHA fundraising. The cost of fundraising will be \$100/family and you will be given a book of raffle tickets. Each ticket is worth \$5 and whatever tickets you sell, you keep the money. **A SEPARATE CHEQUE is required for the fundraising and MUST be paid on or before September 15th.**

PLEASE FILL IN APPROPRIATE PAYMENT:

Registration Paid By: Cash Cheques Other: _____

If paid by cheque, payments are as follows:

Cheque # _____ Dated: _____

Cheque # _____ Dated: _____ (fundraising)

PGHA USE ONLY: Raffle Tickets: # _____ to # _____