

## **REPRESENTATIVE SELECTION GUIDELINES**

### **Selection and Trials**

There are three selectors appointed for each team. Selectors will be watching club fixtures and attending the trials.

### **Selection Criteria for TBHA Representative Teams U11 to Opens**

1. Attendance – expectation is that a player will attend 75% of trials (individual cases where a marquee player who is away for higher representation duties, or is dual registered or is out injured, or has played for Tweed Representative Teams in the past, thus presenting travel restrictions, can meet criteria based on selector's approval.)
2. Fitness for some teams, a 5 lap run test will be conducted during the selection process and during the lead up to the State Championships.
3. Skill base.
4. Game sense.
5. Maturity.
6. Age.

*All TBHA players are eligible for State selection. If you choose not to be eligible, you need to register on the Hockey Qld website under 2015 Tournament Forms **Form 2 - Notice of Ineligibility for State Selection***

1. Players must be registered with TBHA club and have played up to 5 games with them from the start of the season.
2. At the start of the season the representative calendar be released with an estimate of cost for parents. The HQ calendar can be checked at any time.
3. At the start of the season players complete an expression of interest form that they wish to be considered for selection.
4. Each club nominates a member to be part of a selection committee.
5. Each Clubs nominee to receive a copy of the list of juniors who have put in their expression of interest to be selected. So that they can watch those kids play over several weeks to make an informed decision.
6. Selection committee liaise with coaches to make final selection.
7. All announcements to the Children should be 100% finalised before the kids are told. To avoid unnecessary disappointment.
8. Any child with financial hardships should not be excluded. They can should be able to apply at the start of the season for monetary assistance from TBHA.