The NCYH Hockey Directors welcome you to the 2023-24 hockey season! Yes... it's only May but we're giving the necessary time to determine teams for the upcoming season. Registration is officially open today and we can't encourage you enough to register soon!

ITEMS TO NOTE — ALL PLAYERS

- 1)All Pre-Season Skates, Evaluation/Tryout Dates AND Practice Days & Times for each league are still being scheduled. We will get these posted as soon as we can. Registration numbers will have a big impact on all scheduling.
- 2)USA Hockey has changed fees based on birth years. Please be sure to get your players 2023-2024 USAH number BEFORE starting registration- PLEASE BE SURE TO ENTER ALL OF THE NUMBERS AND LETTERS IN SEASON REGISTRATION
- **3)**Season registration is a TWO step process, first you will fill out the Google Contract, at the end of the Google contract will be the link to the second step to be fully registered, once you have submitted your deposit you are registered. If fail to do the payment portion your player is not considered registered. Please make sure to complete BOTH steps.
- 4)A tentative practice schedule for all levels is being worked on over the next several months as we determine how many teams, we will be fielding for the 23-24 season. Closer to the season start (August or thereafter) we will have a finalized schedule.

1st year Squirt Info can be found on NCYH webpage on registration pages

Midget Options Info can be found on NCYH webpage on registration pages

CRHL/RECREATIONAL (Birth Years 2005-2014)

- 1) Jake Marto will oversee all CRHL teams. He is the main contact and will also be a resource for coaches by rotating attendance to practices throughout the week.
- 2) We continue to try to keep our CRHL teams to smaller numbers for better quality of ice. The sooner people register, the easier it will be for NCYH to declare an appropriate number of teams to the league mid-summer and keep team size smaller.
- 3)CRHL Teams at all levels will be equally drafted. NCYH Hockey Directors will be working with the Parent Coaches who are assisting in the Evaluations to ensure equally balanced teams. We encourage players to attend the pre-season skates and evaluation date to give the Directors and coaches more chances to see your player skate before the season is underway.
- 4) Remember if you are a first year Bantam, first year Midget, or 3rd year Midget you need to schedule your Baseline Testing at OCR as soon as possible but especially before 8/1/23.
- 5)Evaluation dates for all CRHL/Rec levels are still being scheduled. As soon as we have them scheduled, we will notify registered players.

As of now the tentative start dates for tryouts are as follows. *Subject to change

- September 9- CRHL/Rec Midget/Bantam/Peewee evaluations
- September 15- CRHL/Rec Squirt Evaluations

6) Projected CRHL/Rec Teams for 23-24 Season

4-18U (Midget) Teams, 4-14U (Bantam) Teams, 4-12U (Peewee) Teams, 4-10U (Squirt) Teams

UNDER 8 (Birth Years 2015 & Younger)

- 1) Riley Nelson will continue to coach the U8 Regular Season and U8 "Travel".
- 2) U8's will have one weekday practice and one Saturday practice. Schedule is still being finalized, as soon as we have it finished, we will communicate to registered players.

CPHL/CLUB HOCKEY (Birth Years 2005-2008)

- 1) Projected CPHL/Club Teams for 23-23 Season
- 1 Varsity CPHL/Club Team, 1 JV CPHL/Club Team, 1 JV Prospects CPHL/Club Team
- *Projected teams subject to change based on registration numbers
- **2)**FOR 2023-2024 SEASON CPHL/CLUB TEAMS--- \$75 NON-REFUNDABLE TRYOUT FEE.** The tryout fee will NOT be applied to tuition. <u>In addition to the tryout fee</u>, there is a \$300 deposit. (Deposit amount is dependent on when you register as we have a graduated registration fee schedule) The deposit WILL be applied towards tuition. If your player is selected for a team and choose to not play, neither the tryout fee nor the deposit will be refunded.
- **3)**If you sign up for CPHL/Club and do not make the team, your player WILL NOT have a spot "saved" for them on a CRHL/Midget team as in seasons past. If you want a space "saved" in case your player is not offered a spot on the CPHL/Club team, YOU MUST ALSO REGISTER FOR CRHL MIDGET.

By registering for CPHL/Club tryouts and paying the tryout fee/deposit, you are <u>only</u> registering for tryouts for CPHL/Club Team. Again, if your player is not offered a spot on CPHL/Club team there is NOT a space saved elsewhere for them.

^{*}Projected teams subject to change based on registration numbers

RMHF/TRAVEL (Birth Years 2009-2014)

- 1)Tryout dates for all RMHF/Travel levels are still being scheduled. As soon as we have them scheduled, we will notify registered players. As of now the tentative start dates for tryouts are as follows.
 - August 14- Club (CPHL/High School) & RMHF/Travel Bantam
 - August 21- RMHF/Travel Peewee
 - September 5- RMHF/Travel Squirt
 - *Subject to change
- 2)Remember if you are a first year Bantam, first year Midget, or 3rd year Midget you need to schedule your Baseline Testing at OCR as soon as possible but especially before August.
- 3)RMHF/Travel players will purchase a jersey package See link below for more information
- 4)NCYH RMHF/Travel Teams Projected teams for upcoming season.
- 4 14U (Bantam) Teams, 4- 12U (Peewee) Teams, 4- 10U (Squirt) Teams
- *Projected teams subject to change based on registration numbers
- 5) RMHF- Rocky Mountain Hockey Federation- Key points to the upcoming season
 - Two Denver area "Showcases" in which out-of-state teams participate. Cost is very minimal for families.
 - Out-of-state teams will host at certain times during the year. Just like a tournament or "showcase" The expectation to attend 1 out of state showcase or tournament.
 - This will be like any other year as far as in-state games, whether it be league or friendly with other clubs.
 - There have been concerns that have been brought to our attention that families will be traveling every month or every other weekend and this is very false. The expectation is just like any other year.
 - The goal is to have a great experience with out-of-state teams and teams in our state.

Registration fees will gradually increase as the summer progresses, so we encourage you to register soon and save money!!