



New England District Regional Guidebook

2025/26 – 16 and 19U Tier I Regional Championship



16 AND 19 TIER I REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

WELCOME

Welcome to Connecticut.

On behalf of the Connecticut Hockey Conference (CHC) and our member programs, we hope all participating players and their families will enjoy their tournament experience! This is an important reminder to all tournament players, coaches, parents, and spectators that CHC strictly adheres to USA Hockey's Zero Tolerance and Code of Conduct policy.

TOURNEY FEES

Payment information: Team Fees: \$2,300.00 per team

Please make checks out to the [Connecticut Hockey Conference](#) and mail them to the following address:

Connecticut Hockey Conference
c/o Ed Rodham
27 Shorelands Drive
Madison, CT 06443

Fees must be received before your first game.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Tier I Tournament Director/CHC Girls Director	Ed Rodham	630-487-7503	chcgirlshockey@gmail.com
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RINK LOCATION

Northford Ice Pavilion
Address: 24 Fire-Lite Pl, Northford, CT 06472
Phone: (203) 484-4054

Located in Northford, CT, the Ice Pavilion features three ice surfaces, a Pro Shop, and a full-service snack bar.



HOTEL INFORMATION

Below is a list of hotels in the area. You are not required to stay at a specific hotel and can book one that meets your team's budget and needs.

Hotel Name	Address	Phone	Approx. Distance ¹
Clarion Inn North Haven Hotel	201 Washington Ave, North Haven, CT 06473	(855) 234-7135	~2.0 miles
Best Western Plus North Haven Hotel	201 Washington Ave (I-91, Exit 12), North Haven, CT 06473	(203) 239-6700	~1.9 miles
Residence Inn by Marriott New Haven Hamden	2312 Whitney Ave, Hamden, CT 06518	(855) 234-7135	~4.8 miles
Hilton Garden Inn Wallingford/Meriden	1181 Barnes Rd, Wallingford, CT 06492	(855) 236-8982	~6.0 – 6.1 miles
Homewood Suites by Hilton Wallingford-Meriden	90 Miles Dr, Wallingford, CT 06492-2555	(855) 234-2997	~6.0 – 6.1 miles

DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE INFORMATION

- Richard Oliver
- Dawn Bryson
- Mike McCullough
- Stephanie Secreto

- (1) The Discipline Committee shall consist of four (4) people and be appointed by the tournament director before the first game. Its members shall come from different communities. The referee-in-chief or their appointee shall not be eligible to serve on this committee.
- (2) The committee shall decide any action, suspension, or otherwise, against a player or team official receiving a game misconduct or match penalty. The committee shall have full power to waive or increase the one- or two-game suspension imposed in Rule 404 (c), Game Misconduct.
- (3) The committee shall have the authority to initiate action involving supplementary discipline against a player or team official, whether it involves the playing rules or not, provided, however, that no suspension shall occur without first giving notice of the intended action and providing the opportunity for a hearing.
- (4) No player or team official shall be suspended from participating in the remaining games unless he/she has been allowed to appear before the committee to relate his/her version of the incident.

Note 1: No hearing for game misconduct will be permitted for players who incur four penalties in the same game. Players shall be assessed a game misconduct penalty.

Note 2: No hearing for game misconduct will be permitted for any head coach whose team incurs twelve or more penalties during one game. The head coach shall be suspended for the next game of that team.



COACHES MEETING INFORMATION

The mandatory coaches' meeting will be conducted via conference call rather than in person. The meeting will take place on Wednesday, November 5, at 7:00 p.m. The conference call information will be emailed separately. The meeting will address the rules and ensure that all necessary information has been provided. This is a mandatory call, and each team must have a coach or manager on the call. The Head Coach will be suspended for the first game if a representative is absent on the call.



CREDENTIALS BINDER

Your Credentials book must be completed and checked by your State Registrar. Your State Registrar will then sign the Credentials Verification form and forward it to the host State Registrar before arrival. Your local State Registrar will notify the host State Registrar if any pieces are missing from your Credentials book. Should that occur, the player/players will not be allowed to play until documentation is provided to the Tournament Director. Your book must be present at the tournament and, upon request, be turned in to the local Tournament Director to resolve any outstanding questions. The Credential book should contain the following:

- (1) A certified Roster Registration Form (1-T) signed by your state registrar.
- (2) Sanctioned game score sheet to verify compliance with the 10/14 (Girls/Women) rules for each rostered player.
- (3) All coaches must show on the roster (1 above) that they are credentialed at the level mandated by USA Hockey.
- (4) Non-US Citizen (Transfer) must be noted as "Complete" on the roster (#1 above).
- (5) Consent to Treat forms for all players and coaches.



16U TIER I NEW ENGLAND REGIONAL SCHEDULE

TOURNEY INFORMATION

# Of Teams	Eligible Teams	Format	Location	Dates	Regionals
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CT Polar Bears Mid Fairfield 16U Major 1 Seacoast U16 Gold 	Round Robin – All games played to a winner. The team with the highest round robin points wins the regionals. 3-Team (Non-Seeded) Schedule Ice is cut between each period.	Northford Ice Pavilion	Nov 28-30	Nov 28-30 (Northford)

TEAMS

Participating Teams
Team A - CT Polar Bears
Team B - Mid Fairfield 16U Major 1
Team C – Seacoast U16 Gold

SCHEDULE

Date	Time	End	Level	Tourney	Facility	Rink	H	A	H	A
Friday, November 28, 2025	2:30 PM	4:30 PM	G16U - Tier 1	Regionals	Northford	White	C	A	Seacoast 16U Gold	CT Polar Bears
Saturday, November 29, 2025	4:10 PM	6:10 PM	G16U - Tier 1	Regionals	Northford	White	B	C	Mid Fairfield CT Stars	Seacoast 16U Gold
Sunday, November 30, 2025	4:30 PM	6:30 PM	G16U - Tier 1	Regionals	Northford	Red	A	B	CT Polar Bears	Mid Fairfield CT Stars



19U TIER I NEW ENGLAND REGIONALS

# Of Teams	Eligible Teams	Format	Location	Dates	Regionals
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CT Polar Bears 19U Major Mid Fairfield 19U Major 1 	Best of three 2-Team (Non-Seeded) Schedule Ice is cut between each period.	Northford	Nov 28-30	Nov 28-30 (Northford)

TEAMS

Participating Teams
Team A – Mid-Fairfield CT Stars
Team B – CT Polar Bears

SCHEDULE

Date	Time	End	Level	Tourney	Facility	Rink	H	A	H	A
Friday, November 28, 2025	2:40 PM	4:40 PM	G19U - Tier 1	Regionals	Northford	Red	G 1		Mid Fairfield CT Stars	CT Polar Bears
Saturday, November 29, 2025	4:00 PM	6:00 PM	G19U - Tier 1	Regionals	Northford	Red	G 2		CT Polar Bears	Mid Fairfield CT Stars
Sunday, November 30, 2025	5:40 PM	7:40 PM	G19U - Tier 1	Regionals	Northford	White	G 3		TBD	TBD



TOURNAMENT RULES

The tournament will follow the rules detailed in the USA Hockey [National Tournament Guidebook](#) and the applicable USA Hockey playing rules. Please make sure your coaches are familiar with all the rules.