

Michigan Amateur Hockey Association

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MAHA / LCAHL Welcomes Your Team to GameSheet!

LCAHL Coaches & Team Managers:

We are very proud to announce that **Michigan Amateur Hockey Association (MAHA) and Little Caesars Amateur Hockey League (LCAHL)** are collaborating to onboard your team to **GameSheet** as our statewide scoring platform, starting with the 2023-2024 Regular Season.

Please read the following information regarding the following: **Team Onboarding, Ipad Sourcing, and Training**.

More information will follow and any questions you have will be answered in due course by the GameSheet team.

Step One - Team Onboarding

Onboarding is a simple process. Next week we will send you an invitation code along with instructions to join GameSheet and enter your roster into the system. This will take you **5 minutes** to complete. Upon registering your team for GameSheet, the system will store your roster, digital score sheets, as well as email a digital copy of your scoresheet when your game is over.

- The system is being used statewide so you will be able to schedule and score exhibition and event games in GameSheet.
- GameSheet is being utilized by LCAHL to update scores and standings on a real time basis.
 * If games are not scored in GameSheet your team's game will not update in the league standings.
- If you go to an Event using GameSheet, your digital score sheet will automatically be emailed to you. This includes all state events for MAHA.

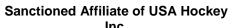
Step Two - iPad Sourcing:

In order to score your game, the **HOME** team will be responsible for securing an iPad for the scorekeeper.

- GameSheet Scoring App requires an iOS 12 or higher, which is up to 10 years old
- The scoring App can be located and downloaded from the App Store at no charge

IMPORTANT: Based on 10 years of experience, <u>GameSheet strongly recommends that an iPad be</u> <u>facilitated within your team's families as the primary option</u>. Most teams in leagues/affiliates using GameSheet, some of which have over 600 (+) teams, a family member from the team will volunteer an old iPad for the Team Manager for the season to utilize for scoring home games.

Below is a link to additional iPad solutions: https://help.gamesheet.app/article/69-hardware-ipad-solution-ideas







League / Team / Family / Affiliate Benefits

As a Michigan based league and as an Affiliate of MAHA, GameSheet will be provided to LCAHL teams as a member benefit, at **no cost to you**. Per our discussions at the 2023 MAHA Summer Meetings, as well as the recent Association Presidents' call, MAHA is providing this benefit to help support your league's infrastructure, eliminate paper score sheets and stickers, and streamline MAHA processes such as team credentialing for District and States. Also, your use of the platform minimizes volunteer hours while providing real time updates to standings and scores for your league membership.

Qualifiers

GameSheet has numerous statewide contracts including Minnesota Hockey where every youth game and event for 2,400 teams is scored on its platform. GameSheet Staff has provided **Minnesota Hockey** the training, scheduling, and web integration to make the program successful.

Step Three - GameSheet Training

The best way to prepare for the 2023-24 season is to familiarize yourself with the GameSheet product and functionality. You will quickly discover Gamesheet is user friendly and simple to learn - it was designed by hockey people for hockey people. To ensure this, we are providing the following support materials for your use:

On-Demand Training

Training Videos: <u>https://help.gamesheet.app/article/29-training-videos</u> Quick Start Guide for Scoring: <u>https://help.gamesheet.app/article/64-quick-start-scoring</u> Quick Start Guide for Teams/Managers: <u>https://help.gamesheet.app/article/72-quick-start-guide-for-team-managers</u>

Weekly LIVE Q&A Sessions (Zoom)

GameSheet will be supporting MAHA with weekly open Q & A sessions on Zoom, starting August 7th through November 30th:

- Team Specific Coach/Manager Mondays @ 8pm EST (through 11/27)
- Scorekeeper Specific Tuesdays @ 8pm EST (through 11/28)
- League Admin / Tournament Directors Web Integration Wednesdays @ 8pm EST (through 11/30)

Zoom Link for All Training Sessions: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83818074198?pwd=Q0xUZUUxMGI5cWIOSE1qS3Vja1ICZz09





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Next week, you will be receiving your team's invitation codes with specific instructions on how to get onboarded with GameSheet. Please be sure to review and complete the onboarding instructions as soon as possible.

Please feel free to reach out with questions – to learn more about the GameSheet product and capabilities, click here or e-mail support@gamesheetinc.com.

Regards,

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About GameSheet

Scoring 10,000 youth, college, and adult hockey/LAX games per week coast to coast in North America, GameSheet has been the most trusted source for integrated digital scorekeeping and league management since 2013. GameSheet is recognized as best-in-class technology by the oldest, largest and most respected leagues and sports organizations in the world - Ontario JR LAX, Three Step LAX, Ontario LAX Association, National Hockey League, British Columbia Hockey League, Minnesota Hockey (2400 Teams), OMHA (3000 Teams), PEI, New Brunswick, MASS Hockey (1050 Teams), USA Hockey (All National Youth, High School and Adult Events, Ivan Hlinka, Five Nations Cup), IIHF (Disabled Hockey), USA Hockey National Team, New England Hockey, MID AM, Ohio Hockey, New York Hockey, AHAI, Indiana Hockey, Wisconsin, and Silver Stick.

GameSheet is exclusively integrated with **MY Hockey Rankings**. GameSheet has roster integrations with **USA Hockey, and Hockey Canada. Additionally,** GameSheet live scoring is integrated with **Live Barn and USA Hockey TV.**

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