



Boise Youth Amateur Hockey Association (BYAHA)
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BYAHA Dual-Rostering and Non-member Policy

Dual-Roster Players

Dual-roster players are those that sign up for and play for a Junior Steelheads team, while pursuing part-time options with another team.

1. Registration - Players intending to roster on multiple teams, with BYAHA as their primary team, must register with BYAHA before registering with another organization so that BYAHA will be reflected as their home organization with IAHA and USA Hockey.
2. BYAHA scheduled events are top priority, regardless of practice or a game situation. Rare exceptions may be granted with prior permission from the Head Coach *and* Hockey Director, as long as it does not impact BYAHA's ability to roster a team.
3. If a player does not choose to make the Jr. Steelheads their primary team, or if there are conflicts that interfere with BYAHA responsibilities, their status will be reconsidered as a Non-Member Idaho Player.
4. All dual rostering is at the discretion of the BYAHA Hockey Director and Executive Committee.

Non-Member Players

BYAHA recognizes the value of supporting other Idaho youth hockey programs when a need arises. Historically, due to limited numbers of players in certain age groups, BYAHA has successfully combined with other programs to roster a team. The Hockey Director has authority to approve a roster which has a combination of BYAHA players along with players from other IAHA Member Associations based on a recommendation from the Hockey Director and taking into account:

- Demonstrated need: e.g., not enough players in their home organization.
- BYAHA has a need: e.g., does not have enough players to roster a full team and the accommodation of non-member players will not compromise the opportunities for any BYAHA players.
- Non-Member player will not take a roster spot from a BYAHA player.
- Expectation that players commit to a BYAHA team roster for the duration of the season and attend a majority of games.
- When player numbers exist for creation of teams at more than one level (i.e. A & B teams), non-member player should be assessed in BYAHA preseason evaluations and by the Hockey Director. Player should be placed on the appropriate level team.
- Non-members and their families must comply with applicable BYAHA codes of conduct and must meet all applicable USA Hockey and IAHA Rostering requirements.



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- Parents of Non-Member Players will not be considered part of the BYAHA organization and therefore do not have the same rights or privileges of an association member, including voting rights.

BYAHA players that have been selected to play for a Jr. Steelheads team must prioritize their BYAHA team. It will not be permitted for a player to play for any other team while on a Jr. Steelheads team without the express written consent of the BYAHA Hockey Director. The Jr. Steelheads “season” is defined as lasting from when the team is selected through the last scheduled game of the year.