

Good morning,

Thank you for completing an Expression of Interest for the Oceania 2022 squads. Please find attached information regarding training camps, times and costs.

### **Player Selection**

Development squads will be put together for the respective grades and development camps have been arranged over the next few months. Squads will train together during this time and all players will learn the systems and strategies the coaches wish to implement. These camps will include fitness testing, on rink and off rink components where it is expected that players are competent and at the necessary level.

Development squad numbers will be capped and in the event players do not meet or are not meeting the required fitness or capability levels expected, they may not be invited to any subsequent development or team training camps.

These camps are not intended to be for basic skills development sessions, or for those who feel they want to get extra practice or experience.

The Board and the organising committee will liaise with clubs during this process regarding any issues that may arise in relation to that club's player(s). The Organising committee will confirm with clubs their support for players if there is any concern around the player's EOI.

The intention is that around December 2021, coaches will select final teams and that specific team camps will be held in the months leading up to April 2022 (possibly 3). The teams (and non-travelling reserves) will be selected from squads on form and will be subject to change up until the event commences. No one is guaranteed a spot on any team.

### **Training Camp Timetable:**

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1EHgqZ5NF7bulz2IkKtfq\\_sNO0ApUvDebJ2IsOrXPhy0/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1EHgqZ5NF7bulz2IkKtfq_sNO0ApUvDebJ2IsOrXPhy0/edit?usp=sharing)

All training camps will be held in Hamilton.

### **Camp Costs:**

- Each of the 2 camps listed will be at a cost of \$20.
- All players attending camps must have paid their \$250 deposit by Friday 27 August to be eligible to attend the camp.
- Account Number - 12 3152 0082141 00 - players name and grade as a reference

### **Senior Men/ Senior Women**

With the world still being in turmoil with regard to Covid, we are still looking at the prospect of participating at the next World Roller Games in Argentina in 2022. This is yet to be confirmed, however, hopefully closer to the end of the year we will have a clearer idea of what the international environment will look like.

On the possibility that we commit to WRG, we will be sending our Senior Men and Senior Women teams to WRG and not Oceanias. We will liaise and further update clubs as we know more, however for the interim, we will be planning to send these teams as a part of our Oceania campaign.

### **Financing**

We expect that all players sign and commit to the player contract prior to the first camp along with the required deposit of \$250. Payments will then be made on a regular basis each month with all payments made by December 2021.

- There is a requirement and expectation that **all** development squad members are paying the required amounts for this trip. Those development squad members who are not successful in making final NZ teams (or non-travelling reserves) will be refunded in full their deposits less any non-refundable amount as advised. Non-travelling reserves will also be refunded in full (less any non-refundable amount) if they do not depart for the event. Non refundable amounts may include but are not limited to any uniform purchases etc.
- All international events planned will be through IHNZ and will be arranged through a group booking system. All players, coaches, managers or support team will be required to travel through this system. This is to ensure players have nothing to worry about anything other than playing inline hockey for New Zealand.
- The Board and/ or organising committee will maintain contact with clubs regarding any issues regarding a player's financing and would expect support from the respective club to assist in addressing any concerns.

Finally, IHNZ are in discussions with ILHA regarding contingency plans for this event in the case of another Covid outbreak, this includes a rescheduling of the event from April 2022 to July 2022 as well as a potential venue change from New South Wales.

We will keep you all informed as more details come to hand. IHNZ envisages a go/no go date to be in February 2022.

We look forward to your support of a successful event and getting back into the international game!

Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "IWood". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Ivan Wood

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Oceania Inline Hockey 2022