



Presentation will be posted on the Mites Page

2022-2023
CCHA Mite 3-4
Parent Meeting
October 27th, 2022



AGENDA

Introductions

New Mite Divisions

Tryout Information

Volunteer Info

CCHA Code of
Conduct

CCHA Updates

Sports Engine Tips

Wrap up – Q&A



CONTACTS

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Lower Mite Commissioner

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Boys' Hockey Development Committee (BHDC):

Member	Term Expiration
Mike Erickson- Chair	4/30/23
Jeff Campbell	4/30/24
Jerod Klava	4/30/23
Rob Atterson	4/30/23
Justin Bronze	4/30/24
Dan Meneghin	4/30/24
Nick Hanson	4/30/24
Jon Maruk	4/30/24
Jason Rodgers	4/30/24



CCHA MITE PROGRAM

Our Philosophy:

Development of Skills
Safety
Fun and welcoming
environment

We consider the season a
success when your players
return next year.

2022-2023 Mite Registration Fees

- Ice rates continue to rise every year. Parents like you are volunteering to raise sponsorship and find ways to keep costs down so we can keep dues as low as possible.
- Feel free to email accountant@cchockey.org anytime you have questions regarding your account.



MITE DIVISIONS

Creating like ability groups for better individual development

We are excited to announce some structure changes within our youth/boy's Mite program. Effective for the 2022-2023 season, CCHA will be moving to a Mite 1-4 structure. There will be no changes to Rookie Mites. The reason for making this change now is to better align skater skill and development not only within our own organization, but with the surrounding communities who utilize this structure.





MITE DIVISIONS

MITES 3-4

106 registered

DOB range 6/1/2013-8/31/2015

Grade listed for information 1st/2nd/3rd

Player Fee \$715

Mite 4 – 2 teams

Mite 3 – 4 teams

MITES 1-2

111 registered

DOB range 6/1/2015-5/31/2017

Grade listed for information K/1st

Player Fee \$475





CCHA MITE EVALUATIONS OCTOBER 27-29

- **UNIFORM AND GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**
 - Evaluation session times **CANNOT** be requested or changed
 - Jersey and Socks must be solid or previous season issue in CCHA colors (White, Gold, Purple, Black)
 - No Jerseys with Last Names or AAA or Camp names,
 - No Helmet Stickers, numbers, names etc.
- **VOLUNTEER CHECK REQUIRED**
 - \$500 Volunteer Check must be submitted prior to receiving a tryout pinny
 - **No Exceptions, your skater will not be allowed on the ice without a volunteer check!**
 - Please arrive early and have player **dressed** 15 minutes before scheduled ice time
- **WHO EVALUATES AND WHAT IS EVALUATED?**
 - 3rd party evaluators selected by Hockey Development Committee (HDC)
 - A mix of skill drills and scrimmages are used to evaluate
 - **See Tryout Document posted on CCHA Tryout Webpage for a more detailed explanation**



MITE EVALUATIONS (CONT.)

Contact level commissioner with any questions

- **Evaluation Check In & Rules (Highlights Only)**

- Arrive Early - 45 minutes at first session, 30 minutes after that. Player ready 15 minutes prior to session start time for important pre-session instructions that are provided in locker room.
- Pick up Pinnie at check in; keep pinnie until end of last session. (Don't forget it, you won't be able to skate your sessions without it!)
- CCHA Colors (Jerseys & Socks) – Remove Helmet Stickers
- Neck Guards & Mouth Guards Required
- Evaluations are Open to Parents to Observe at lower levels as long as this meets the rink's covid requirements. (Upper-level tryouts are closed)
- NO Parent is to Interact with Evaluators or Players on the Ice – If you stay to observe, you must remain quiet.
- Any player can opt out of the evaluation process and be placed on an East Division team – Send e-mail request to your level commissioner
- Final Team Assignments Posted within 2-3 Days after Tryouts End
- Team Assignments are FINAL
- Questions on Placement / Concerns about Process / Etc. must be submitted in writing to commissioner.



MITE EVALUATIONS (CONT.)

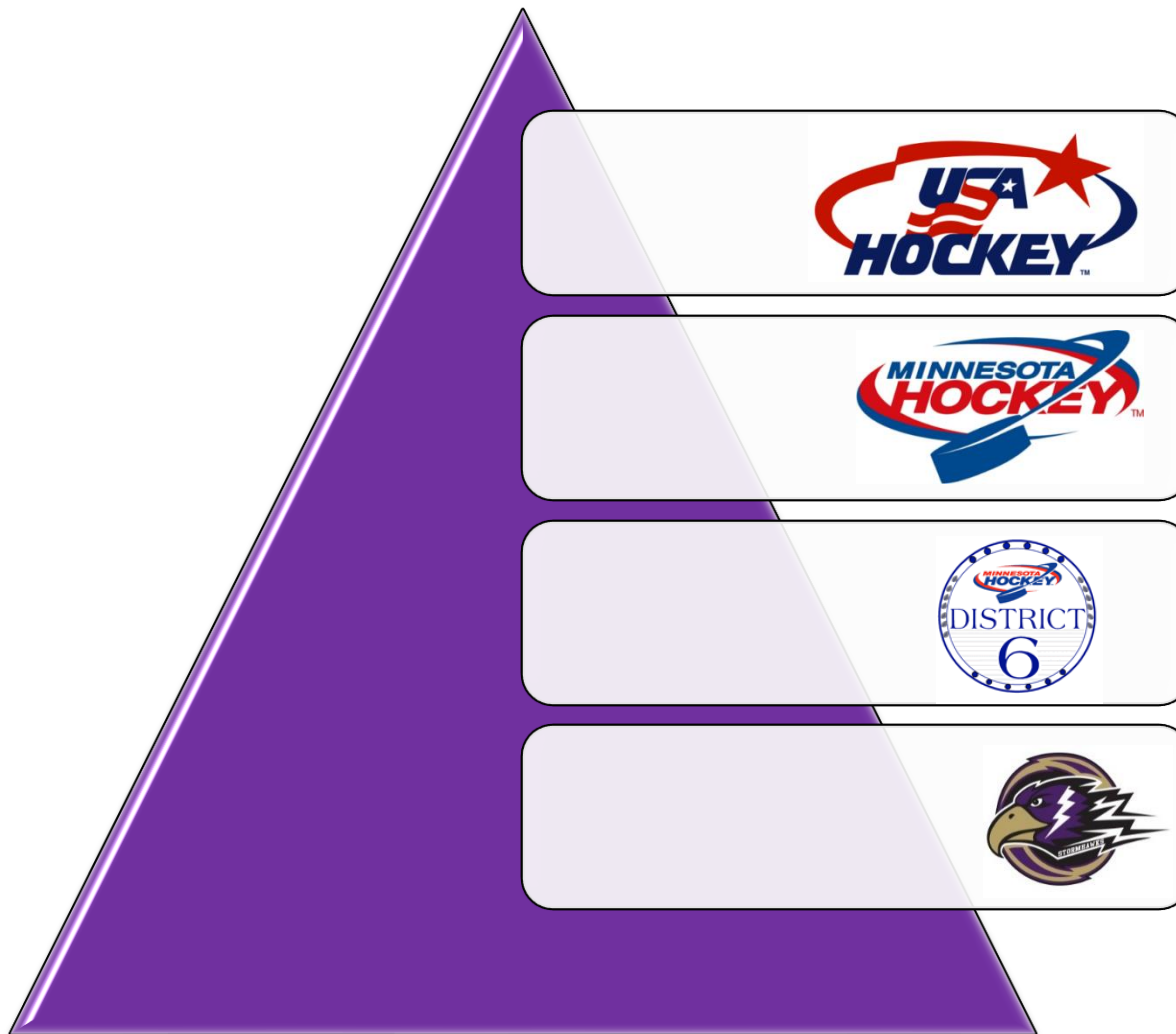
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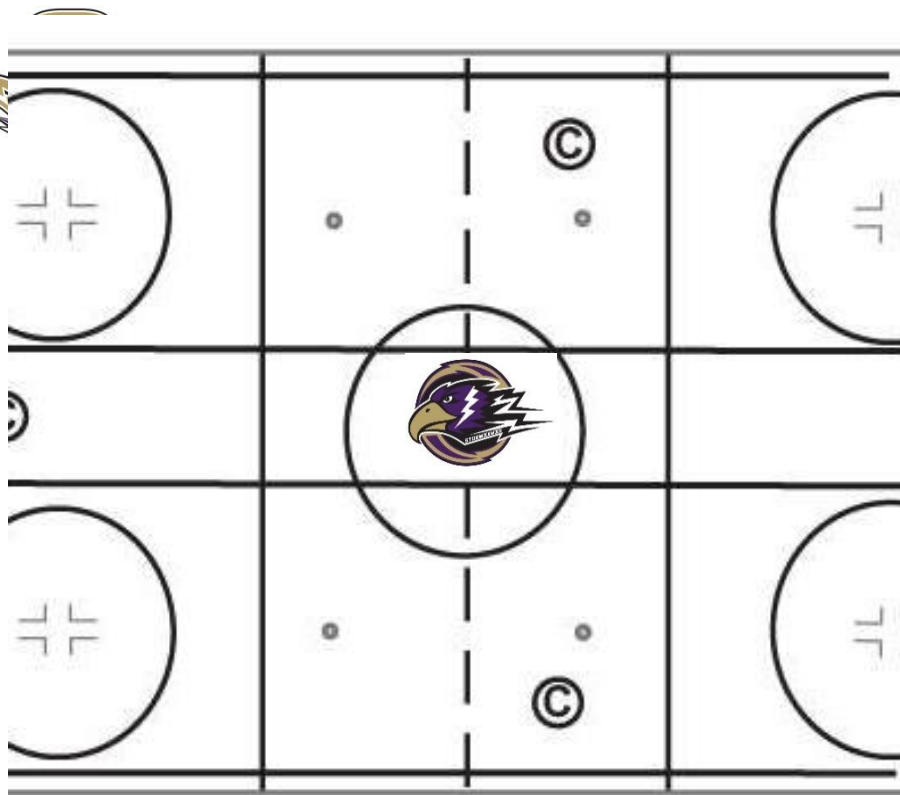
- **Evaluation Process For Mites 3-4**

- October 27 – Group Skills Tryouts (3 Sessions) (33%)
- October 28 – Mite 3 Scrimmage Tryouts (2 Sessions) (33%)
- October 29 – Mite 4 Scrimmage Tryouts (1 Session) (33%)



HIERARCHY OF POLICY





HOCKEY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE (HDC)

Boys Hockey Development Committee

Build and Runs Tryouts

Helps build strong coaching

Creates Mid-Season Skills Clinics

**Makes sure our players skills are
growing!**



We depend on **volunteers** to keep our Association running smoothly



Volunteer Coordinator:
Kelly Olson

volunteer.coordinator
@cchockey.org



Mandatory Volunteer Deposit = \$500



Upper-Level Minimum
Requirements = 12 hours



Lower-Level Minimum
Requirements = 6 hours

Every family with a lower-level player must complete at least one concession stand shift as part of their minimum volunteer requirement.

VOLUNTEERS



TEAM VOLUNTEERS

Coaches

See "Coaches" page for requirements

Team Managers

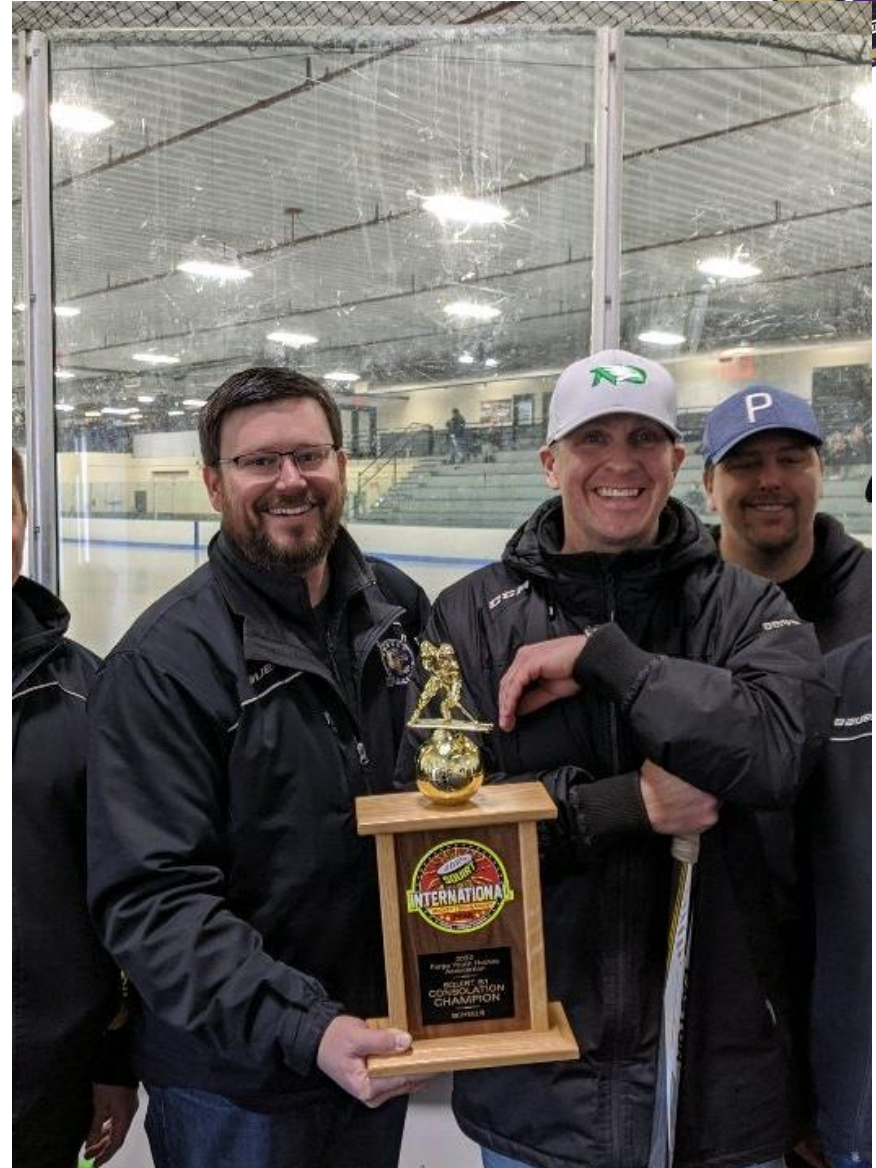
- Step 1 - Need USA Hockey Volunteer #
- Step 2 - Complete Background Check
- Step 3 - Complete Team Volunteer Registration

Coaches & Managers Needed!

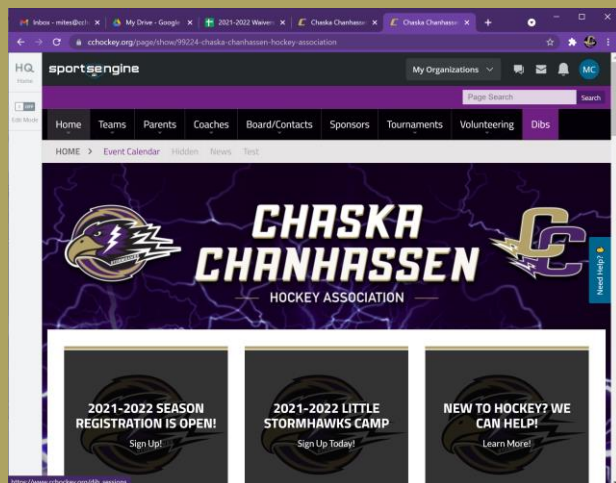
- New coaches needed – [Signup](#)
- Interested Managers – [Signup](#)

Parent Help Expectations (No Volunteer Credit Received)

- Help with Ice equipment On and Off Ice (Divider Boards, Nets, Barriers, Cones, Tires etc)
- D6 Games and Scrimmages – Clock, Scoresheet, Penalty Box, etc



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Concessions



**Brick City Tournament
and Hockey Hoopla**



Watch the website for
special event
opportunities



Get your hours in early
on Dibs!



CCHA UNIFORM COLORS

Official CCHA
Uniform Colors

BLACK Helmet,
Gloves, Pants/Shell

Applies to all “Upper” level players:
Squirt/10U,
Peewee/12U,
Bantam/15U

NOT Applicable to goalie helmets
and gloves



BLACK

BLACK/WHITE



DEVELOPMENT

Kids Need To:

Get on the ice and TRY!

Coaches:

Follow ADM

American Development
Model

www.admkids.com

Are supported by the BHDC
to boost the developmental
value of your player's time
on the ice

Making CCHA time fun, safe
and a time of development.



SEASON SCHEDULE & IMPORTANT DATES

Weeknight
Practice

Weekend
Practice

Weekend
Game

MITES 3-4: 3 ICE TOUCHES PER WEEK

- Weeknight ice, sometimes at Velocity (Rotating Teams)
- 1 practice per weekend
- 1 (half ice) Game per weekend
 - **Help needed with divider boards from parents in stands**
- Games vs Scrimmage vs Controlled Scrimmage
- **January – March: Mites 3-4 will have a maximum of 2 full-ice games**

MITES 1-2: 2-3 ICE TOUCHES PER WEEK

- Weeknight ice added outdoors weather permitting
- Saturday Practice Day
- Sundays Half-Ice in-house games
 - **Help needed with divider boards from parents in stands**

KEY EVENTS

- Picture Day Early December
- Pond Hockey Tournament (CCHA RINKS) 12/30-31
- Mite Jamboree (CCHA RINKS) 3/17, 18, & 19
- Skate with the Storm/Hawks & Game Flag Skaters - TBA



COMMUNICATIONS

Please check the CCHA Mites page frequently for updates and answers to many questions

Communication flow expectations

CCHA CODE OF CONDUCT

Code of Conduct agreement required for every role:

- Player, Parent, Coach, Manager, etc. All Code of Conduct agreements are captured in the registration process
- Players, coaches, parents and spectators are to conduct themselves in a manner that **"honors the Game" and demonstrates respect to other players, coaches, officials, parents and spectators.**
- Playing hockey in the CCHA is a privilege, not a right. Violations by player, parent or coach result in a hearing with the Disciplinary Committee

"Your child's success or lack of success in sports does not indicate what kind of parent you are.

But having an athlete that is coachable, respectful, a great teammate, mentally tough, resilient and tries their best IS a direct reflection of your parenting."

CCHA PLAYER SAFETY

Concussions: If coach suspects an athlete may have suffered a concussion, player **MUST** be removed from play.

Coach will complete a form and give you a copy.

Before any return to play, you **MUST** complete the return-to-play form, have it signed by a trained medical professional, and provide it to the coach.

There are **NO EXCEPTIONS**.





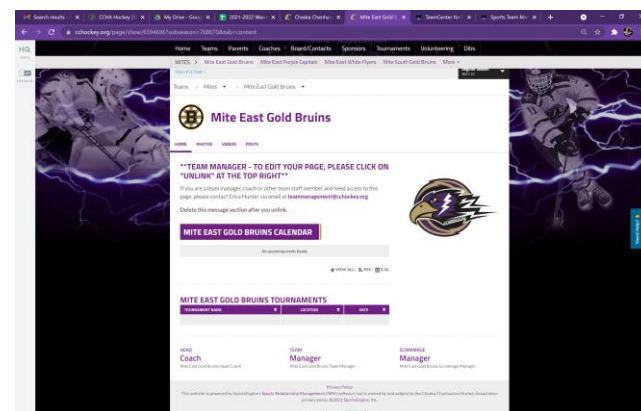
NAVIGATING SPORTSENGINE

All team information is sent to the email address used for the primary contact at registration!

- Team Page (schedule, roster, chat, and other team info)
[https://sportsengine-docs.s3.amazonaws.com/SportsEngine/Guide/TeamCenter/TeamCenter for Parents and Athletes.pdf](https://sportsengine-docs.s3.amazonaws.com/SportsEngine/Guide/TeamCenter/TeamCenter%20for%20Parents%20and%20Athletes.pdf)
- Adding team schedule to your calendar (ical, etc)
- Mobile App (great for access to team info on the go)
- Individual Account (change email/password, add guardian, etc)

Great Help Guide Available:

<https://help.sportsengine.com/en/categories/10-myse-account>



CCHA BRANDING

- Subject to Federal Trademark registration applications.
- No person is authorized to have anything made bearing these marks without a license from the CCHA Board.
- Do not ask a vendor to do this for you or your team for any merchandise.





THANK YOU!

Q&A



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