

# Testimonials

“Skills and Expertise of academy instructors – providing excellent level of instruction to our children’s individual skill level and need - fosters individual player development.”

“In my opinion one of the strengths would be the coaches. Tyler has nothing but positive comments on the coaching staff.”

“Mr. Fiorillo is clearly very knowledgeable, experienced and passionate about hockey. He seems to take his role seriously, as he should, but has not forgotten that fun is a necessary ingredient. After an initial settling in period, Matthew is really enjoying Academy. Having the goalie coach and power skating coach are great additions, not only for the skill development, but it also helps the kids in learning to work with different people and personalities. I hear great things about both from Matthew.”

“We think the strengths of the Academy are in a sense of belonging to a group with a common purpose and goal. The opportunity for students to achieve both an academic and athletic goal is a unique privilege. The leadership is also a huge strength of the Academy. The commitment and expertise of the instructors is exceptional.”

“I couldn’t be happier with my son’s progress. He has slowly become more confident in his academics as well as his hockey skills.”

“We think the whole Academy is strong! The values it’s focusing on, the instructors, the way it’s set up to run in the afternoons, the pride the students show. We know it’s got Brooks re-focused on school, improved his attitude, effort, and marks, improved his game but most importantly, just make him smile again!”

“The Ronald Harvey Hockey Academy is a unique opportunity for young kids to receive specialized on-ice instruction in a small group setting while focusing on character development from a team-based perspective. This holistic approach is proving to be successful at helping to build well-rounded individuals who also happen to like hockey!”

“We are very pleased with our son’s success academically and athletically. The opportunity to skate and do other activities in the afternoons has improved his focus; both at school and at home (homework). Even though our child has had learning difficulties in the past, the school has accommodated his learning needs and thereby ensured that he has a new love for school. His marks/grades have never been better. We are so lucky to have the Athletic Academy at Ronald Harvey!”

“Specialized on-ice instruction that focus on individual skills compliments the limited nature of practice time that you commonly see in minor hockey. The additional ice time provided through the academy allows kids to participate in house league without compromising their overall skill development.”

“The Academy has been such a welcome change for our son. It is a perfect complement to his academics. The staff and teachers at Ronald Harvey Elementary School and the Athletic Academy have been most supportive. Our son is so happy to be a part of the school and Academy team. His report card certainly reflects his commitment to learning both on and off the ice.”

“We have noticed such and improvement in Ethan with not only his hockey skills but with time management as well, minimal prompting is needed to get his homework completed. Ethan always has positive things to say about his time at the academy. We see the excitement and enthusiasm as he looks forward to each academy day. Our younger son anxiously awaits next year when he can become involved in the program as well.”