

My name is Scott Rogers and I am excited to be coaching the Silver U18 AA team this 2023-2024 season. I'm grateful for the opportunity and on behalf of the Silver Seven Association, I would like to welcome all players to this year's tryouts. I would also like to take this opportunity to introduce myself and give you an overview of my coaching philosophy and my expectations for the year. I started playing hockey at a young age and fell in love with the sport immediately. I'm a very studious and fair coach that preaches hard work and discipline, and all players will be expected to work together to have a successful season. I have been involved in minor hockey since 2009 in many capacities including Head coach at the competitive level for 5 years and competitive director for 3 years. I am passionate about hockey and love coaching and mentoring players. My main focus this year will be developing strong tactical skills and positional play. I will work with the players to increase their understanding of the game and improve their ability to make key game decisions. Many of the drills that will be ran in practice will revolve around game simulations. I want the rink to be a place that players love going to, where they have fun, develop confidence, work hard, and build lasting friendships. Positive reinforcement will always be used both on and off the ice and the players selected the year will be expected to bring a strong work ethic and positive attitude to the team. Games and practices are mandatory, but we will certainly be flexible around school and family commitments. We are working to have majority of practices on the same nights to help planning school activities and homework. We will be participating in 3 tournaments this season with 1, possibly 2 being out of town. Tournament location and dates to be announced at a later date. I want to wish all players the best of luck during the tryouts and I look forward to seeing everyone at the rink. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at srogers@silversevenhockey.com

Looking forward to seeing everyone at tryouts!

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