

From: **Lester Sparks** <
Date: Thu, Feb 8, 2018 at 12:20 PM
Subject: Re: Portland winter hawks status
To: Randy Gumbley <

Randy,

Good morning, as discussed on the phone yesterday. Here are your answers to the best of my knowledge.

1. The Portland Winterhawks are not a member of Oregon State Hockey Association.
2. Players who play in the CHL (OHL, QJMHL, WHL) forfeit their athletic rights to play hockey in US College.
3. The Portland Winterhawks are recognized as a Major junior hockey program by the USA Hockey, Canadian Hockey League and the NCAA. Players receive varying amounts of stipends paid by the team to offset their expenses.

Thank you,

Lester Sparks
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