ED Report 8.17.2026

Ice:

No update from FWA on opening date or ice schedule

Older comp teams have started their practices

10U/12U MM tryouts are this week

Dipper is still on schedule to open October 1

6U-8U will start Oct 3rd on ice

Still working on ice with Lisa Kriley

We will not be able to host the girls tournament in Dec due to lack of ice

Working on uploading practice schedule for September.

LTP is scheduled for September

Scheduling meeting for 14U-18UT2 will be Friday Aug 21 in Anch. I will be in attendance to help get the games scheduled

Players/Coaches/Teams:

Registration numbers are as follows (8/17/2026):

6U: 83

8U: 61

10U/18U Rec: 127

12UA-18UA: 69 -moving players that did not make 14U-18U T2 into this portal

10U-18UT2: 241

Thank you to Kat, Leann and Megan for helping with tryouts/evals/assessments

Team Genius update- we are using the platform for 10U/12UMM tryouts.

Reminder: 6U/8U/10U parent meetings are Sept 15 at Pioneer Park Theatre

We have announced our 12UAG, 14UA, 16UA HC. We are close to announcing 18UA and 12UA.

14U-18UT2 are working on getting their team managers/financial managers ready.

Ice Dogs just sent the schedule for fundraising for teams to sign up to work 50/50

Association:

Update on Tanana Valley Youth Sports Grant application- they granted us $10,000 for hard ice dividers. I will connect with the company and get the set on order. We will then determine what rink will need them.

Golden Days parade went very well! We had a trailer that was decorated and about 25-30 people that walked.

Thank you to Kat for helping us with the Worlds Biggest backpack giveaway! We handed out 80 invitations to Try Hockey for Free.

Military Information Fair on Aug 29 from 10-4pm at Bentley Mall. We will have a table there with information.

Gear Giveaway on Aug 15 from 12-2pm @ the Clubhouse went well. We held it at the same time as Rental Gear pick up. We will do the same thing next year if possible. Thank you to all those that helped with both events.

Rental gear pick up: Aug 19 530-7pm

Try Hockey for Free is Sept 12 @Polar- will need assistance

Still looking for a Concession Manager-might need to readjust the job description to take away the requirement to be at all games and turn it back into concession stocker position

Have been in contact with the Insurance company for the additional borough insurance. We should get the invoice this week.

Working with Sarah Middleton on when drylands will start.

We are hosting 14UB State

Clubhouse:

The contractor for the doors is not sure he will be able to accommodate before winter comes.

New door locks here and waiting for door installation

Clubhouse cleaning will start in September

2027 State Tournament Approved Hosts

	10U B	10U A	12U B	12U A	14U B	14U A	16U B	16U A	18U B	18U A
2026 # Teams	21	10	14	13	11	12	6	10	9	3
Last Host	AHA	Avalanche	KPHA	Homer	KPHA	HCF	HCF	MHA	MAHA	JUNEAU
2027 Host	AHA*	PAHA (2)	AHA*	KPHA	HCF	Juneau (1)	MHA	HHA (1)	Avalanche	TBD