

Dear North River Minor Hockey Parents,

## Are you tired of hockey fees that are always rising?

In past years, we have asked you to participate in many fundraisers for our hockey association - money that directly benefits each and every one of our children. But this year we discovered **FUNDSCRIP**, a new way to earn money for our association AND there is an added bonus with this program...you can earn money for yourself that will go towards your future hockey fees.

While most of our fundraisers ask you to take out your checkbook or buy things you don't really want or need...**Fundscrip costs you nothing!**

Picture this: You make your usual visit to the grocery store. You fill your cart and go to the check out. Instead of paying with cash or a debit card, you use a gift card that you purchased through our association. It costs you nothing extra but you just earned money for yourself our association.

### Do you shop at any of these stores?

Sobey's	Petro Canada	Chapters	The Bay	Kelsey's	Laura Secord
Loblaws Group	ESSO	Shoppers	Zellers	Montana's	Blockbusters
Superstores	UltraMar	Staples	Sears	Swiss Chalet	Cadillac Fairview
Price Chopper	Canadian Tire	Mark's Warehouse	Winners	Harvey's	Red Lobster
Loeb	Home Hardware	Sport Mart	La Senza	Starbuck's	Olive Garden
Longo's	Rona /Reno-Depot	Gap	Roots	Second Cup	Jack Astors
Metro	Home Outfitters	Old Navy	The Body Shop	The Keg	Alice Fazolli
M & M	Cinema Odeon	Banana Republic	HMV	Pizza Pizza	Sir Corp

### OR More – check it out online!

### How does Fundscrip work?

All you have to do is buy gift cards and gift certificates from Fundscrip for the stores where you already shop. It couldn't be easier because you are earning money on things you are already going to buy.

The gift certificates come in two forms, paper and plastic. When using the traditional paper certificate as payment for an amount less than the face value, the retailer will provide you with change or will provide you with a store credit. Each time you use the plastic card, the value of the purchase is automatically deducted from the value stored on the card. Any remaining balance can be used for future purchases.

### Tell me more about how I can reduce my hockey fees!

**30%** the money each family raises through Fundscrip will be helping the North River Minor Hockey Association and Communities 13 Inc to help offset the need for future fee increases and provide for rink projects that benefit minor hockey. **The other 70%** will be available to you for minor hockey registration fees...that's right the money comes right off your registration. We had families for 2009-10 that received over \$300 off their minor hockey registrations.

An average family will earn about **\$400 in FREE MONEY** using this program. That would mean you could have \$280 credited towards your hockey fees. And remember, **it doesn't cost you anything extra!**

#### **How to get started**

- Go to [www.fundscrip.com](http://www.fundscrip.com) to see more details on the program
- Create your fundscrip account
- Start raising money towards your registration

#### **Method of Payment**

- You can pay for your purchases by Electronic Funds Transfer (**EFT**)
- EFT is the easiest way to pay for your order each week via your computer.
- Fundscrip submits a debit to your bank account and then your financial institution transfers the money electronically.
- It is also very secure as your banking information is never stored online.
- You will receive a confirmation by email when your account is activated.

**To be able to pay by EFT, you must fill out form available online and fax to Fundscrip**

#### **How to order**

- Go to [www.fundscrip.com](http://www.fundscrip.com) & click on 'Login' at the bottom of the screen
- Enter your email address and password
- Click on "Place Your Order"
- Place your order and click "Next"
- NRMHA will be ordering every two weeks and weekly starting the middle of November
- Your order must be in before 10:15 am local time on Thursday (of your delivery week) for delivery of gift cards on Tuesday evening at the Canteen at the APM Center (except weeks with Holidays). Orders can be picked up Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and weekdays at the APM Center.

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