



HOCKEY LEAGUES



ROCKFORD PARK DISTRICT

FALL 2008-WINTER 2009

JUNIOR ICEHOGS "FUN"-DAMENTAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Games and practices are held at Carlson Ice Arena and Riverview Ice House (Mighty Mite and Mite games and practices held on the Riverview Ice House Studio Rink). All players must provide their own equipment. Requests for placing up to three people on the same team will be considered. **League Discounts and ACH Payment Plan available for this program – see pg 5!**

REGISTRATION DEADLINES: FALL SEASON – 9/26/08
WINTER SEASON – 1/6/09

\$15 LATE FEE for registration after the deadline

MIGHTY MITES (BIRTH YR 2002-03)

FEE: \$120 (\$130 non-resident)

DAYS	DATES	PLAYER ID#
Thurs or Fri/Sun	10/10–12/21*	850220-40
Thurs or Fri/Sun	1/16–3/22	850220-10

* No hockey the week of Thanksgiving (11/24-11/30)

MITES (BIRTH YR 2000-01)

FEE: \$145 (\$155 non-resident)

DAYS	DATES	PLAYER ID#
Mon/Tues/Wed/Sun	10/12–12/21*	850221-40
Mon/Tues/Wed/Sun	1/18–3/22	850221-10

* No hockey the week of Thanksgiving (11/24-11/30)

SQUIRTS (BIRTH YR 1998-99)

FEE: \$185 (\$195 non-resident); Goalies \$75

DAYS	DATES	PLAYER ID#	GOALIE ID#
Mondays/Saturdays	10/11–12/21*	850223-40	850223-4G
Mondays/Saturdays	1/17–3/22	850223-10	850223-1G

* No hockey the week of Thanksgiving (11/24-11/30)

pee wees (BIRTH YR 1996-97)

FEE: \$185 (\$195 non-resident)

DAYS	DATES	PLAYER ID#	GOALIE ID#
Fridays/Saturdays	10/10–12/21*	850224-40	850224-4G
Fridays/Saturdays	1/16–3/22	850224-10	850224-1G

* No hockey the week of Thanksgiving (11/24-11/30)

BANTAMS (BIRTH YR 1994-95)

FEE: \$195 (\$205 non-resident); Goalies \$75

DAYS	DATES	PLAYER ID#	GOALIE ID#
Saturdays/Sundays	10/11–12/21*	850225-40	850225-4G
Saturdays/Sundays	1/17–3/22	850225-10	850225-1G

* No hockey the week of Thanksgiving (11/24-11/30)

MIDGETS (BIRTH YR 1992-93)

FEE: \$195 (\$205 non-resident); Goalies \$75

DAYS	DATES	PLAYER ID#	GOALIE ID#
Mondays/Sundays	10/12–12/21*	850226-40	850226-4G
Mondays/Sundays	1/18–3/22	850226-10	850226-1G

* No hockey the week of Thanksgiving (11/24-11/30)

PRE-SEASON SKATE PARENTS MEETING

LEVEL	DATE	SKATE TIME	PARENT MTG	LOCATION
Mighty Mites	9/28	5:00 PM	5:30 PM	Riverview Ice House
Mites	9/28	6:00 PM	6:30 PM	Riverview Ice House
Squirts	9/28	7:00 PM	7:30 PM	Riverview Ice House
PeeWee	9/29	6:00 PM	6:30 PM	Carlson Ice Arena
Bantam	9/29	7:00 PM	7:30 PM	Carlson Ice Arena
Midget	9/29	8:00 PM	8:30 PM	Carlson Ice Arena

NOTE: Additional meetings offered in January. Call 815-969-4071 for more information

JUNIOR ICEHOGS LEAGUE TOURNAMENTS (included with league registration)

Holiday Tournament – December 19-21 2008

March Mania Tournament – March 20-22, 2009

SENIOR ICEHOGS HOCKEY LEAGUE

Senior IceHogs Adult Hockey League is a recreational hockey league for players ages 16 and older. There are three leagues – "A," "B," and the new beginner "C" league for new players who want to enjoy the game. Players will be placed on A- and B- and C- league teams. Requests for placing up to three people on the same team will be considered. Rosters limited – please sign up early. Games are played at Carlson Ice Arena and Riverview Ice House, primarily on Sundays (other game days possible). Players are required to wear full equipment.

FALL SEASON Games 10/12–12/14 • Playoffs 12/19–12/23

"A" League – ID# 850250-4A

"C" League – ID# 850250-4C

"B" League – ID# 850250-4B

Goalies – ID# 850250-4G

WINTER SEASON Games 1/11–3/14 (no games 2/1) • Playoffs 3/19–3/21

"A" League – ID# 850250-1A

"C" League – ID# 850250-1C

"B" League – ID# 850250-1B

Goalies – ID# 850250-1G

FEES: Players – \$145 per season (\$155 non-resident)

10% discount if registering for both seasons by 9/26/08

Goalies – \$65 per season (\$75 non-resident)

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WINTER SEASON – 1/6/09

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CLINICS

SKILLS AND DRILLS CLINICS

Attention Squirts and PeeWees! Tim Mattila, coach of 12-time state champion Rockford IceMen and Director of Coaching Development for the Rockford Park District, will hold four 6-week sessions and one 5-week session of intense skill development. Space is very limited, so sign up early!

DATES:	9/11–10/16	ID# 850303-01
	10/23–12/4 (no class on 11/27)	ID# 850303-02
	1/8–2/12	ID# 850303-03
	2/19–3/26	ID# 850303-04
	4/2–4/30*	ID# 850303-05

TIME: Thursdays, 7:30-8:20 PM
LOCATION: Carlson Ice Arena
FEE: \$59 per 6-week session (\$69 non-resident)
*\$49 for 5-week session (\$59 non-resident)

COACHING CLINIC

This clinic, held by 12-time state champion coach Tim Mattila, is a prerequisite to becoming a head coach for the Junior IceHogs program. Register early and bring your own skates, helmet, and gloves!

DATE/TIME: Saturday, September 27 • 8:00 AM-1:00 PM
LOCATION: Riverview Ice House
FEE: FREE!
ID#: 450305-00

REFEREE CLINIC

The Rockford Park District is offering a free Referee Clinic to get people started in this awesome profession. Must be age 14 or older to referee. Bring your own helmet, pants, whistle, referee jersey, and skates the day of the clinic.

DATE/TIME: Sunday, September 28 • 2:00-4:00 PM
LOCATION: Riverview Ice House
FEE: FREE!
ID#: 450306-00

HOLIDAY CLINICS

Coach Don Walker is holding 2-day clinics for passing/puckhandling and shooting – all the best parts of practice! Goalies beware, or better yet – be there! Junior IceHogs goalies can register for free (limited instruction and space).

PASSING/PUCKHANDLING CLINIC ID# 550307-01
Work on passing and puckhandling over the holidays in our 2-day clinic.

SHOOTING CLINIC ID# 550307-02
2-day clinic covering wristshot, backhand, deflections, and slapshots.

AGES: 6-Adult
DATES: Friday, December 26–Saturday, December 27
TIMES: Passing/Puckhandling, 9:00-10:20 AM
Shooting, 10:30-11:50 AM
LOCATION: Riverview Ice House
FEE: \$30 each or both for \$50; Goalies free

TOURNAMENTS

YOUTH IRONMAN EXTRAVAGANZA

Register as a team for this 4-on-4 tournament. Games will have two 6-minute halves with a 1-minute break. Total number of games will be based on the number of teams. Goalies will play against each other. No substitutions! No off sides! No icing!

DIVISIONS	Team ID#	Goalie ID#
PeeWee (Birth Yr 1996-97)	84502524	4502524-G
Bantam (Birth Yr 1994-95)	84502525	4502525-G
Midget (Birth Yr 1992-93)	84502526	4502526-G

DATE: Friday, November 28, 2008 • 10 am-8 pm
LOCATION: Riverview Ice House
FEE: \$89/team; Goalies \$20

JUNIOR ICEHOGS YOUTH HOLIDAY CLASSIC 3-ON-3 TOURNAMENT

Grab four of your friends and put together a team for a fun 3-on-3 tournament. No check/no slapshot two 15-minute running time periods. Bring both a light and dark colored jersey.

DIVISIONS	League Team ID#	Goalie Activity ID#
Squirt (Birth Yr 1998-99)	8550523A	550523-GA
PeeWee (Birth Yr 1996-97)	8550524A	550524-GA
Bantam/Midget (Birth Yr 1992-95)	8550525A	550525-GA

DATE: December 26-27, 2008
LOCATION: Riverview Ice House Studio Rink
FEE: \$130 per team; Goalies \$25

NOTE: Tournament participants must register and pay for tournaments as a team (individual payments not accepted).



CARLSON ICE ARENA

4150 N. Perryville Road • Loves Park, IL 61111
815-969-4069 (TTY, 888-871-6171)

RIVERVIEW ICE HOUSE

324 N. Madison St • Rockford, IL
815-963-7408 (TTY, 888-871-6171)

Please check out our local partner web sites:

Rockford IceHogs www.icehogs.com

Rockford Hockey Club www.rockfordhockeyclub.com



2008 FALL/WINTER HOCKEY

NOTE: To register for tournaments, please use form on reverse side

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

HH ID# _____

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Birthdate ____/____/____ Age _____ Male Female

Parent/Guardian Name _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

e-mail address _____ How did you find out about this program? _____

Does participant have allergies that may require medication (i.e., EpiPen, Benadryl, etc.)? Yes No

If answering yes to either medication question, please request the Medication Administration Permission Form from Customer Service

Will participant need to take medication during program hours? Yes No

NOTE: Medication information is required for all programs 2 hours in length or more

Does participant have a disability or medical condition that may require assistance or accommodation? Yes No

(i.e., diabetes, seizures, mental illness, conduct/behavior disorder, physical disability, developmental delay)

The Rockford Park District is committed to providing services in an equitable manner. Answering the following is optional, but helps us measure how we are doing.

RACE/ETHNICITY (select all that apply): American Indian/Alaskan Native Asian/Pacific Islander Black White Hispanic (any race)

EMERGENCY INFORMATION/AUTHORIZED PICKUP

Please list any adult (age 18+) we should contact if the parent/guardian cannot be reached in the event of any emergency. Indicate anyone authorized to pick up your child in the event that you are unable to do so. To ensure your children's safety, they will not be released to any individual not named on this form. Adults must present a photo ID at the time of pick-up.

Name _____ Phone #1 _____ Phone #2 _____ Relationship _____ May Pick Up Yes No

Name _____ Phone #1 _____ Phone #2 _____ Relationship _____ May Pick Up Yes No

CLINIC/PROGRAM INFORMATION

ID # _____ Program _____ Fee _____ ID # _____ Program _____ Fee _____

JUNIOR ICEHOGS LEAGUE Number of years child has been skating? _____ Currently on a team? No Yes If yes, what level/team color? _____

ID# _____ Level _____ GOALIE: Yes No FEE _____

ID# _____ Level _____ GOALIE: Yes No FEE _____

SENIOR ICEHOGS LEAGUE LEAGUE PREFERRED: A B C How would you rate yourself for the league you've chosen? 1 (good) 2 3 4 5

ID# _____ Position _____ Years Playing _____ FEE _____

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PAYMENT INFORMATION

Would you like to donate \$1.00 to the Rockford Park District Fee Assistance program to aid kids who need financial help to participate in RPD programs? Yes No

Credit Card Number _____ Exp. Date _____ TOTAL FEE _____

Signature (Authorization for Credit Card Use) _____

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Residency ID checked

Amt Pd: _____ Date: _____

Reg Clk: _____ Receipt #: _____

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REQUESTS: 1) _____ 2) _____

REASON: _____

WARNING OF RISK

Hockey is a sport intended to challenge and engage the physical, mental and emotional resources of each participant. Despite careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury, including but not limited to head/brain injury, cervical spine injury (including paralysis) and death. All hazards and dangers cannot be foreseen. The very nature of the game of hockey is hazardous and risky, including but not limited to being tripped, body-checked, cross-checked with the stick, hit with a slash, a high stick, or a thrown stick, going head first into the boards, getting pushed or checked from behind, being cut by a skate blade, colliding with goal posts, being hit by a stick, puck, or other player's protective equipment, elbowed in the head or face, collisions with other players and stationary objects, poor officiating, injuries caused by failure to wear adequate protective equipment, inadequate playing conditions, defective equipment, imperfections in the ice, failure in supervision or instruction, unsportsmanlike conduct, and all other circumstances inherent to the sport of hockey. In this regard, it is impossible for the Rockford Park District to guarantee absolute safety.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in signing up and participating in this program/activity, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages or loss which you or your minor child/ward might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with this program/activity (including transportation services/ vehicle operation, when provided). I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in this program/ activity, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any and all injuries, damages or loss, regardless of severity, that my minor child/ ward or I may sustain as a result of said participation. I further agree to waive and relinquish all claims I or my minor child/ward may have (or accrue to me or my child/ward) as a result of participating in this program/ activity against the Rockford Park District, including its officials, agents, volunteers and employees (hereinafter collectively referred to as "District"). I do hereby fully release and forever discharge the District from any and all claims for injuries, damages, or loss that my minor child/ward or I may have or which may accrue to me or my minor child/ ward and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with this program/activity.

I have read and fully understand the above important information, warning of risk, assumption of risk and waiver and release of all claims. If registering on-line or via fax, my on-line facsimile signature shall substitute for and have the same legal effect as an original form signature.

Participant's Name (PLEASE PRINT) _____

Parent/Guardian or Adult Participant Signature _____ Date _____

PARTICIPATION WILL BE DENIED if the signature of adult participant or parent/guardian and date are not on this waiver.

2008-09 HOCKEY TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION FORM

Youth Ironman Extravaganza and Junior IceHogs Holiday Classic 3-0n-3

COACH NAME	TEAM NAME		
PHONE NUMBER	ID#/Division	ID#/Division	
STREET ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP
PLAYER ONE NAME	PHONE NUMBER	RATING <input type="checkbox"/> 1 (good) <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5	
PLAYER TWO NAME	PHONE NUMBER	RATING <input type="checkbox"/> 1 (good) <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5	
PLAYER THREE NAME	PHONE NUMBER	RATING <input type="checkbox"/> 1 (good) <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5	
PLAYER FOUR NAME	PHONE NUMBER	RATING <input type="checkbox"/> 1 (good) <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5	
PLAYER FIVE NAME	PHONE NUMBER	RATING <input type="checkbox"/> 1 (good) <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5	
GOALIE NAME	ID#/Division	PHONE NUMBER	
STREET ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP

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Credit Card Number Exp. Date TOTAL FEE

Signature (Authorization for Credit Card Use)

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY		<input type="checkbox"/> Residency ID checked
Amt Pd: _____	Date: _____	C CK CHG EC FA PROMO ACH
Reg Clk: _____	Receipt #: _____	

TOURNAMENT FEES

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 Junior IceHogs Holiday Classic 3-on-3 – \$130/team; Goalies \$25

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PLAYER 1/GOALIE – PARTICIPANT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE	DATE
PLAYER 2 – PARTICIPANT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE	DATE
PLAYER 3 – PARTICIPANT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE	DATE
PLAYER 4 – PARTICIPANT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE	DATE
PLAYER 5 – PARTICIPANT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)	PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE	DATE

PARTICIPATION WILL BE DENIED if the signatures of parents/guardians or adult participants and date are not on this waiver.



4 Convenient Ways to Register. . .

- 1) **REGISTER ONLINE** at www.RockfordParkDistrict.org.
Click on "Registration" for details (not available for leagues).
- 2) **MAIL** your registration form and payment to:
Rockford Park District
ATTN: Hockey Registration
401 South Main Street STE 109
Rockford, IL 61101-1321
- 3) **FAX** your form (credit card only) to 815-987-8877.
- 4) **REGISTER IN PERSON** at two customer service locations:
Webbs Norman Center, 401 South Main Street, Rockford
OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Fri, 8:30 AM-5:00 PM
Carlson Ice Arena, Perryville and Riverside, Loves Park
OFFICE HOURS: Mon-Fri, 8:00 AM-8:00 PM; Saturdays, 8:00 AM-Noon

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NOTE: Tournament participants must register and pay for tournaments as a team (individual payments not accepted)

LEAGUE DISCOUNTS

2 players from same family – 10% discount on 2nd family member
OR
3 or more players from same family –
50% off the youngest children's registrations
(3rd registration plus additional registrations over 3)



We welcome the opportunity to assist guests with disabilities to enjoy ALL our facilities, programs, and services. For assistance and information on accessibility, call 815-987-8800 (TTY, 888-871-6171).

FEE ASSISTANCE

"Fun For All Kids" is available to residents for this program. Call 815-987-8800 for more information.

ACH PAYMENT PLAN!

The Rockford Park District is offering an installment payment plan for select programs. Spread your payments out so they're manageable for your budget! Call 815-987-8800 (TTY, 888-871-6171) to make arrangements.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT WILL MY CHILD NEED TO JOIN THE LEAGUE? Players will need a full set of equipment including skates, shin pads, hockey pants, gloves, elbow pads, shoulder pads, a helmet and a hockey stick.

WHAT IS THE PRE-SEASON SKATE AND PARENT MEETING? DO I NEED TO ATTEND? Every season, we have an hour of ice time prior to the beginning of the league to help us in making the fairest teams possible. It also helps the players get back into hockey after the summer, and allows them to see all of their friends throughout the entire league. During this time, we also hold a parent meeting that allows us to distribute information to every parent and allows you, the parents, a forum to ask questions of us and be heard by everyone involved in the league. The more parents and questions, the better!

WHEN WILL I KNOW THE SCHEDULE AND ROSTERS? We do our best to have the schedule and rosters out as soon as possible. Parents should be able to reasonably expect a call from your coach the weekend prior to the first practice of the season.

WHY DO THE MIGHTY MITES AND MITES PLAY ONLY ON THE STUDIO RINK? The smaller studio rink increases the number of touches on the puck, and leads to more stops/starts by all of the players.

CAN MY CHILD PLAY ON A TEAM OUTSIDE OF THEIR AGE GROUP? We make exceptions on a case-by-case basis to accommodate the ability of our players and maintain a level playing field for all of our teams.

WHAT CAN I DO IN THE SPRING/SUMMER TO STAY ON MY SKATES? Spring offers an abbreviated six-week season that is game intensive. In the summer, look for our hockey training programs that provide both ON- and OFF-ICE training opportunities. This develops a well-rounded athlete, not just your hockey skills. For those looking for a real hockey camp experience, we offer two week-long, all-day hockey camps. For those looking for some extra ice time, our Learn to Skate Program offers Youth Learn to Play Hockey classes that will really work your fundamentals; these classes are year-round. Have questions? Call Scott Burfoot at 815-969-4071.

For more information about hockey leagues and programs (including parent handbook, bylaws, etc.), visit us online at www.jricehogs.com or e-mail ScottBurfoot@RockfordParkDistrict.org

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