

Coaches Meeting 2020-2021

Introductions and Welcome

- Tom White
- Development Committee
 - Tom, Brian, Storie, Mike Sislo
 - Girls – Bob Benson
 - MM/Termite - Tom White, Ari Jago
 - Mite – Modeen
 - Squirt – Severin
 - PeeWee – Matt Sislo
 - Bantam – Kellen McCoshen
 - JR Gold – Dick
 - Goalie – Casey Geissler

Games and Tournaments

- D11 is a go
- Home tournaments are filling up
- We have signed teams up for travel
 - Tried to avoid multiple teams at same location
 - Based on previous teams' recommendations

Mask requirements

- Be a role model
- High School example
- Hopefully changes at end of Sept.

Locker Rooms

- Possible dressing area in arena

Coaching requirements

- All information is on website under Coaches tab
- Application
- Register with USA Hockey
- Must do a background check before going on the ice
- Safesport must be completed each year starting 4-1-20
- Appropriate Modules
- USA Hockey Levels
 - Payment for all expense need to be turned in, will be paid after the season begins.
 - If not planning to coach, but want to help, start with registering as a volunteer.

Non-Parent Coach Travel Expenses

- Paperwork in on website
 - 3 travel events, swings, tournaments
 - Manager must sign
 - Payment will be made after trip return
 - Must have receipts

Coaches

- We do not pick coaches based on previous record
- We want coaches to develop all players
- Equal playing time for all

Development

- Volunteers from HS and UWS
 - Preseason evaluations for certain skills
 - Termites – push chair, smile
 - MM, SQ, PW, BA, Girls – stop both ways, crossover, forward, backward, speed, shooting, passing
 - ADM practices
 - Have a leader
 - Mix kids up, have them push each other
 - May have different coaches show up
 - Wednesday daytime and other evenings
 - Skill Sessions
 - Skating
 - Goalies
 - Rink rat

Picking of teams

- Termites, MM, Mites
 - Dev Committee Chair and Coaches
 - Pick teams to be fair, not friends
- Squirts
 - Dev Committee will start with picking coaches
 - Two coaches per team
 - Coaches will do snake draft
- PeeWee – Bantam
 - Tryouts will be entire time
 - Nobody is guaranteed a spot – it is a tryout
 - Jerseys for kids to wear – based on number
 - Maybe blue one day, white another
 - Plan is to have multiple days of evaluations, different people watching and keeping a scoresheet. Then we take an average of all sheets to pick the top players. Do a couple scrimmages. Example bubble kids for average rank.
 - Goalie help from Casey and others

Schedules

- No special requests
- Multiple problems this year making things difficult
- If you can't make it, ask for help
- Goal is equal time for all teams

Questions Comments