



## **TIMBERWOLVES HOCKEY CLUB NFP**

### **Notice of Board of Directors Election**

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PLEASE BE ADVISED the Annual Election of the Timberwolves Hockey Club is open and accepting applications until **Monday, February 23rd, 2026 at 5:00PM CT.**

The Purpose of this notice will be to elect Board Members from among the current 2025-2026 members of the Timberwolves Hockey Club.

**Who can run as a board member?** Any person who has one or more children or legal dependents currently enrolled in the 2025-2026 Timberwolves Hockey Club program, and who is in Good Standing with AHAI and the Timberwolves Hockey Club, can serve as a Board Member. "Good Standing" is any Member who: (a) has completed the required AHAI forms and is a current paying AHAI member, (b) has paid and is current on all charges owed to the Timberwolves Hockey Club, and (c) does not have any matters pending before the Timberwolves Hockey Club board relating to rule violations.

**Interested in serving on the board?** Serving on the Board is your chance to make a difference in the Timberwolves Hockey Club. As a Board Member, you will be responsible for, among other things, establishing committees and appointing a chairman; creating and approving the budget for the Club; attending monthly board meetings and club events; becoming USA Hockey registered; completing the Safe Sport screening; and completing a background check. If elected, your official term begins on April 1, 2026.

Enclosed is a Candidate Application form to be filled out by interested individuals wishing to represent the Club by serving on the Board. Candidates seeking election must:

1. Complete the enclosed Candidate Application form
2. Obtain a minimum of 20 signatures from current 2025–2026 Timberwolves Hockey Club members
3. Complete all required materials and steps as instructed

Note: Only one signature per child/legal dependent registered to participate in hockey activities of the Timberwolves Hockey Club. If two members are associated with a single child participating in the Organization's programs (e.g. two parents and one child), such signatures can be cast by either parent, not both.

All candidates intending to run for a Board position must be interviewed and vetted by the existing Board prior to the February 23rd deadline. All individuals intending to run for a Board position must notify the Club Secretary no later than **Monday, February 9th, 2026**, to allow sufficient time to schedule the required interview. No interviews will be conducted on the deadline date.



**Please complete the candidate interview and return the fully completed Candidate Application Form and Petition by February 23rd, 2026 at 5:00PM CT to Leah Pfile, Secretary, at [twhccommunications@gmail.com](mailto:twhccommunications@gmail.com). Incomplete applications will not be accepted. No exceptions will be made.**



## **TIMBERWOLVES HOCKEY CLUB NFP**

### **Board of Directors Application**

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Thank you for considering a position on the Timberwolves Hockey Club NFP Board of Directors. This is a volunteer position, and you should expect to spend at least 3 hours or more per month assisting in the oversight of your player's hockey organization. The Board maintains open lines of communication outside of the monthly board meetings whereby accessibility amongst board members is crucial.

Please read the Timberwolves Hockey Club NFP's Mission Statement below prior to completing your application:

*The Timberwolves Hockey Club NFP, in partnership with the parents, coaches and Board of Directors, will strive to ensure that athletes are provided a meaningful, enjoyable, challenging and safe hockey experience. We will nurture the physical and emotional well-being of all participants in an environment that fosters and promotes a sense of community. Guided by the values of good sportsmanship, honesty, personal integrity and respect for all individuals, the Timberwolves Hockey Club NFP is committed to the long-term growth and development of all levels of hockey players and young adults.*

**Candidate Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Select Role Position You Are Applying for (select one):**

Fundraising & Sponsorship Chair       Manager Liaison  
 Uniform & Spirit Wear Coordinator

**Player(s) Current Level:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TWHC Member Since:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Previous Club (if applicable):** \_\_\_\_\_

Keeping the Timberwolves Hockey Club's Mission Statement in mind, please answer the following questions as they pertain to the role in which you are applying (append additional sheets of paper as necessary).

As we continue to grow the Timberwolves Hockey Club, what is the main objective you strive to reach as a Board member?

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How would you work towards reaching the aforementioned objective?

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What is the largest obstacle in reaching this objective and what measures would you employ to see this objective achieved?

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As the Board is ultimately responsible for overseeing all aspects of our hockey organization, what skill set(s) would you provide the club, the members and the players, as you assist with managing the club? In what ways have you already supported or volunteered for the club at large?

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What other organizations have you had experience with either volunteering for or serving as a Board member? In what organizations, outside of the Timberwolves Hockey Club NFP, are you currently participating in as a volunteer? Please include position and time commitment.

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Within our organization, where do you see a need for additional volunteers? What methods would you utilize to encourage other TWHC parents to become more involved with the organization?

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What conflict resolution/remediation skills would you employ for Board level issues? What if the conflict was directly related to your player's team?

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Briefly describe a life lesson you've experienced and how you have passed this on to your child(ren). How often do you use this, or other life lessons, in your role as a parent?

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Given that we are a youth athletic organization, all coaches, managers and Board members are required to complete a background check and screening process. By submitting your completed Timberwolves Hockey Club NFP Board of Director Application and Petition, you acknowledge and agree to complete the aforementioned screening should you be elected as a director for our hockey organization. Failure to do so, or should the process result in non-compliance, you will not be allowed to serve in a volunteer/representative role for our organization.

On behalf of the Timberwolves Hockey Club NFP membership, we appreciate your willingness to serve in a Board capacity.

Timberwolves Hockey Club NFP Board of Directors



## **TIMBERWOLVES HOCKEY CLUB NFP**

### **Candidate Petition**

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If you are interested in running for one of the open positions on the Board, you must obtain at least 20 signatures of other Timberwolves Hockey Club members on this Petition.

Note: One signature per child or legal dependent registered to participate in hockey activities of the Timberwolves Hockey Club NFP. If two members are associated with a single child participating in the Organization's programs (e.g. two parents and one child), such signatures can be cast by either parent, not both. *Current board members are not eligible to sign a candidate petition.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print name), am the parent or legal guardian of the following child/children currently involved in the Timberwolves Hockey Club program: \_\_\_\_\_ and submit the following petition in support of my candidacy as a Timberwolves Hockey Club Board Member.

<b>Member's Name</b>	<b>Name of Player(s) within the 2025-2026 Timberwolves Hockey Club Program</b>
_____ (signature) _____ (print name)	_____ (player) _____ (date)
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