

# LET'S GO KOMETS!

KOMETS  
CONNECTION  
WEEK OF 11/17/24

KOMETS  
WIN!

Bantam A takes  
FIRST PLACE  
in the K2  
Invitational  
Komets Home  
Tournament!

## K2 INVITATIONAL BANTAM HOME TOURNEY!

This past weekend, the Komets hosted our first tournament of the 2024-2025 season, the 14U K2 Invitational. Huge thank you to all of our volunteers for making this event so wonderful! We couldn't have successful events without your continued support, time, and effort!

The Komets are hosting several more events this season-- keep an eye on DIBS for volunteer opportunities.

## MILWAUKEE ADMIRALS VISIT THE RINK!

The Milwaukee Admirals are heading to Kenosha Ice to skate with our Mites, Squirts, and PeeWees! Mites will skate with the Admirals during their normal practice time between 5:50-6:20pm. In place of our traditional Mentor Ice, the Admirals will skate with our Squirts and PeeWees from 6:30-7:00pm. The Admiral players will then do a meet and greet in the lobby with the Mites, Squirts, and PeeWees from 7:00-7:30pm.



# ALUMNI GAME 2024

DECEMBER  
21<sup>ST</sup>



Please join us in celebrating our 55th year at the  
**2024 ALUMNI GAME**

All proceeds to benefit the *Komets*  
HOCKEY

**Birdie Leitza Hockey Grant**

**Saturday, December 21, 2024**  
**5:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.**

Come join us for a fun day of reminiscing on the ice with old friends! All proceeds from our Alumni Game will be given back to our players in the form of a scholarship for the upcoming fall season! There will be one scholarship awarded at each level within the Jr. Komets and Komets Organizations (Mites – Midgets). Award recipients will be chosen from a pool of applications where each applicant will submit a written essay. Recipients will be announced at our Welcome Back to Hockey Event in September.

#### Fees

\$55 Skater

\$55 Goalie

\$10 Spectator

*Skater and Goalies registration fees includes one game and a special game day jersey.*

#### Exciting Skills Competition!

\$5 to enter our Skills Competition for Mites through Bantams. Contests include Fastest Skater, Shootout, Shot Blocker, and Goalie Race.

Scan to sign up today!



#### Schedule

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm Open Skate

6:00 pm – 7:00 pm Mite, Squirt, & Peewee Skills Competition

7:00 pm – 8:00 pm Bantam & Midget Skills Competition

8:00 pm – 9:00 pm Alumni Game

**Thank you to our Alumni for your continued support!**

QUESTIONS?

PLEASE CONTACT SHELLY RUDY,  
[PROMOTIONS@KENOSHAKOMETS.COM](mailto:PROMOTIONS@KENOSHAKOMETS.COM)



## IGNITION & DEVOS GEAR INVENTORY!

Coach Adam and Julie are well underway organizing and inventorying our equipment room. In an effort to ensure our Ignition and DEVOS skaters are on the ice in safe gear, **all gear currently being borrowed from the Komets will be collected after DEVOS on November 24th, 2024**. Gear will be checked and inventoried, and

returned to players ahead of the start of the next session on December 7, 2024. **Do not be alarmed, your current gear will be returned as is**, but we may have options for newer gear for your review.

If you have signed up for Little Blackhawks and will be receiving new gear from the program, and no longer need your borrowed Komets gear, please let Julie and Adam know at gear collection on November 24, 2024.

## LITTLE BLACKHAWKS

Registration for our next Little Blackhawks Learn to Play session is open:  
<http://blackhawksltp.leagueapps.com/events/4403129-kenosha-ice-arena---winter-20242025>  
Registration closes: 11/21/2024

### Registration Fees Include:

- Session runs 12/1/2024-1/26/2024 at Kenosha Ice
- Brand-new head-to-toe equipment to keep
- Appearances by Chicago Blackhawks Alumni
- One ticket to a Chicago Blackhawks home game in the 2024-2025 season

## PICTURE RETAKES

Picture retakes are **this Wednesday, November 20th, 2024** from 7:00-7:30pm. Please sign up using the below link or contact Shelly Rudy (262-748-1000) to reserve your spot!

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/10GWjR0aX1CaWcNAhw-wnjH6m\\_GhI945RFvMCdZFIko/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/10GWjR0aX1CaWcNAhw-wnjH6m_GhI945RFvMCdZFIko/edit?usp=sharing)

## GEAR DONATIONS!

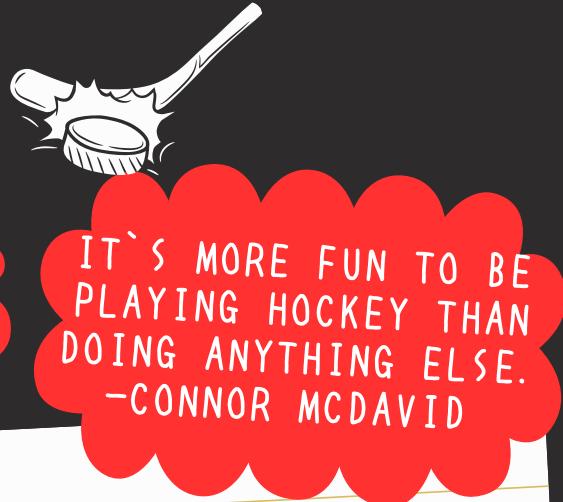
If you have previously used gear that you would like to donate to support our DEVOS program, we would greatly appreciate any donations. We are specifically looking for skates, helmets, and gloves. Donations can be brought to the rink and dropped off in the lobby.

## Visit the Kenosha Public Library Book Mobile at Kenosha Ice on the third Saturday of the month!

You will be able to sign up for a library card, browse, check out materials for all ages, and connect with a librarian for information on book recommendations.

Next Visit: December 21, 2024

# ADDITIONAL REMINDERS



## SQUIRT B UPDATE!

Dells Tourney Weekend!  
How the pocket change  
captures the skittles...



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## RAFFLE TICKETS

- Raffle tickets are \$10 each and all families committed during registration to sell 30 tickets.
- If your family sells out of your raffle tickets and would like to sell more, please notify your team manager.
- The family who sells the most over the initial 30 tickets will win \$1,000 off their fall 2025-2026 fees.
- All raffle tickets and funds are due to be turned in by December 18th, 2024 and the winner will be announced at 8:00pm at the Alumni game on December 21st, 2024.

## NECK GUARDS

As of August 1st, 2024, neck guards are required for all skaters Mites-Midgets. Neck guards are now available for purchase in the snack shop!

Please see the following article for more information:  
[https://www.usahockey.com/news\\_article/show/1314371](https://www.usahockey.com/news_article/show/1314371)

## LOCKER ROOM POLICY

Updated WAHA rules for the 2024-2025 season require a coach be present in the locker rooms. This was discussed during our parent meetings. If you have questions, please see Roxanne Tatulli, Sue Dickson, or Brett Hazard.





# MENTOR ICE!

Due to the Milwaukee Admirals visiting Kenosha Ice this Wednesday (November 20, 2024), Mentor Ice has been cancelled. Mentor Ice will resume next Wednesday, November 27, 2024.

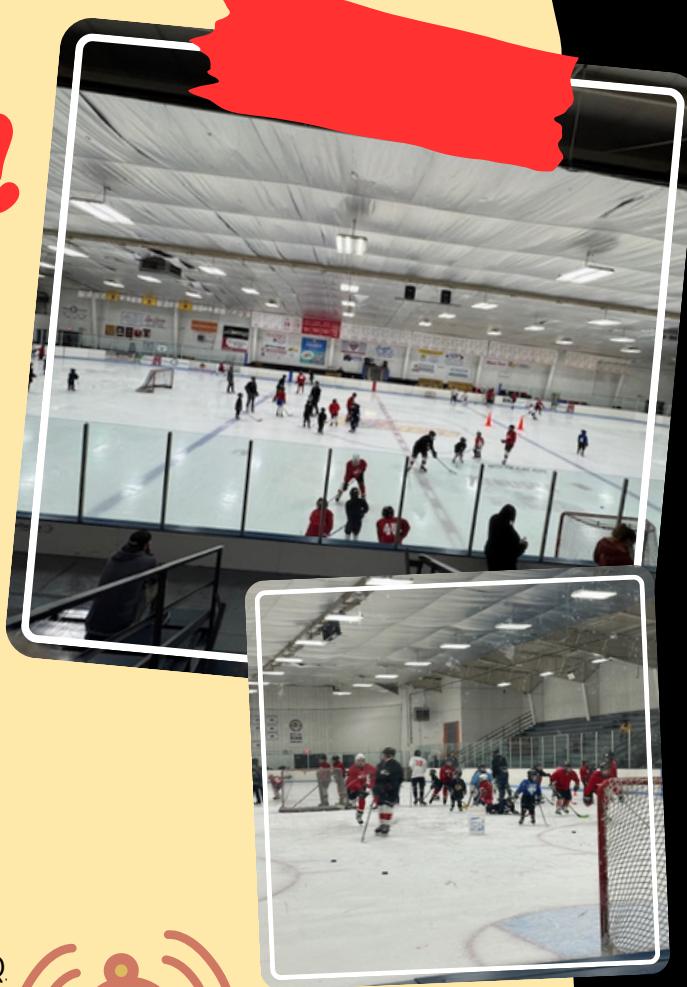
Huge thank you to all of our Bantam and Midget mentors that attended last Wednesday. We had an exceptional turnout from our Ignition and DEVOS skaters, as well as, our Mites, Squirts, and PeeWee players. Fun was certainly had by all and the rink was buzzing with excitement!

Thank you so much to the following coaches that volunteered additional time last Wednesday to ensure our mentors and mentees were supported: Coach Kyle, Coach Adam, Coach Alec, Coach Tim, Coach Norm, and Coach Clare.

Mentor Ice RSVP Tracking (Mites - Midgets):  
<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/11HVUVMOq1y636uimEjP3qnGoUoNIWd5iQPHB3zofujY/edit?usp=sharing>



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## Save the Date!

- Milwaukee Admirals Visit: 11/20/2024
- Little Blackhawks & Winter I Development Session Begins: 12/7/2024
- Raffle Ticket Money Due: 12/18/2024
- Alumni Game and Holiday Party: 12/21/2024
- Bookmobile: 12/21/2024
- New Years Eve Skate: 12/31/2024

Find our full calendar of events on:

[www.kenoshakomets.com](http://www.kenoshakomets.com)