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Try Hockey for Free September 26, 2024



GOALIE PRACTICES

**GOALIE PRACTICES FOR THE FIRST HALF OF THE
SEASON WILL RUN NOVEMBER 6TH-DECEMBER 11TH**

**THESE OPTIONAL SESSIONS WILL BE PROVIDED FREE OF
CHARGE FOR OUR TRAVEL AGED GOALIES. GOALIE COACHES
WILL BE PRESENT.**

**Bantams & Peewees
Wednesdays**

4:00 pm

Icon Arena- Judd Rink

**10U, 12U, 15U & Squirts
Wednesdays**

4:15 pm

Icon Arena- Rydell Rink



ASSIGNED GROUPS MAY CHANGE DUE TO NUMBERS

GFYHA GUN RAFFLE



65 PRIZES DRAWN!

DRAWING TAKES PLACE DEC. 21, 2024

DO NOT NEED TO BE PRESENT TO WIN

TICKETS ARE DUE BACK TO THE GFYHA

OFFICE DEC. 11, 2024

**If you have not picked up your
tickets yet, please email
kmoreland@gfyha to arrange
a time to pick up tickets at the
GFYHA Office**



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**ONLINE APPAREL STORE
IS NOW OPEN!**

**GERRELLS.CHIPPLY.COM/GFHOCKEY
2024/?ACTION=VIEWALL**



SUMMER CHALLENGE PRIZES ARE HERE!



**EMAILS WILL GO OUT TO ALL WHO PARTICIPATED
PLEASE STOP INTO THE
GFYHA OFFICE TO CLAIM YOUR PRIZE!**

NECK GUARD REQUIREMENT FROM USA HOCKEY EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1ST, 2024

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. – The USA Hockey Congress today approved legislation **requiring the use of neck laceration protection for players in all age classifications, other than adults, in games and practices, as well as for on-ice officials under the age of 18, effective August 1, 2024.** For clarity, the requirement includes players in the youth, girls and junior age classifications.

USA Hockey has long recommended the use of neck laceration protection, as well as cut-resistant socks, sleeves or undergarments. The USA Hockey Board of Directors asked the organization's Safety and Protective Equipment Committee in November 2023 to begin the process of recommending potential rule changes related to neck laceration protection.





ADDING A GUARDIAN IN SPORTS ENGINE

A common request that we receive is how to add a guardian in Sports Engine. Multiple family members can be added as guardians. Here are some step by step instructions on how to add a guardian to your Sports Engine account.

STEP 1: Sign into Sports Engine. Tap **ACCOUNT**.

STEP 2: Tap on the player profile you wish to manage beneath Household Information

STEP 3: In the lower-left corner, tap **GUARDIAN**

STEP 4: Tap **ADD GUARDIAN**

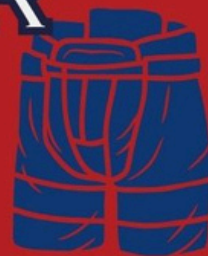
STEP 5: Enter the email address of the guardian you wish to add

- If you have multiple player profiles with this person as a guardian, tap the toggle switch to make them guardian of these profiles

STEP 6: In the upper right-hand corner, tap **SEND INVITE**

- **NOTE:** The invited guardian will appear in the Guardians tab as pending until their invitation has been accepted. You will receive an email when the guardian has accepted the invite .

EQUIPMENT COLOR REQUIREMENT INFORMATION



This reminder is intended for clarification regarding the board's decision on the equipment color requirements for the GF Aviators. **Please note: this change will not go into effect until the 2025/2026 season.** It will only apply to all first-year squirt and 10u players during the 2025/2026 season and then continue for all new travel team aged players each successive year after that. All players older than first year squirts will be "grandfathered" in but are still encouraged to comply with the changes if buying any new equipment during their time with GFYHA. The requirements for equipment colors are as follows:

- **HELMETS: NAVY BLUE OR BLACK (NAVY BLUE IS PREFERRED)**
- **GLOVES: NAVY BLUE OR BLACK (NAVY BLUE IS PREFERRED)**
- **HOCKEY PANTS/BREEZERS: NAVY BLUE OR BLACK**

Please let us know if you have any questions!





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