

MKJIHC (MK Storm) Training Bench Policy

Introduction

The aim of this policy is to provide club members with a guide on who is allowed to be on the bench area during club training. This is to ensure that everyone knows who should be in the bench area and keep club members safe.

Policy

The following people are allowed to be on and manage the bench during club training:

- Team managers (fully registered and up to date with EIHA)
- Assistant managers (fully registered and up to date with EIHA)
- Club officials (fully registered and up to date with EIHA in a position that allows bench access)
- Coaches (fully registered and up to date with EIHA)
- Planet Ice staff
- Guest coaches and demonstrators

While on the bench persons must be aware of on ice activities and watch out for stray pucks that may enter the bench area. While on the bench all EIHA guidance/regulations must be followed.

While on the bench persons must ensure no one enters the bench area unless in full hockey protective equipment and is currently training or is about to start a training session. No one must cross the bench at any time for access to parts of the rink.

Responsibilities on the bench may include but are not limited to, helping with fit of protective equipment, lace tying, first aid, giving emotional support, discipline, etc.