



## 2026-2027 Game Operations Western Colorado Hockey League

**GAMESHEET iPad Keys:**

WCHL Games: [ipad-wchl-co](#)

### GENERAL INFORMATION:

- Each team will be allowed ONE timeout in regulation play.
- Only coaches, players and team staff listed on the team's USA Hockey official roster shall be allowed on the bench.
- Each team should have both HOME and AWAY jerseys available.
- USA Hockey, CAHA and WCHL rules apply, unless otherwise specified below
- Each team should be ready to play ten (15) minutes prior to the scheduled start of the game.

### GAME SCORING:

- The HOME Team/Higher Seed (Playoffs) is responsible for Scoring & Timeclock, unless the HOST association is the VISITING team and then they will handle these duties.
- The HOST association will provide a tablet for scorekeeping.

### WARM-UP

- 3 minutes
- Host association is responsible for warm up pucks

### WCHL PERIOD LENGTHS:

- 10U/Squirt: 12 minutes stop time
- 12U/Pee Wee: 14 minutes stop time
- 14U/Bantam: 14 minutes stop time
- Run clock in 3rd period with a 5 goal differential

### WCHL GIRLS PERIOD LENGTHS:

- Girls 10U: 12 minutes stop time
- Girls 12U: 14 minutes stop time
- Girls 15U: 14 minutes stop time
- Girls 19U: 15 minutes stop time
- Run clock in 3rd period with a 5 goal differential

### WCHL PENALTY LENGTHS

- 10U/Squirt: 1:00 minute
- 12U/Pee Wee: 1:30 minutes
- 14U/Bantam: 2:00 minutes

### WCHL GIRLS PENALTY LENGTHS:

- Girls 10U: 1:00 minute
- Girls 12U: 1:30 minutes
- Girls 15U: 2:00 minutes
- Girls 19U: 2:00 minutes

### PENALTY BOX:

- Each team is required to have an adult (18+) penalty box attendant for the penalty box.

### CURFEW RULE:

- Games will be curfewed when the rink's schedule requires.
- There will be a run clock option for a rink to impose should the schedule or time require either running the 1<sup>st</sup> period or running the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> periods. Period 3 should be a stop clock unless the game has a 5 or more goal differential.