

Good day Dartmouth Whalers Members,

My name is Phil McMullin, and I am writing to express my interest in the Director of U7 & U9 position. As a member of the board, I believe I would be effective in fostering the Whalers' ethos, culture, and vision on how to progress in the future.

I have an extensive knowledge of hockey and have been involved in the sport my entire life. I have coached Jr Novice, Novice and Atom while living in Kingston, ON (C.A.L. Kingston) from 1996-2005. I currently have a son in U9 with the Whalers and feel that this is the appropriate time for me to step back into minor hockey, albeit in more of a leadership capacity.

Outside of hockey I have coached 8U and currently coach 10U ball hockey for Dartmouth/Sackville in the NSMBHL. I also currently coach 9U baseball for the Dartmouth Diamond Dawgs in the DDMBA.

Additionally, beyond sports, I have over 30 years experience with the Dept of National Defence as military and am now a civilian in senior management. Currently, I work as a Procurement Manager at CFB Halifax and am responsible for creating budgets, public fund expenditures and fiscal accounting. As well as creating vendor contracts under Treasury Board regulations.

I also have previous board experience by being a member of the Sr Ranks Mess Committee onboard HMCS Athabaskan as well as being chair of safety committees within DND.

My major strengths are my work ethic, diligence, and keen organizational skills. I am a task driven person that works well with others. I can analyze problems quickly and make rational decisions and provide guidance in a positive manner. I believe that this experience has provided me with the tools necessary to interact with parents, board members, coaches as well as volunteers.

I believe that as Director of U7 and U9 will be able to help encourage an environment of fair play that would positively impact Dartmouth Whalers youngest members in growing their love for the game.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
Phil McMullin