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The PJHL Welcomes the Streetsville Derbys as Newest Franchise

Cambridge, ON – The Provincial Junior Hockey League (PJHL) has announced that the Streetsville Derbys will become the newest member of the PJHL starting in the 2024/2025 season. The Derbys will be the 63rd team under the PJHL umbrella and will join the Bloomfield division in the South conference this coming season.

Majority owner Adrienne Fekete, along with General Manager Jeff Duggan and BOD Todd J Smith, spoke on her and her team's excitement to join the PJHL family.

"We are extremely honored to reintroduce the iconic hockey team, the Streetsville Derbys" says the majority owner of the newest PJHL franchise. "With deep roots in the community spanning generations, they are set to reignite the excitement of hockey in the village."

The Derbys' name has its history in Streetsville, starting in 1967 as part of the Suburban Jr. C league. Most recently, the Streetsville Derbys were part of the Ontario Junior Hockey League from 1993 to 2011, until they merged into the Coburg Cougars. Fekete and her team voiced their excitement to bring back the Derbys name to the Streetsville Community.

“This season marks the return of the Derbys, promising an outstanding junior hockey experience for Streetsville fans. The team will proudly call the renowned Vic Johnston Community Centre their home arena, where the legendary Derby Den legacy first took flight. Stay tuned for a daily dose of thrilling events, innovative initiatives, and interactive updates from the hockey club on our social media platforms.”



With the introduction of the 63 franchise, PJHL Commissioner Terry Whiteside looks forward to increasing the level of competition across all divisions, and providing more opportunity for incoming players.

“The PJHL welcomes Streetsville into our league.” says Terry. “Their group has stressed that Streetsville is a small community at heart and that they are very much like the small towns throughout our league. This addition brings the PJHL to our full complement of teams and we look forward to helping the new group in Streetsville become part of the PJHL.”

The Streetsville Derbys will make their home ice debut in September, and will match-up against Dundas, Dunnville, Glanbrook, Grimsby, Hagersville, Niagara and Port Dover as part of the Bloomfield division. Updates on camps and season openers will be released at a later date.

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About the Provincial Junior Hockey League

The Provincial Junior Hockey League (PJHL) is made up of 63 franchises across Ontario and is the largest junior hockey league in the world. We are proud to provide opportunities for more than 1,450 players to play competitive hockey while continuing to pursue their post-secondary education and career ambitions.