



BX93  
September, 2016

## **RETURNING THIS FALL TO BUDWEISER GARDENS 2016 ROOKIE TOURNAMENT**

Spectra Venue Management and Tourism London are pleased to announce that the 2016 Rookie Tournament, Presented by Scotiabank, will be held at Budweiser Gardens September 16-18, 2016. This marks the fourth year in a row that London has hosted the tournament which features the top prospects from four of the National Hockey League's most popular franchises.

This year, Toronto Maple Leafs' prospects will face off in three games beginning Friday, September 16 versus rookie teams from the Ottawa Senators, Pittsburgh Penguins and rival Montreal Canadiens.

"We are very pleased that the Rookie Tournament is returning to London. It has proven to be a very successful competition that many local hockey fans look forward to experiencing," said John Winston, General Manager, Tourism London.