



Jr. Ducks announce 2025-26 Tier 1 tryout times, coaches

The Anaheim Jr. Ducks are pleased to announce their Tier 1 coaches and tryout times for the 2025-26 season. **All Tier 1 tryouts will be held at Great Park ICE and Five Points Arena on June 6-7. Specific times and rink assignments are listed their respective teams below.**

The Tier 1 program continues to experience massive team and individual success

- The Jr. Ducks Tier 1 teams are thriving on the national level. The 150, 16U and 18U teams won Pacific District championships in 2025 to advance to the USA Hockey Nationals. The club has had 22 Tier 1 Nationals qualifiers and 16 Tier 1 CAHA titles since 2015. The 150, 16U and 18U teams reached the Tier 1 Elite Hockey League's heavily scouted playoffs for the 10th consecutive year.
- The club's reputation for player advancement also continues to grow. Seven more players with ties to the club made NCAA Division I commitments, bringing the total to 81 players since the Jr. Ducks' inception and 51 in the past 11 years. During the 2024-25 season, 68 former Jr. Ducks played Division I, Division III and ACHA hockey. There were 57 more playing Junior hockey.
- Three more players with ties to the club were selected in the 2024 NHL Entry Draft, giving the club 17 total NHL draft picks. That includes Zeev Buium, who went 12th overall to Minnesota, making him the highest-drafted California-born and -trained player. Two homegrown picks went in the first round in 2019. Cam York was taken 14th overall by Philadelphia. Ryan Johnson went 31st overall to Buffalo. York made his NHL debut in 2021; Johnson made his in 2023.

Director of Coaches

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18U AAA (2007-08)

Coach August Aikenaugust.aiken@gmail.com

Tryouts

June 6: 6:15 p.m., Rink 3; **June 7:** 10:15 a.m., Rink 3

16U AAA (2009)

Head coach Alex Kimalexmkim79@gmail.com**Assistant coach Noah Clarke**noah.j.clarke@gmail.com

Tryouts

June 6: 7:30 p.m., Rink 3; **June 7:** 10:15 a.m., Rink 3

150 AAA (2010)

Head coach Alex Kimalexmkim79@gmail.com**Assistant coach David Walker**davidwalkerjr@hotmail.com

Tryouts

June 6: 5 p.m., Rink 3; **June 7:** 9 a.m., Rink 3

14U AAA (2011)

Head coach Kahlil Thomaskahlilt@hotmail.com**Assistant coach Ray Macias**rmaciashky1092@gmail.com

Tryouts

June 6: 7:45 p.m., Rink 4; **June 7:** 9 a.m., Rink 3

130 AAA (2012)

Coach Sasha Voloshinavoloshin91@gmail.com**Assistant coach Jeff Noviello**jeffnoviello@gmail.com

Tryouts

June 6: 6:30 p.m., Rink 4; **June 7:** 9:30 a.m., Rink 4

12U AAA (2013)

Head coach Craig Johnsoncjprohockey@hotmail.com**Associate coach Vitaly Vishnevski**GVVISH@aol.com

Tryouts

June 6: 5:15 p.m., Rink 3; **June 7:** 9:30 a.m., Rink 4

2014 birth year

Head coach Larry Barronlarrybarron@barronhockey.com**Assistant coach Mike Bickley**mike@nxtlevelhockey.com

2015 birth year

Head coach Noah Clarkenoah.j.clarke@gmail.com**Assistant coach Mike Bickley**mike@nxtlevelhockey.com

2016 birth year

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