

2025 Spring Development Program Tournament Teams, Co-Op Series Games, Skills, Drills, Power Skate, & Small Area Games

The Vikings Hockey Club is proud to announce their 2025 Spring Development

Program at The Arctic Ice Arena. We are the leader in Spring Development

Hockey. This year's program will run from March 31st – June 11th. The Vikings

Spring Development Program works in conjunction with Hockey Sense Inc. and is open to ALL PLAYERS from ALL CLUBS including Tier I, Tier II, Arctic Jr Fury and all House Programs.

New for 2025, the Vikings Spring Program will be entering teams at 8U Mites, 10U SQs, 12U PWs and 14U Bantams in the Prairie State Co-Op Hockey Series playing a small number of games at Arctic and Darien. We will enter teams over two weekend dates at the A1 and A2 levels. These are simply added games to enhance each club's spring programs and to work together to offer the kids additional playing opportunities. This is in addition to our weekly sessions which will consist of a combination of Power Skating, Skills, Drills, Small Area Games, Tournament Teams and the Co-Op Series Games. This new format allows for a focus on individual player development while implementing team concepts and tactics through a fun, yet competitive game environment.

Below are the dates for Spring 2025. All tournament teams and Co-Op Series teams will be called Hockey Sense Inc, as all events are not part of USA Hockey. If your player is selected for any tournament teams, he/she will incur an additional cost per tournament. There is NO ADDED COST for the Co-Op Series Games if selected. Tournament Schedule, Chi Town Shuffle 4/25-27, Windy City Rumble 5-/9-11 & My Hockey Spring Classic 5/16-18 (tbd)

Now in its 13th year, our development program has been developed by Vikings Hockey Director Nick Pollos with contributions from various <u>USA Hockey</u> and <u>Jr. & NCAA</u> Hockey Coaches, Players and Instructors. Each session will be made up of challenging development drills, focusing on proper skating technique, puck handling, passing and shooting along with focused and competitive concepts. Specialized goaltender instruction will also be present throughout the program including goalie clinic nights.

A variety of instructors will be used during these sessions including current and new Vikings coaches, special guest instructors, current Junior A, NCAA and Professional Players along with Hockey Director Nick Pollos.

This is not a spring league, our program focuses on teaching and development, with a pre-determined schedule, with proven instructors at a very reasonable cost. It also allows flexibility for kids to play other sports all Spring and Summer. Program details are outlined as follows...

2025 Vikings Spring Program Options

<u>Listed below are two registration options for the 2025 Vikings Spring Program...</u>

Option 1 - Families can sign up for the full spring program at their child's age level. (21 on ice slots @ 70 mins ea) This consists of All On-Ice Sessions from March 31st – June 11th including Co-Op Series Games if selected.

Option 2 – Families can purchase a Flex 12 skate program which can be used any time during the Spring Program. The Flex 12 skaters name will be checked off a master Flex 12 list each time they attend. The Flex 12 Skate Program can be used in any combination of levels if a family has multiple skaters at different levels. The player can attend any 12 on ice sessions they choose at their age level. If a player is selected for Co-Op Games, there will be a small fee to play in those games.

(Flex 12 Excludes Mites & Midgets, as their Full Program Registration Fees are already Discounted)

- ALL Registered players are eligible to be selected for Tournament Teams
 & Co-Op Series Games
- There is no Flex 12 offering for Goalies as the Goalie Fee is priced based on addition Goalie Only Clinics and Instruction throughout the program

2025 Vikings Spring Program Fees

Age Level	Full Spring Program	Flex 12
<u>Skate</u>		
Register before 3/15/25	\$50.00 discount	N/A
8U Mite (2019-17s)	\$459.00	N/A
10U SQ (2016-15s)	\$595.00	\$425.00
12U PW (2014-13s)	\$595.00	\$425.00
14U Bantam (2011-12s)	\$595.00	\$425.00
18U Mid. (Major 2007-08s)	\$479.00	N/A
15U/16U Mid. (Minor 09-10s)	\$479.00	N/A
Midget Drop In	\$25.00 / session	N/A
ALL GOALIES	\$469.00	N/A

• ALL REGISTERED PLAYERS RECEIVE A NEW 2025 SPRING PROGRAM JERSEY

^{**} All signups are <u>highly recommended</u> to be completed online prior to March 30th.

^{**} No refunds will be given for full program or Flex 12 purchases

^{**} A Maximum of <u>36 Full Program Skaters</u> accepted to each level SQ-Midget, 48 at Mite

^{**} Early bird discount applies to <u>Full Program Skaters</u> <u>ONLY</u>.

2025 Spring Development Program On-Ice Schedule Including Co-Op Series Games

SQ 10U, Midget Minor 15U/16U, Midget Major 18U

Mondays & Wednesdays (Only Dates Listed)

<u>SQ 10U</u> – 5:20pm-6:30pm, <u>Midget Minor 15U/16U</u> – 6:40pm-7:50pm, <u>Midget Major 18U</u> 8:00pm-9:10pm

> <u>March</u> - 31 <u>April</u> - 2, 7, 9, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28, 30 <u>May</u> - 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 28 <u>June</u> - 2, 4, 9, 11

Mite 8U, PW 12U & Bantam 14U

Tuesdays & Thursdays (Only Dates Listed)

Mite 8U - 5:20pm-6:30pm, PW 12U - 6:40pm-7:50pm Bantam 14U- 8:00pm-9:10pm

> <u>April</u> - 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29 <u>May</u> - 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20, 22, 27, 29 <u>June</u> - 3, 5, 10

* Five On Ice Goalie Clinic Sessions *

Included for ALL Full Program Registered GOALIES Only

April 11th 6:30pm – 7:50pm

May 2nd, 16th & 30th 6:30pm – 7:50pm

June 6th 6:30pm – 7:50pm

Prairie State Co-Op Serise Games

April 12th @ Arctic Ice Arena May 3rd @ Darien Sports Plex (8U, 10U, 12U & 14U Levels) Click "Registrations" tab on the Vikings Website home page to register or follow the link here to be directed to the Vikings Website







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Contact Vikings Hockey Director, Nick Pollos with any questions at

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