

Faustina Hockey Club



2010/2011

Important information for Parents and Players

Required hockey equipment:

- Helmet with Face Mask (CSA approved), Neck Guard, Shoulder Pads, Elbow Pads, Pants, Shin Pads, Gloves, Protective Cup, Sock garter belt or all in one, Hockey Skates & Stick.
Mouth guards are optional.
- Team sweaters & socks are given out at the first game.

Pre-season Practice Skate

To give our younger players some ice time to practice their skating and get used to new equipment we have age group practice time available as follows; Friday Oct. 1st at Longbranch Arena,

6 to 7 PM Tyke, 5 & 6 year olds

7 to 8 PM Novice, 7 & 8 year olds

8 to 9 PM Atom, 9 & 10 year olds

Players are to be dressed in full equipment and parents are not allowed on the ice. Players will need to have their own practice sweaters & socks for these practices that are the day before the first game.

Peewee Body Contact Clinic

Thursday Sept. 30th, 8 PM at Longbranch Arena. 1 hour

Practice skate with review of body checking/contact rules and demonstration of checking basics. Peewee division 98/97 players only.

First Game

The team Coach will call you with the time of the first game. The first House League game will be played on **Sat. Oct. 2nd**, The Midget div. will start Wed. Oct 13th.

If you do not receive a call by Wednesday Sept. 29th, please phone or e mail with the name of your registered player and you will be contacted and given the first game and team information.

There will be no games on Saturday Oct. 9th, (Thanksgiving Weekend)

Hard copy season schedules will be provided at the first game and will also be on the web site.

Skating & Skills Practice

Tyke & Novice - alternating Tuesdays 5pm at Longbranch

Minor Atom, Atom & Peewee move indoors this season, alternating Sundays 9am at the MasterCard Centre. Schedules at the first game.

Team Balancing Trades

The primary purpose of House League Hockey is to provide the experience of fair and fun hockey to all registered players. Since the skill level among players can be very different, the Faustina Hockey Club reserves the right to transfer players from one team to another. This can be done at any time during the season, allowing the club to correct any competitive imbalances or to assist with a player's level of participation. We will always try to make the trades before the December break. All trade decisions approved by the Board of Governors will be final and binding.

Hockey Jackets

Due to always increasing costs and the club desire to keep hockey as affordable as possible, the free hockey jacket program will be discontinued.

It will be replaced with a program of Faustina logo wear that can be purchased by interested parents.

Refund Policy

Player withdrawals and refunds of fees are possible. The refund policy is as follows; for each week of the schedule concluded, with or without the player's participation in the games, \$20 is deducted from the registration fee paid. For example withdrawal after 5 weeks of the season, 5 x \$20 = \$100 from \$395 paid, refund will be \$295.

To cover insurance and sweater costs, there will be no refunds paid after week 15 of the schedule.

Select Hockey

Select teams from Minor Novice (2003) through Midget (1993) are selected from House League players to participate in the North York Select League and in tournaments. Select teams are chosen by the team coach using a competitive try out format. There will be 2 open try out practices for each team, after which the teams can be selected at the coach's option. Select team players continue to play House League also.

Select team players are required to pay additional registration costs; this year's Select fee will be \$ 400.

A Select Tryout / practice schedule is on the back of this sheet.

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