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Ironwood Lumberjacks Junior A Hockey Club, CJHL – Equipment Manager

The Ironwood Lumberjacks Junior A Hockey Club, has an opening for Head Equipment Managers position. The Ironwood Lumberjacks, located in Ironwood, MI, are a USA Hockey Tier II junior A team playing in the Superior International Junior Hockey League (SIJHL) of the Canadian Junior Hockey League (CJHL).

Equipment Manager

The Ironwood Lumberjacks are seeking a highly motivated, organized, and team-oriented individual to serve as Equipment Manager for the upcoming season.

This position plays a critical role in the daily operations of a Jr. A hockey team and is ideal for someone who is passionate about hockey, thrives in a fast-paced environment, and takes pride in maintaining a professional standard of excellence.

Position Overview:

The Equipment Manager is responsible for overseeing all aspects of team equipment operations, ensuring players and staff have the resources necessary to perform at their highest level. The successful candidate will work closely with the coaching staff, players, and hockey operations personnel while maintaining a professional, organized, and positive environment.

Primary Responsibilities:

General equipment management. • Manage all team equipment, inventory, maintenance, and repairs. • Prepare and maintain player and goaltender equipment throughout the season. • Ensure dressing rooms, equipment areas, and storage spaces are organized and professional. • Coordinate skate sharpening and equipment repairs as needed. • Maintain accurate inventory records.

Team Operations:

Set up and break down locker rooms for practices and games. • Prepare benches, locker rooms, and game day equipment. • Assist coaching staff with practice and game-day needs. • Coordinate laundry services and ensure all team apparel and equipment are cleaned and prepared. • Manage team travel equipment and ensure timely transportation of gear.

Logistics & Administration:

Work with hockey operations staff regarding equipment purchases and vendor relationships. • Track equipment usage and replacement schedules. • Assist with team events, community appearances, and organizational initiatives as needed. • Ensure compliance with league and organizational standards.

Qualifications:

Previous hockey equipment management experience preferred. • Strong knowledge of hockey equipment and maintenance procedures. • Experience sharpening skates preferred. • Excellent organizational and time-management skills. • Ability to work long hours, including evenings, weekends, and holidays during the hockey season. • Strong communication skills and ability to work within a team environment. • Ability to lift and transport equipment and travel with the team when required. • Valid driver's license.

Desired Characteristics:

Professionalism and attention to detail. • Strong work ethic and reliability. • Positive attitude and willingness to perform all tasks necessary to support team success. • Ability to multitask and perform under pressure. • Passion for player support and team culture.

Compensation:

Compensation will be commensurate with experience. • Team apparel and travel accommodations provided during team travel. • Opportunity to work in a high-level hockey setting.

To Apply:

Interested candidates should submit: • Cover Letter • Resume • Three Professional References Applications should be emailed to Doug Lein Dlein@IronwoodLumberjacks.com with the subject line: "Equipment Manager Application – [Applicant Name]" Join an organization committed to excellence on and off the ice and help support the Ironwood Lumberjacks in pursuit of success throughout the upcoming season and beyond.