



Volunteer Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ's)

Why is there a \$250 Volunteer/Fundraising Deposit?

Munising Hockey relies on volunteers and fundraising to help offset the costs of arena operations, ice time, equipment, officials, and other program expenses. Family participation helps keep registration fees as affordable as possible.

How many volunteer hours does my family need?

- 20 volunteer hours per family each season.
- Learn-to-Skate families: 10 volunteer hours.

Volunteer opportunities include things like:

- Concessions
- Tournaments
- Scorekeeping
- Fundraisers
- Special events
- Other Association activities

If your player's team hosts a home tournament, your family may also be assigned at least 2 volunteer hours during that tournament.

Do I have to participate in fundraisers?

Yes. All families are expected to participate in our Association fundraisers, including:

- Wreath Fundraiser
- Pizza Kit Fundraiser
- Raffle Ticket Fundraiser

What is the Volunteer Buyout?

When you register, you'll choose one of two options:

- **Volunteer Buyout (\$250):** Pay the \$250 fee during registration, and your volunteer and fundraising requirements are considered complete for the season.
- **Volunteer Commitment:** Choose to complete your volunteer hours and fundraising during the season instead of paying the buyout.

If those requirements aren't completed by the end of the season, a one-time \$250 Volunteer/Fundraising Deposit will be charged on March 1 to the registration account of your oldest registered player.

Is the \$250 fee charged for each player?

No. The \$250 Volunteer Buyout or Volunteer/Fundraising Deposit is charged **once per family**, no matter how many players you have registered. If your family is accidentally charged more than once, any duplicate charges will be refunded.

What if I don't complete my volunteer commitment?

If you chose the Volunteer Commitment option and don't complete the required volunteer hours and fundraising, the \$250 Volunteer/Fundraising Deposit will be charged on March 1.

Is Learn-to-Skate different?

Yes! Learn-to-Skate families:

- Complete **10 volunteer hours**
- Participate in the required fundraisers
- Receive a **\$100 registration refund** after completing their volunteer commitment
- Will **not** be charged the \$250 Volunteer/Fundraising Deposit if all requirements are completed

Questions? If you have questions about volunteer requirements, fundraising, or registration, please contact a Munising Hockey Association Board Member. We're happy to help!

FAMILIES WHO RESIDE OUTSIDE OF ALGER COUNTY, ARE PARTICIPATING THROUGH A CO-OP, AND ARE NOT REGISTERED DIRECTLY THROUGH MUNISING HOCKEY ARE NOT REQUIRED TO WORK CONCESSION SHIFTS. HOWEVER, PARTICIPATION IN ALL REQUIRED FUNDRAISERS IS STILL EXPECTED.