



Tompkins Girls' Hockey Association  
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Dear Friends of Girls Hockey-

We are very happy to have had your support over the last several years. Hockey is a wonderful vehicle through which the girls will grow as players, friends and confident members of our local community.

As TGHA goes through its changes this year, we have been able to preserve our mission to insure that all girls have an opportunity to participate in hockey. By working with CRC (The Rink), we have been able to support a no-cost initiation program. We have coordinated with Binghamton that our 19U girls can participate with Binghamton in a season that will accommodate the Ithaca High School schedule. And for those that enjoy hockey after youth level, we continue to have "Women's Learn to Skate" and the "Sirens" under the TGHA umbrella so that the overhead expenses of insurance and USA Hockey affiliation can be managed properly. And of course, the cornerstone of TGHA is our 8U, 10U, 12U and 14U teams that will compete this season as Tier II teams in New York State.

This note is a very direct request to ask for your financial support of girls' hockey. TGHA has taken significant steps to change how it organizes its teams and offers options to girls for all levels of hockey. This is in response to decreasing number of registered players and rising costs. We believe that we have taken actions to have tournament bound competitive teams with a focus to keep girls engaged in the game for the long term. By being open to making some changes, we believe we can help TGHA thrive in a self-sustaining way forward.

Please consider a personal or corporate donation to TGHA. We are a 501C3, we will provide you with a confirmation of your donation that can be used for tax purposes. We have highlighted suggestions that will help us establish reserves and cover overhead expenses associated with running an organization that has enjoyed a very successful 42 year history.

Sincerely

Donation:

\_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name

Blue \$50      Gold \$100      TGHA Shooting Star: \$300