



## **Select Team Policies**

### **Select Program Mission:**

The Kansas City Youth Hockey Association (KCYHA) and participating Club's Select Programs are designed to offer the participants of KCYHA a competitive playing environment in conjunction with their house hockey league schedule.

### **Objective:**

KCYHA strives for each Club to provide at least one select team at the Squirt, Peewee, and Bantam divisions, if there is enough interest and players to fill each team. The select teams are comprised of players who have been evaluated and chosen in an open tryout (held at their local Club) to participate on a team that will play additional games and tournaments under the KCYHA banner. Players are chosen based on above average skills and team play as determined by the select head coach and the Club's evaluators.

### **Evaluation / Try-Out Guidelines:**

- Select try-outs will not take place before October 1st at any Club
- Any KCYHA players in good standing with the association are eligible to try out
- Players must be rostered on a KCYHA house team at the Club they are trying out for
  - If a Club does not offer a Select team, eligible players may try out for another Club's team
- Players must attend try-outs/evaluations to be eligible to make a team

\*\*\*Clubs may choose to limit tryouts to only their specific Clubs house league members\*\*\*

### **League / Tournaments:**

- Each Club's Select team(s) will participate in the Midwest Select Hockey League (approx. 10-16 games)
- Each team can participate in **two** additional tournaments
  - Each Club can choose the two tournaments
  - Each team must register in the B or C Divisions
  - Tournaments must not interfere with house league games/schedule
  - Tournament weekends must be completed by March 15th

### **Registration/Fees:**

- All players must register for the Select team through the KCYHA website
- Fees will be determined by the Club and will cover practices, referees, league/tournament fees (fees do not include hotel, gas, food, jerseys, etc)
- All Select teams must have an official USA Hockey Roster which can be obtained by submitting their player and coaching rosters to the KCYHA Registrar