

BGHC 2023/24 REP BB/B COACHING TEAM

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Marty has coached hockey for over 35 teams in the past 25 years, and has coached within the BGHC for 11+ years at both the HL and Rep level. He is the current U15A Coach and has received memorable accolades for his coaching abilities such as:

- · 2018-2019 Burlington Girls Hockey Club Volunteer of the Year for long term service
- 2002 Queen's Golden Jubilee Medal Recipient 1999 Received Reorganization Award from the Ontario Hockey Federation for Outstanding Contributions in Hockey

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U18 TEAM 3

MARTY SAVOY

Development Marty is a former member of Hockey Canada's Coach, Initiation Program and Athlete Development Committees. Marty believes that the players must understand the importance of playing within a team and that they all play an important role in the success of the team. Marty is married to Julia, a fellow BGHC coach and has 3 daughters who play(ed) within the organization, one of whom also coaches, and a son Dillon often found at the rink supporting this incredible family team. Marty can be reached at msavoy@cogeco.ca



Greg is currently the head coach of the U15A Eagles, assistant coach of the BGHC U15BB and was previously the head coach of BGHC U13B team. Greg has coached and worked on player development for Lacrosse and Hockey for 20 plus years. He has been a player development and team strategy coach for the Bulldogs and Blomha for the past 6 years. As a Coach he brings an enthusiastic and passionate intensity to the rink, setting goals and benchmarks with his players to make sure they are continuing to compete on level and achieve the next. He holds his players accountable to their effort and commitments and is the first to celebrate and honor their hard work and milestones. Greg was born and raised in Burlington and is a local business owner working directly with our community and partners,

alongside his wife Allyson and his two children Graydon and Gwyneth.

Greg can be reached at gtregunno@youngsinsurance.ca



Jason has been a coaching within the BGHC for the past 5 years, most recently as the head coach of the 2022-23 U11B team and has 8 years of experience with BLOMHA. Jason's coaching philosophy is to create an environment for all members of the team to thrive. He shows the kids that hard work, sportsmanship and a team approach are important skills on and off the ice. Jason's approach is to make hockey fun and use positive reinforcement to help everyone on the team improve as the Year goes on. Jason believes that building player confidence is a key to success and makes his teams enjoy the game and want to continue their hockey journey.

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U11 TEAM 3



U9 B

TRACI KILLIP

Traci joins our BGHC Coaching roster this season with a wealth of hockey knowledge, experience and excitement. Having played competitive hockey throughout her life she is very passionate about teaching kids the love of the game. She played with the Oakville Hornets up until the Junior level where she played with the Burlington Barracudas. This led to going state side where she played 4 years of NCAA at RIT. Traci has been teaching at a hockey school for 4 years.

"The sport has taught me so much and those are values I want to pass on to the new generation of girls."

We are thrilled to welcome back a member of our Jr. Cudas to our BGHC coaching team! Traci can be reached at traci_galbraith03@hotmail.com

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U18 TEAM 4 Brent Taylor

Brent has been coaching in the Burlington Eagles organization for the last 6 years. He is currently an Assistant Coach with the Burlington Eagles U13AA. Brent has played and coached Hockey at the High School and University level in addition to Senior Rugby.

Brent's coaching philosophy is that having fun and working hard can happen at the same time, all while we are learning and improving. "Showing up on time, being ready to work, having a team first mentality and being dependable, are habits and qualities that set us up for success, both on and off the ice."

Brent can be reached at taylorbw22@gmail.com

U15 TEAM 4 Jeff Wilson Jeff returns to the BGHC program for his 6th year as a coach and his first foray into coaching girls at the rep level. Since his days in high school and university Jeff has coached or assisted in multiple sports with a focus on hockey. Growing up between Oakville and London (ON), Jeff played AAA hockey his entire life before playing Jr B for 4 years (including one as an under-ager), was drafted to the OHL, participated in final camps for Canada's under 17 program until he landed playing NCAA division 1 hockey for Union College in the ECAC. He even got to dip his toe in at the professional level after his university hockey ended.

Barraculas

Jeff's coaching philosophies are clear; develop a culture of inclusiveness and fun, while instilling an on and off-ice workethic that creates better players and people. To do this Jeff creates an environment of open communication and individual and team goals. Jeff's long-term aspiration is to develop hockey fans for life whether that be as players, coaches, or casual observers. Jeff can be reached at coachjefful5b@gmail.com



JSherry is entering her second year with BGHC and has spent the last year as the goalie coach for the U9B team. Prior to her arrival in Burlington, she spent 5 years assistant coaching with Girls Hockey Calgary U7 through U11 programs. Sherry grew up playing hockey in Manitoba, she played her final year of youth hockey on the U18 B Peguis Minor Boys Hockey team. From there she transitioned to the Winnipeg Senior Women's A division, where she represented Manitoba at two Canadian Western Shield Championships and one Esso Women's Nationals.

Although she had stepped away from the game to pursue her career, Sherry's two daughters brought her back to the ice. She has immensely enjoyed the opportunity to continue to grow the game. Sherry's coaching philosophy revolves around the principles that hockey should be a fun, safe space where players are able to learn not only the game of hockey but how to be a part of a team. Sherry can be reached at sbeard01@gmail.com



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