



## MINNEAPOLIS GIRLS HOCKEY



2020 - 2021

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# Welcome to Minneapolis Girls High School Hockey

## WHO WE ARE...

A cooperative effort among all seven Minneapolis High Schools, Minneapolis Girl's Hockey continues the grand tradition of strong and skilled teams from the State of Hockey's largest city.



VARSITY				
#	Name	Position	Grade	School
1	Molly Taylor	G	11	Southwest
2	Celia Midtbo	F	10	Washburn
3	Piper Sorock	D	11	Southwest
4	Eloise McKinney	D	9	Southwest
6	Augusta Crow	F	12	Southwest
8	Elsie Lawless	D	10	Southwest
10	Julia Stevens	D	12	Southwest
11	Ana Davis	F	10	Washburn
13	Talia Christman	F	11	Southwest
16	Erin Lieb	F	11	Washburn
19	Lilah Kyllonen	F	12	Southwest
20	Ruby Christman	D	10	Southwest
22	Savannah Forrest	F	10	Southwest
23	Lizzy Hamel	F	9	Washburn
24	Lily Andersen	F	12	South
28	Avery Cheeseman	D	10	Washburn
31	Lucy Bruening	G	11	Washburn
33	Natalia Hardcopf	F	10	Southwest

JUNIOR VARSITY				
#	Name	Position	Grade	School
5	Ella Erickson	F/D	9	Washburn
7	Ava Carney	D	9	Washburn
9	Ava Weaverling	D	11	Washburn
12	Brielle Anderson	F	9	Washburn
14	Tove Moen	D	10	Southwest
15	Grace Ann Goodale	F	10	Washburn
17	Kaiva Pelecis	F	10	Southwest
18	Rachel Walker	F	9	Southwest
26	Adelaide Bruce	F	10	Washburn
29	Caroline Hartley	D	10	Southwest
30	Ali Fider	G	9	Southwest
44	Gwen Bubser	F	11	Edison

### Coaches:

Varsity Head Coach - Sarma Ozmen  
Varsity Assistant Coach - Hailey Field  
Varsity Assistant/Goalie Coach - Steve Barrett  
Varsity Assistant Coach - Lisa Martinson

JV Head Coach - Jim King  
JV Assistant Coach - Kevin Ario  
JV Assistant Coach - Jack Christman

## Minneapolis Girls High School Hockey Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
<b>VARSITY</b>			
Thu Jan 21	@ <a href="#">Bloomington Jefferson Visitation</a>	Bloomington Ice Garden	<a href="#">7:15 PM CST</a>
Sat Jan 23		Parade Ice Garden	<a href="#">10:15 AM CST</a>
Wed Jan 27	@ <a href="#">Gentry Academy</a>	TCO Sports Garden	<a href="#">7:30 PM CST</a>
Sat Jan 30	<a href="#">Chaska/Chanhassen</a>	Parade Ice Garden	<a href="#">1:00 PM CST</a>
Tue Feb 2	@ <a href="#">Mahtomedi</a>	Mahtomedi - St. Croix Rec Center	<a href="#">7:00 PM CST</a>
Thu Feb 4	@ <a href="#">Eden Prairie</a>	Eden Prairie High School	<a href="#">7:00 PM CST</a>
Tue Feb 9	@ <a href="#">Henry Sibley/St. Paul</a>	West Saint Paul Arena	<a href="#">7:00 PM CST</a>
Fri Feb 12	@ <a href="#">Hopkins/Park</a>	Minnetonka Ice Arena	<a href="#">8:00 PM CST</a>
Tue Feb 16	<a href="#">Hopkins/Park</a>	Parade Ice Garden	<a href="#">5:45 PM CST</a>
Sat Feb 20	@ <a href="#">Minnehaha United</a>	Minnehaha Academy Ice Arena	<a href="#">7:00 PM CST</a>
Tue Feb 23	@ <a href="#">South St Paul</a>	SSP - Doug Woog Arena	<a href="#">7:00 PM CST</a>
Thu Feb 25	@ <a href="#">Chisago Lakes</a>	Chisago Lakes Arena	<a href="#">7:00 PM CST</a>
Thu Mar 4	@ <a href="#">Holy Angels</a>	Richfield Ice Arena	<a href="#">7:00 PM CST</a>
Sat Mar 6	@ <a href="#">Chaska/Chanhassen</a>	Chaska Community Center	<a href="#">12:00 PM CST</a>
Mon Mar 8	@ <a href="#">Benilde-St. Margaret's</a>	St. Louis Park Recreation Center	<a href="#">7:00 PM CST</a>
Thu Mar 11	@ <a href="#">Bloomington Jefferson</a>	Bloomington Ice Garden	<a href="#">7:15 PM CST</a>
Sat Mar 13	<a href="#">Eden Prairie</a>	Parade Ice Garden	<a href="#">4:00 PM CST</a>
<b>JUNIOR VARSITY</b>			
Thu Jan 21	@ Bloomington Jefferson	Bloomington Ice Garden	<a href="#">Cancelled</a>
Sat Jan 30	Chaska/Chanhassen	Parade Ice Garden	<a href="#">Cancelled</a>
Tue Feb 2	@ Mahtomedi	Mahtomedi - St. Croix Rec Center	<a href="#">Cancelled</a>
Thu Feb 4	@ Eden Prairie	Eden Prairie Community Center	<a href="#">5:00 PM CST</a>
Tue Feb 9	@ Henry Sibley/St. Paul	West Saint Paul Arena	<a href="#">5:00 PM CST</a>
Fri Feb 12	@ Hopkins/St. Louis Park	Minnetonka Ice Arena	<a href="#">6:30 PM CST</a>
Mon Feb 15	@ Mahtomedi	St Croix Valley Recreation Center	<a href="#">12:00 PM CST</a>
Tue Feb 16	@ Hopkins/St. Louis Park	Minnetonka Ice Arena	<a href="#">4:00 PM CST</a>
Tue Feb 23	@ South St. Paul	SSP - Doug Woog Arena	<a href="#">5:00 PM CST</a>
Mon Mar 1	Hopkins/St. Louis Park	Northeast Ice Arena	<a href="#">4:15 PM CST</a>
Thu Mar 4	Academy of Holy Angels	Parade Ice Garden	<a href="#">5:00 PM CST</a>
Sat Mar 6	@ Chaska/Chanhassen	Chaska Community Center	<a href="#">10:00 AM CST</a>
Mon Mar 8	@ Benilde- St. Margaret's	St. Louis Park Recreation Center	<a href="#">5:00 PM CST</a>
Wed Mar 10	@ Gentry Academy	Oscar Johnson Arena	<a href="#">7:00 PM CST</a>
Thu Mar 11	@ Bloomington Jefferson	Bloomington Ice Garden	<a href="#">5:00 PM CST</a>

For up-to-date schedule information, please see [mplshockey.com/highschool](http://mplshockey.com/highschool) or [mplscity.org](http://mplscity.org).



**Varsity Team Players**



**Molly Taylor**  
*Goalie Grade 11 Southwest*



**Celia Midtbo**  
*Forward Grade 10 Washburn*



**Piper Sorock**  
*Defense Grade 11 Southwest*



**Erin Lieb**  
*Forward Grade 11 Washburn*



**Lilah Kyllonen**  
*Forward Grade 12 Southwest*



**Ruby Christman**  
*Defense Grade 10 Southwest*



**Eloise McKinney**  
*Defense Grade 9 Southwest*



**Augusta Crow**  
*Forward Grade 12 Southwest*



**Elsie Lawless**  
*Defense Grade 10 Southwest*



**Savannah Forrest**  
*Forward Grade 10 Southwest*



**Lizzy Hamel**  
*Forward Grade 9 Washburn*



**Lily Andersen**  
*Forward Grade 12 South*



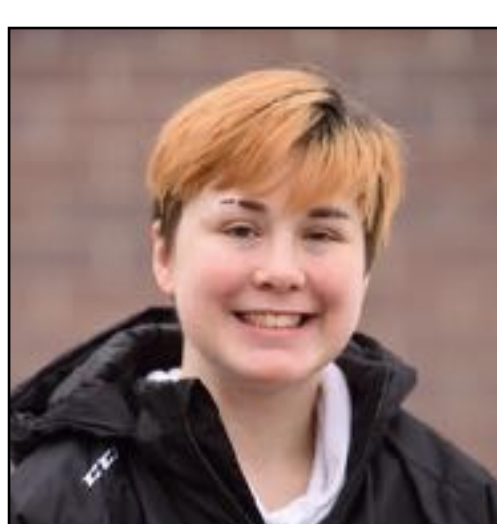
**Julia Stevens**  
*Defense Grade 12 Southwest*



**Ana Davis**  
*Forward Grade 10 Washburn*



**Talia Christman**  
*Forward Grade 11 Southwest*



**Avery Cheeseman**  
*Defense Grade 10 Washburn*



**Lucy Bruening**  
*Goalie Grade 11 Washburn*



**Natalia Hardcopf**  
*Forward Grade 10 Southwest*

**Varsity Team Players**



## Junior Varsity Team Players



**Ella Erickson**

Defense Grade 9 Washburn



**Ava Carney**

Defense Grade 9 Washburn



**Ava Weaverling**

Defense Grade 11 Washburn



**Brielle Anderson**

Forward Grade 9 Washburn



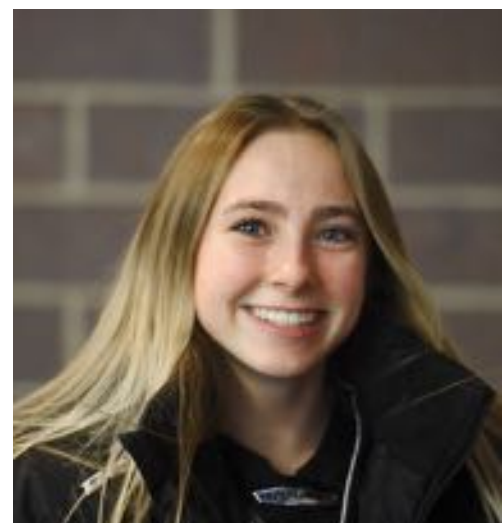
**Tove Moen**

Forward Grade 10 Southwest



**Grace Ann Goodale**

Defense Grade 10 Washburn



**Kaiva Pelecis**

Forward Grade 10 Southwest



**Rachel Walker**

Forward Grade 9 Southwest



**Adelaide Bruce**

Forward Grade 10 Washburn

## Junior Varsity Team Players



**Caroline Hartley**

Defense Grade 10 Southwest



**Ali Fider**

Goalie Grade 9 Southwest



**Gwen Bubser**

Forward Grade 11 Edison





# OUR COACHES



**Left to right:** Kevin Ario, Steve Barrett, Sarma Ozmen, Hailey Field, Jim King  
**Not pictured:** Lisa Martinson, Jack Christman

## **Sarma Ozmen, Varsity Head Coach**

Sarma played for the Minnesota Thoroughbreds while attending Minneapolis Southwest High School. She played for the University of Minnesota 1997-2002, winning the National Championship in 2000. Following college, Sarma played internationally for several teams including teams in Sweden, Latvia, Turkey and New Zealand. Sarma has played hockey for the Latvian national team. She also had an extensive career playing bandy. Sarma began her coaching career in 2001, coaching youth teams in St. Paul. Her coaching assignments include Assistant Coach at Academy of Holy Angels (2004-07, "A" State Champions in 2005), Head Coach of the St. Paul Blades (2007-11), Assistant Coach at Hamline University (2011-12), and Head Coach at Tartan High School (2012-13). Sarma is in her 7th year as head coach for Minneapolis and is currently a college hockey referee in both the WCHA and MIAC.

## **Hailey Field, Varsity Assistant Coach**

Hailey started playing hockey in 7th grade and played four years of varsity hockey for Hopkins High School where she became team captain her senior year. Hailey is a graduate of the University of St. Thomas and works in finance. Hailey has coached youth and high school hockey in Hopkins and Minneapolis for over 10 years and enjoys seeing the growth in the players from year to year.

## **Steve Barrett, Varsity Assistant/Goalie Coach**

This is Steve's first year with the Minneapolis program. He was a goaltender at Alexander Ramsey high school in Roseville and has coached at many levels. Steve loves being at the rink and doing his best to help players get better. Steve is a graduate of the University of Minnesota and works as a professional civil engineer.

## **Lisa Martinson, Varsity Assistant Coach**

Lisa Martinson is a St. Louis Park native and played college hockey at St. Cloud State University. She is currently playing in her second year with the Minnesota Whitecaps. Lisa has several years of experience coaching at the youth and high school levels.

## **Jim King, JV Head Coach**

James grew up in Madison, WI where he played youth, high school and college hockey. James coached girl's youth hockey for Minneapolis Hockey Association (Storm) for 6 years. James retired in 2017 after a career as a portfolio manager for Columbia Threadneedle Investments. When not on the ice, James can frequently be found in the mountains out west enjoying the outdoors.

## **Kevin Ario, JV Assistant Coach**

Kevin graduated from Washburn in 1984 where he played baseball, hockey and soccer. He returned the next year to coach those sports. He moved on to coaching his children, and is now excited to be returning to the ice to help coach the JV team.

## **Jack Christman, JV Assistant Coach**

Jack has played hockey his whole life and has coached youth hockey for a number of years. He joined the coaching staff this year to assist with the JV team.

# OUR CAPTAINS



**Talia Christman**

**Julia Stevens**

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# SENIOR REFLECTIONS

## Augusta Crow

Guppy/Augusta, Your enthusiastic, competitive personality has always shown through in hockey. From showing the boys how it's done, to chasing after kids twice your size. It's been fun to watch you and to think about what you will apply it to next. Love Mom and Dad



## Lilah Kyllonen

Lilah, as a kid you shunned hockey for figure-skating, until you froze in the car on the way to a performance because you refused to wear a coat over your leotard. After that you stuck to skating in the backyard until 5th grade. Then, surprise! The neighbors told us you were planning to play for the Storm in the upcoming season. What? You're furiously independent, yet a true team player, and that's why we love you! Mom & Dad



## Julia Stevens

Julia, It has been a joy to watch you grow from a sweet young girl into the wonderful young woman you are today. Hockey has been a big part of your life ever since you started in U6, and it has been so much fun to watch you play. We look forward to seeing you in the next chapter of your life both on and off the ice in college. We are so proud of you. Love, Mom and Dad



## Lily Andersen

Lily, we were surprised, when in the 5th grade, you wanted to try hockey. We watched you, determined to learn the game, stick with it. We are so proud of you and love to watch you play. Love, Mom & Dad





## Varsity



## Junior Varsity





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