



ONE OF THE PREMIER AAA AMATEUR HOCKEY ORGANIZATIONS IN THE U.S.

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS ELITE

ORGANIZATIONAL OVERVIEW - BOYS

STRUCTURE, PARTICIPATION FEES & TRAVEL

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS ELITE TEAMS	10U	12U	14U	15U/16U	18U PREP
How many AAA teams will Pens Elite field at each age level?	Two teams - 2015, Two teams - 2014	Two teams - 2013, Two teams - 2012	One team - 2011, One team - 2010	One - 15U (09), One -16U	One-18U

2024-2025 Participation Fee & Value Add Amenities

What is the tryout fee?	\$199	\$199	\$299/ Minor (includes checking clinic) \$199/ Major	\$199	\$199
What is the commitment fee?	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500
What is the participation fee? (commitment fee is subtracted from participation fee)	\$5,605	\$6,600/\$6,925	\$7,715	\$8,195	\$12,520
Is there a payment plan option?	6 equal installments beginning May	6 equal installments beginning May	6 equal installments beginning May	6 equal installments beginning May	6 equal installments beginning May
What type of financial aid is available? (Application deadline May 15)	Need based	Need based	Need based	Need based	Need based
How is financial aid awarded?	Application - 3rd party review committee	Application - 3rd party review committee	Application - 3rd party review committee	Application - 3rd party review committee	Application - 3rd party review committee
Are there any organizational fundraisers? (optional)	One organization wide raffle	One organization wide raffle	One organization wide raffle	One organization wide raffle	One organization wide raffle
What is the price of uniforms (Home, Away, and Practice Jerseys & Socks; Shell; Warmups)?	FREE	FREE	FREE	FREE	FREE
Do we pay extra for coaches salary?	No	No	No	No	No
Do we pay extra to cover coaches travel and lodging?	Yes via Team Fund	Yes via Team Fund	Yes via Team Fund	Yes via Team Fund	Yes via Team Fund
Do we offer a spring training program?	Included in participation fee	Included in participation fee	Included in participation fee	Included in participation fee	No

Roster Size

How many skaters per team?	12-13/ Minor, 13-14/ Major	14-15/Minor, 15-16/Major	15-17	17-19	20
How many goalies per team?	2	2	2	2	2
How many total players per team?	14-15/ Minor, 15-16/ Major	16-18	18-20	18-20	22

League Participation & Fees

Does the team participate in a league or independent schedule?	Independent	Independent	League/Independent	League/Independent	League/Independent
How is league fee covered?	N/A	N/A	Included in Fees	Included in Fees	Included in Fees

Game Count & Competition

How many home games are included in the participation fee?	15	15	15	15	15
Who sets the game schedule for each team?	Team	Team	Team/League	Team/League	Team/League
What is game count for the 2024-25 Season?	40-50	45-50	50-55	55-60	55-60

Tournaments

How much does organization allocate to each team for tournaments?	\$10,000/team	\$10,000/team	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000
Do we have to pay extra for tournaments?	Only if above team allotment	Only if above team allotment	Only if above team allotment	Only if above team allotment	Only if above team allotment
Who selects the tournaments and/or showcases for each team?	Team/Organization	Team/Organization	Team/League/Organization	Team/League/Organization	Team/League/Organization

Practice Schedule/Format

Number of Practice Slots/Week?	2/ Minor, 2/ Major	2-3	2-3	2-3	4
Are practices full ice or shared ice?	Shared Ice	Full Ice and Shared	Full Ice and Shared	Full Ice and Shared	Full Ice
Is the practice schedule fixed each week?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Is goaltending instruction provided?	1 session per week	1 session per week	1 session per week	1 session per week	1 session per week
Is dryland/strength and conditioning provided in-season?	2 sessions per week	2 sessions per week	2 sessions per week	2 sessions per week	4 sessions per week

Please note that the commitment fee is non-refundable and it will be deducted from total balance divided into 6 equal instalments (May-October). You have the opportunity to sell raffle tickets to help offset a portion of the participation fee.

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS ELITE

ORGANIZATIONAL OVERVIEW - GIRLS

STRUCTURE, PARTICIPATION FEES & TRAVEL

PITTSBURGH PENGUINS ELITE TEAMS	10U	12U	14U	16U/19U
How many AAA teams will Pens Elite field at each age level?	Two-10U	Two-12U	One-14U	One-16U, One-19U

2024-25 Participation Fee & Value Add Amenities

What is the tryout fee?	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199
What is the commitment fee?	\$500	\$500	\$500	\$500
What is the participation fee? (commitment fee is subtracted from participation fee)	\$3,999	\$4,975	\$6,280	\$6,885
Is there a payment plan option?	6 equal installments beginning June	6 equal installments beginning June	6 equal installments beginning June	6 equal installments beginning June
What type of financial aid is available? (Application deadline May 15)	Need based	Need based	Need based	Need based
How is financial aid awarded?	Application - 3rd party review committee	Application - 3rd party review committee	Application - 3rd party review committee	Application - 3rd party review committee
Are there any organizational fundraisers? (optional)	One organization wide raffle	One organization wide raffle	One organization wide raffle	One organization wide raffle
What is the price of uniforms (Home, Away, and Practice Jerseys and Socks; Shell; Warmups)?	FREE	FREE	FREE	FREE
Do we pay extra for coaches salary?	No	No	No	No
Do we pay extra to cover coaches travel and lodging?	Yes via Team Fund	Yes via Team Fund	Yes via Team Fund	Yes via Team Fund
Do we offer a spring training program?	Included in participation fee	Included in participation fee	Included in participation fee	Included in participation fee

Roster Size

How many skaters per team?	15	15-16	16-18	17-18
How many goalies per team?	2	2	2	2
How many total players per team?	17	17-18	18-20	19-20

League Participation & Fees

Does the team participate in a league or independent schedule?	Independent	Independent	Independent	Independent
How is league fee covered?	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Game Count & Competition

Who sets the game schedule for each team?	Team/Organization	Team/Organization	Team/Organization	Team/Organization
What is projected game count for the 2024-25 Season?	40-45	40-45	50-55	55-60

Tournaments

How much does organization allocate to each team for tournaments?	\$10,000/Team	\$10,000/Team	\$12,000/Team	\$12,000/Team
Who selects the tournaments and/or showcases for each team?	Team/Organization	Team/Organization	Team/Organization	Team/Organization

Practice Schedule/Format

Number of Practice Slots/Week?	2	2.	2-3	2-3
Are practices full ice or shared ice?	Shared	Full Ice and Shared	Full Ice and Shared	Full Ice and Shared
Is there team Power Skating?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Are there skill development sessions?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Is goaltending instruction provided?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Is dryland/strength and conditioning provided in-season?	2 sessions per week	2 sessions per week	2 sessions per week	2 sessions per week

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