



MAY 3-11, 2008
CORNWALL
ONTARIO
HOSTS

THE NATIONAL JUNIOR A HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP



CORNWALL CIVIC COMPLEX



Tickets available at:
Cornwall Civic Complex
Box Office

613-938-9400

www.admission.ca

Info at: hockeycanada.ca/rbccup

THE ROAD TO THE RBC CUP

Since May 1996, 10 leagues consisting of just over 140 teams from across Canada have been vying for the title of Canada's National Junior A Hockey Champion. Winning teams in each of these 10 leagues compete in four regional championships – the Fred Page Cup, the Dudley Hewitt Cup, the Anavet Cup, and the Doyle Cup – for the right to represent their region in the RBC Cup. The four championship teams along with the host city's team compete in the RBC Cup to determine the National Champion.

This year, Cornwall, Ontario and the Cornwall Colts welcome the hockey world to the 2008 RBC Cup to be held May 3-11, 2008 at the Cornwall Civic Complex.

SEE TOMORROW'S STARS TODAY - JUNIOR A HOCKEY AND THE NHL

The leagues of the CJAHL have been quite active in the National Hockey League. In fourteen drafts, 137 players have been drafted directly from CJAHL teams into the NHL, including 7 first round picks. With 3 first round picks in 2007 including Kyle Turris to the Phoenix Coyotes, this level of hockey continues to be a training ground for many NHL players. These numbers do not include the hundreds of players who played in the CJAHL, moved up to Canadian Hockey League, NCAA, or United States Hockey League and were then drafted. Players currently in the NHL include Curtis Joseph, Scott Upshall, Rod Brind'Amour and Scott Gomez.

WATCHING THE BEST - THE TOURNAMENT - MAY 3-11, 2008

Winners of the Pacific, Western, Central, Eastern regions and the hometown Cornwall Colts will compete in a ten game round robin tournament culminating in two semi-final games with the Championship final televised across the country on TSN and RDS.

GETTING INFORMATION

Go to <http://www.hockeycanada.ca/rbccup> for tournament and ticket information.

