

CIHA Members,

My name is Brad Boughton and I am seeking a position on the CIHA Board.

Over the past 3 years, I was given the opportunity to serve on the Board as the ACE Coordinator and additionally the Vice President this past year. During the past few years, I feel our association has made progress providing affordable, competitive hockey to our youth players. We have worked together with the City of Cambridge to build and utilize the outdoor rink complex to supplement our ice touches due to a shortage of indoor ice. We have also had the opportunity to acquire a treadmill for additional off ice training. The treadmill and staff/coach training will be fully operational for the upcoming 2019-2020 season. I am proud to have been a part of these 2 significant additions that will be a benefit for our players for years to come.

A little about me, I am a Pipefitter by trade, but I spend more time at the rink than I do at my day job! I am currently a level 4 certified coach and this past year had the opportunity to become a referee alongside my oldest son, Ethan. I feel hockey should be hard work but also FUN!!! Hockey is a great way to teach kids about teamwork, work ethic and many so many life skills can be learned by perseverance doing something they love.

This upcoming season, my wife and I will have all 4 of our sons playing, a Bantam, Peewee, and 2 at the Mite level. Having kids at a variety of levels has provided me the opportunity to experience hockey throughout. I feel this has been extremely beneficial in seeing the big picture to work toward projects and decisions that will affect all of our players, not just those at one particular level.

Thank you for your consideration.

Brad Boughton