

## **HOTEL POLICY**

A major part of TAHA's ability to run the Rink Rat and keep costs low is due in part to our hotel sponsors. TAHA has negotiated special rates with our hotel sponsors. They are all excellent facilities and centrally located to the tournament rinks. Visiting teams that are more than a 1 hr drive from the tournament rinks are **required** to stay overnight at one of the designated host hotels (see links on tournament website). If teams choose to stay at a non-approved hotel, they must notify TAHA in writing at least 2 weeks prior to the tournament so we can inform our hotel sponsors. Teams choosing to do so will be required to pay a \$300 registration premium to TAHA to offset the lost sponsorship. These sponsorships cover a portion of the Rink Rat Tournament's ice time. Neither Teams nor individual families may use Groupon, Travelocity or other online discount services to register with a designated hotel, as those types of online registrations circumvent participation of designated hotels. If your team does not verify they are staying at a designated hotel to the Tournament Director, and provide the number of rooms and night's stay, or alternatively pay the \$300.00 hotel registration premium before they arrive at the tournament, your team will not be allowed on the ice to play and will not be given a refund.

Please note: The tournament fills up quickly. Please do not make hotel arrangements until after you have been notified of your acceptance to the tournament. We will notify all teams of the results of tournament registration as soon as possible. The earlier the registration is received, the sooner we can finalize acceptance to join our tournament.