

# DIVERSITY IN HOCKEY PROGRAM



### **REDEFINING SPORT**

The Hockey Hall of Fame Diversity in Hockey Program utilizes these four **Principles of Diversity – allyship, embracing change, equity, and respect** – to teach and empower youth from a sports and social perspective.

Presented by the Hockey Hall of Fame's lead on diversity, Kevin Yearwood, sessions will spotlight the stories of ground-breakers, today's leaders, and issues challenging inclusiveness in hockey. Each presentation is tailorable to your region, demographic and/or requested focus and is augmented through captivating photographs, videos, artifacts and first-person accounts.



BREAKING DOWN BARRIERS



**BUILDING ALLIANCES** 



**CREATING LEADERS** 

## CURRICULUM FOCI:

#### **Ethnicity in Hockey**

focuses on the plight of visible minorities as well as newer immigrant cultures.

#### **Marginalized People**

in Top Levels of Pro Hockey looks at pioneers who opened doors and paved the way for hockey players of different ethnicity, gender or sexual orientation.

#### **Women in Hockey**

pays tribute to the players and teams who helped popularize the female game.

#### **Accessible Hockey**

delves into the variations of hockey played by those with physical disabilities, including hearing impaired hockey associations and electric wheelchair hockey.







#### CREATING SPACE FOR ALL TO PLAY

Hockey is a powerful communication tool that elicits conversation and can evoke positive change. As part of its mandate, the Hockey Hall of Fame is entrusted to represent all facets of the game as well as educate and inspire its audience. The lessons learned through history are profound. As are today's storylines. Combining the past with present-day headlines will provide an ideal platform for today's youth to examine, understand and champion diversity.

#### **OVERVIEW**

## Offered at two student levels

Intermediate (Grades 7-8) and Senior (Grades 9-12)

## Live 40-minute sessions

Delivered on virtual platform Zoom or Google Meets

## Pre-and post-session

"Diversity
Education
Packages"
available

#### **Pricina**

> One Session: \$300 > Half-Day Series (up to 3 sessions): \$600 > Full-Day Series (up to 6 sessions): \$900

## For more information or to make a booking, please contact Kevin Yearwood at 416-360-7735 x297 or kyearwood@hhof.com

#### **DID YOU KNOW?**

- The slap shot was invented in 1906 by Halifax Eurekas captain Eddie Martin, a black man.
- Asian-Canadian Larry Kwong broke the NHL's colour barrier in 1948 with the New York Rangers.
- Canada's 2022 Olympic women's hockey team had more publicly out LGBTQ+ athletes on their roster than any other country had in total for all sports at those Winter Games.