



Information Package

Divisions U9 & U15 Étienne-Desmarteau Center

We are pleased to welcome you to the 11th edition of the Caroline Ouellette Girls Hockey Celebration from December 18 to 21, 2025.

Thank you for taking the time to share this document with all members of your team including your coaches, staff members, players and parents.



OUR MISSION

The Caroline Ouellette Girls Hockey Celebration is a non-profit organization. All proceeds from the Celebration are reinvested in development of players, coaches and officials in women's hockey through our Player to Coach, Introduction to Officiating programs , CCM Get in the Game and U7 Festival . We offer unique components such as on-ice development sessions for goaltenders, the Étoiles Alumni Game and the U13-AAA All-Star Game. We are proud to fully fund the participation of the Étoiles du Québec team taking part in the Quebec Women's Hockey Tournament in the U15-AAA division.



YOUR COMPETITION SITE IS THE ÉTIENNE-DESMARTEAU CENTER

The tournament for the **U9 and U15 division** takes place at the Étienne-Desmarteau Center located at 3430 Bellechasse street, Montreal, Quebec, H1X 2Y6.

The U12, U13 and U15 finals, as well as the U13-AAA All-Star Game, will be played at the Bell Centre.

These Celebration finals will take place at the Bell Centre thanks to a partnership with the Montreal Canadiens. All activities held at the Bell Centre are open to the public. Therefore, all teams, families and friends are welcome to attend the final games at the Bell Centre with your tournament pass or a daily Celebration ticket.

For the U9 level, three divisions have been created: 4 U9 A teams (CCM DIVISION), 8 U9 B teams (BFL CANADA DIVISION), and 12 U9 C teams (TIM HORTONS DIVISION). In accordance with Hockey Québec's administrative rules (article 9.2.6), each team will play a total of 4 games between December 18 and 21.

This format ensures that all teams play, participate, and enjoy a positive experience full of fun and excitement.

For your knowledge, the U12 and U13 Divisions are in action at the DDO Civic Center located at 12001 Salaberry Blvd, Dollard-Des Ormeaux, QC H9B 2A7.



CELEBRATION SCHEDULE

The link below leads you to the full schedule of games and special events. All relevant information about the Girls Hockey Celebration, including game/overtime/shootout rules as well as the letter for school arrangements, can be found on our website at the following link:

[PLAYER INFORMATION PACKAGES | Caroline Ouellette GIRLS HOCKEY CELEBRATION](#)



RESULTS

During the competition, game results will be posted by clicking on the [Publication Sports](#) website.



RULES AND REGULATIONS

All tournament rules are available by clicking on the link [here](#)

Be sure to read this information before the tournament. And to share it with all members of your team. We please ask that you are comfortable with the procedures of the games in preliminary and elimination rounds.



ENTRANCE & PARKING

When you arrive at the rink, you will see an entrance for players, coaches, officials and staff. A second separate entrance will be identified for parents, family members and spectators.

IMPORTANT - PARKING

Welcome to Montreal where parking is always a challenge in municipal rinks. We encourage you to carpool or allow extra time to find a parking spot. The parking lot is located at CEGEP Rosemont in front of the rink but space is limited during the week.

We have negotiated a procedure on Thursday that will allow the gate to be open from 3:00 PM until the end of the day. This procedure will be the same on Friday for all Celebration activities. On Saturday and Sunday, free parking will be available at EMICA-Annexe School and Collège Jean-Eudes. See details below.

Important to consult the instructions for Parking by day:

Thursday, December 18: Gate opens starting at 1:00 PM. Limited parking spaces; the gate will remain open for the day until 11:45 PM.

Friday, December 19: Gate opens for the entire day. Limited parking spaces; the barriers will remain open for the day until 11:45 PM.

Saturday and Sunday, December 20-21: Free parking is available at the EMICA-Annex school located just on the other side of Centre Étienne-Desmarteau, accessible via De Bellechasse Street. Parking at Collège Jean-Eudes at the corner of Rosemont Street and 13th Avenue will be available on December 20 and 21st.

EMICA-Annexe School parking Collège Jean-Eudes Parking



At Rosemont College. There will be 140 free parking spaces available. Your participants must (without exception):

1. Go to the parking lot and pick up a ticket
2. Validate the ticket inside the Etienne Desmarteau Center to make the ticket free. Otherwise, the user will have to pay for parking
3. We have the right to 140 parking spaces, the 141st will be payable.

There are also neighbouring streets to park on, but please be aware of municipal rules. We are not responsible for the consequences of not respecting the parking rules. Please note that Bellechasse Street is one-way westbound.



TEAM REGISTRATION

Team registration will take place in the Rosemont room, located in the area between the two rinks. You must check in before every game to verify your game sheet and confirm your jersey color. Teams must bring their game sheets from their last five games or as many games played to date if less than five.

Please arrive no later than 75 minutes before your first game. Players must have their water bottles. Warm-up pucks will be provided by the Celebration.



INDIVIDUAL PLAYER REGISTRATION

Individual player registration will take place in the Rosemont room, located between the two ice rinks. You will be given all the information needed for your 1st game. Please arrive no later than 75 minutes before your 1st game. Coaches will hand out your jersey & socks before the 1st game. Coaches must visit the registrar before each game to confirm the presence of their players and to sign the game sheet to finalize their roster. For the following games, coaches have the responsibility to communicate with their players and families the meeting points and schedule. Players must have their water bottle. Warm-up pucks are provided by the Celebration.



PLAYER OF THE GAME & POST-GAME PROTOCOL

We ask coaches to communicate the number and full name of the player of the game to the scorekeeper about 3 minutes before the end of the 3rd period. At the end of the game, we ask teams to greet each other while keeping their gloves on to avoid any additional contact. Afterward, we ask both teams to quickly line up at their respective blue lines. The presentation of the players of the game will take place.



TICKETS & TOURNAMENT PASSES

Admission is free for players, coaches and staff (up to 5 people) of teams participating in the Celebration. Spectators have the option of purchasing a tournament pass available at admission for \$20 or a day pass for \$8. For those 65 and older, the day pass is \$6 and the tournament pass is \$15.

Those who purchase a tournament pass will receive a bracelet that they must wear for the entire Celebration to access the competition venues without having to present their proof of purchase again. We accept cash only at the entrance. It will also be possible to purchase your ticket via our Zeffy platform at any time upon your arrival at the arena.

Children 12 years and under will be able to enjoy the Celebration for free. All Celebration activities including the on-ice sessions, the Etoiles Alumni game and the U13-AAA All-Star game are included in the cost of admission. Here is the link to purchase Celebration passes. Passes can also be purchased on site with cash.

[Girl Hockey Celebration Tickets & Tournament Pass](#)



We strongly suggest purchasing tickets through the box office before the Celebration. This will help you avoid waiting in long lines. Scan this QR Code towards the ticket options.



SPECIAL EVENTS

Our special events include the Alumini Game and the 3-on-3 Challenge. We conclude the Celebration with the U13-AAA All-Star game to select the Étoile du Québec team that will participate in the Quebec Women's Tournament in the U15-AAA division. Goaltenders will participate in an on-ice development session with Olympian Kim St-Pierre. The M7 Festival and the hockey initiation session called *CCM Get in the Game*, for girls who wish to start playing hockey, are also returning.

Follow us on Facebook or Instagram to find out the schedule of our autograph and photos sessions with our special guests.



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PRO SHOP

The Pro Shop will be open during the Celebration and will offer skate sharpening services and will sell certain hockey related products.



ACTION PHOTOS AT THE GIRLS HOCKEY CELEBRATION

This year, photos in action will be available individually following the event. Most games will be photographed, depending on the availability of our photographers. Packages for purchasing photos of a full game will also be available.

For individual purchases, photos will be added to an online gallery following the event at a price of \$13 each. A 13% discount will be offered on the purchase of 13 or more pictures.

A package to purchase all the photos taken of your team will be available after the event for \$250. Information will be provided along with the link to the images.

The photo gallery will be sent to you on January 6.

If you have any questions, you can contact us at photographcelebration@gmail.com.



SOUVENIR ITEMS AND APPAREL

Many Celebration souvenir items will be available for purchase at our boutiques at the Étienne-Desmarteau Center and at the DDO Civic Center including clothes, hats, baseball caps, mini-sticks and pictures. Please note that we accept credit cards, debit cards and cash. Thank you for bringing a bag to leave with your gifts.

Etienne-Desmarteau Center Boutique Opening Hours:

Thursday : 14h00-20h00

Friday: 8h30-20h00

Saturday : 8h30-20h00

Sunday : 8h00-12h00



SILENT AUCTION

See all the items available at our online auction by clicking [here](#)

Bid online in the Celebration silent auction for unique souvenirs of your favorite hockey stars: Caroline Ouellette, Marie-Philip Poulin, Ann-Renée Desbiens, Erin Ambrose, Laura Stacey and many others.

The items will be on display at the Étienne Desmarteau arena and at the DDO Civic Center in the souvenir shop. Items purchased must be paid for and picked up at the DDO store on Sunday December 21 before 2:00 p.m.

Silent Auction Starts: December 18 at 12:00 p.m.

End: December 20 at 8:00p.m.*

*If an item receives a bid in the last 3 minutes of the auction, an additional 3 minutes will be added for bidding. The process repeats until no bets are received in the last 3 minutes of betting for that item or if the bet has been extended for 30 minutes following the original closing time.

Here are some examples of articles that could be available:

- Marie-Philip Poulin's signed PWHL Montreal La Victoire Jersey.
- PWHL Montreal La Victoire team signed jersey.
- Team Canada signed jersey.
- Team Canada signed merchandise.
- Signed Sticks.
- PWHL Montreal La Victoire Tickets



U15 FINALS AT THE BELL CENTRE ON DECEMBER 21

Activities at the Bell Centre are open to the general public. Doors will open at 8:00am on December 21st. A day pass must be purchased online for admission and tournament passes will be valid at the Bell Centre.

Admission for players and coaches will be free with the bracelet that will be given to players and coaches at their first game.

Entrance from outside the Bell Centre: 1909, avenue des Canadiens-de-Montréal, Montréal, QC, H3C 5L2

Entrance for players, coaches and spectators via the Bell Centre parking lot: 1225 St-Antoine Street West, Montreal, Quebec, H3C 1B4.

Cost of parking: 20\$ Click here for a map of the Bell Centre: [Bell Centre - Getting here](#)

Be prepared! No skate sharpening service will be offered at the Bell Centre.

Guided Tour of the Bell Centre

Here is the schedule to register for a guided tour of the Bell Centre. The tour includes the Montreal Canadiens locker room. Duration: approximately 1 hour. All information can be found here:

Registrations: [Billets pour Visites Guidées Centre Bell - Bell Centre MONTREAL, QC | Ticketmaster](#)



For any complementary information, contact us at [Info Célébration Caroline Ouellette](#) or visit : <http://celebrationcarolineouellette.ca>

Thank you! We look forward to seeing you!

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