



NCHC QUICK FACTS

Founded: July 13, 2011

Headquarters:
Colorado Springs, Colo.

Inaugural Season: 2013-14

Regular-Season Trophy: Julie and Spencer Penrose Memorial Cup

Tournament Championship:
Frozen Faceoff

Conference Tournament Site:
Xcel Energy Center,
St. Paul, Minn.

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2017-18 NCHC Regular Season Champion:
St. Cloud State

2018 NCHC Tournament Champion: Denver

2018 NCAA Tournament Teams from NCHC: 3

2018 NCAA Frozen Four Participants from NCHC: 1

National Champions:
3 (North Dakota, 2016; Denver, 2017; Minnesota Duluth, 2018)

ABOUT THE NCHC

The National Collegiate Hockey Conference was formed by like-minded institutions under the principles of an overall institutional commitment to Division I hockey, a high level of competitiveness, national exposure, and a strong history and tradition within the hockey program.

The NCHC was officially founded on July 13, 2011 at the historic Penrose House in Colorado Springs, Colo. The six founding members are Colorado College, University of Denver, Miami University, University of Minnesota Duluth, University of Nebraska Omaha and University of North Dakota. On Sept. 22, 2011, St. Cloud State University and Western Michigan University joined the NCHC to complete the eight-team conference, which held its first season of competition in 2013-14. NCHC teams have won three straight NCAA national championships over the last three seasons with North Dakota the NCHC's first national champion in 2016, Denver winning in 2017 and Minnesota Duluth last season.

NCHC MISSION

The National Collegiate Hockey Conference facilitates and fosters competitive, academic and operational excellence for its member institutions through the sport of ice hockey. The Conference supports a culture of professionalism and integrity, reflecting its commitment to grow the sport of ice hockey while creating a positive experience for the student-athletes and fans it serves.

NCHC VISION

The National Collegiate Hockey Conference strives to be the best single-sport conference in the NCAA by embracing our core values and operating collectively for the best interests of the Conference and member institutions.

CONNECT WITH THE NCHC



The NCHC's mobile responsive website is your place to find **news, video features, standings, schedules, stats, social media** and much more!

NCHCHockey.com



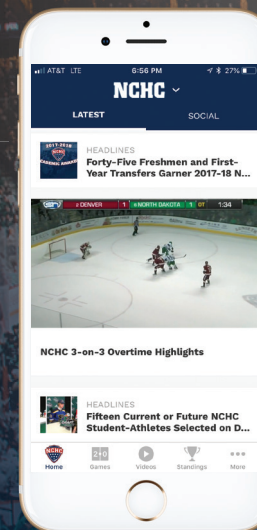
Watch the NCHC on national and regional TV throughout the season.



NCHC.tv

The NCHC's Digital Network

Returning for a fifth season in 2018-19 is the conference's digital network, **NCHC.tv**, which aggregates live **streaming** and **on-demand video content** from all eight member schools and the NCHC. The network was refreshed last season to now include school-specific news articles and social media, as well as video, on each team's channel. **Fans have access to on-demand video content for free** and can subscribe to watch almost all home games and most road conference games live during the season from anywhere on a computer or mobile device. **NCHC.tv** is also available on **Apple TV** and **Roku**, as well as mobile apps in the **Apple** and **Google Play** Stores.



SUBSCRIPTIONS

- Conference Season (approx. 150 games): **\$109.95**
- School Season (approx. 30 games): **\$99.95**
- Conference Monthly: **\$26.95**
- School Monthly: **\$21.95**
- Single-game subscriptions also available
- Visit **NCHC.tv** to sign up or for more information



NEW THIS YEAR:

Along with the AppleTV and Roku OTT apps, NCHC.tv will also be available on Amazon Fire TV.

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St. Cloud State
2017-18 Penrose Cup Champions

Denver
2018 Frozen Faceoff Champions



NCHC Tournament Format

All eight NCHC teams qualify for the tournament with the top four seeds hosting the bottom four teams (#1 vs. #8, #2 vs. #7, etc.) in a best-of-three quarterfinal series on their campuses March 15-17. The four quarterfinal winners then advance to Xcel Energy Center in St. Paul, Minn. for the NCHC Frozen Faceoff.

FROZEN FACEOFF 2019 SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, MARCH 22

Semifinal One 4:00 p.m.

Semifinal Two 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 23

Third-Place Game 3:30 p.m.

Championship Game 7:30 p.m.

TICKET INFORMATION

All-session tickets to the 2019 NCHC Frozen Faceoff start at \$55, which gets you access to all four games. Single day-session tickets will be available for purchase closer to the Frozen Faceoff. To purchase tickets, visit ticketmaster.com. For ticket pricing and more information, visit NCHCHockey.com/tickets. Discounted hotel rates in St. Paul are also available for fans attending the NCHC Frozen Faceoff through the NCHC website.



Group sales: 651-726-8200

Suite sales: 651-312-3485

Sponsorship opportunities: 719-203-6818



OTHER EVENTS

In addition to the hockey games, several other events will take place surrounding the NCHC Frozen Faceoff, including a Fan Fest, NCHC Awards Celebration, a Fan Skate and more! Don't miss out as four teams battle for the NCHC Tournament crown and an automatic NCAA Tournament bid.



BY THE NUMBERS

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NCAA national championships have been won by NCHC programs, including each of the last three seasons, with North Dakota winning the NCHC's first national championship in 2016, Denver in 2017 and Minnesota Duluth in 2018.

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NCHC teams have made the NCAA Frozen Four since the NCHC began play in 2013-14, the most of any conference, including at least one team all five seasons. The first all-NCHC national championship game occurred in 2017 between Minnesota Duluth and Denver.

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NCHC teams have qualified for the NCAA Tournament, second-most from one conference since 2013, including an NCAA Tournament record 75 percent of NCHC teams (six of eight) in 2015.



2018 National Champion
MINNESOTA DULUTH



MEMBER SCHOOL PROFILES

Institution	Location	Population	Enrollment	Nickname	Colors	Arena (Capacity)	Head Coach
Colorado College	Colorado Springs, CO	465,101	2,212	Tigers	Black & Gold	The Broadmoor World Arena (7,380)	Mike Haviland
Denver	Denver, CO	693,060	11,434	Pioneers	Crimson & Gold	Magness Arena (6,020)	David Carle
Miami	Oxford, OH	22,341	19,452	RedHawks	Red & White	Steve Cady Arena (3,642)	Enrico Blasi
Minnesota Duluth	Duluth, MN	86,293	11,168	Bulldogs	Maroon & Gold	AMSOIL Arena (6,756)	Scott Sandelin
North Dakota	Grand Forks, ND	57,339	15,000	Fighting Hawks	Kelly Green & White	Ralph Engelstad Arena (11,643)	Brad Berry
Omaha	Omaha, NE	446,970	15,731	Mavericks	Black & Crimson	Baxter Arena (7,898)	Mike Gabinet
St. Cloud State	St. Cloud, MN	67,641	14,615	Huskies	Black & Cardinal	Herb Brooks National Hockey Center (5,159)	Brett Larson
Western Michigan	Kalamazoo, MI	75,984	22,893	Broncos	Brown & Gold	Lawson Ice Arena (3,667)	Andy Murray

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NCHC student-athletes have earned AHCA All-America honors, including six last season, the second-most from one conference for 2017-18.



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NHL draft picks are on 2018-19 NCHC rosters, including 16 players selected in the 2018 NHL Entry Draft.



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NCHC alumni played in the NHL during the 2017-18 season, including 15 players who made their NHL debut. NCHC programs combined to produce 82 alumni that played in the NHL last season.