

Thank you for your interest in the Chippewa Youth Hockey Association Tournaments!

The Chippewa Youth Hockey Association was officially incorporated in 1972 and shortly thereafter was approved as a 501(c)(3) entity. Our association is one of a handful, nation wide, that are totally built, funded and operated by its volunteer parents. We are over 250 families strong. We offer both boys and girls hockey as well as figure skating.

Over the years, we have worked hard to make our tournaments both fun and competitive for all who attend. As a result, our tournaments fill quickly and we want to set forth our policies for all considering making Chippewa Falls one of your hockey destinations. Our tournaments are a major source of our fundraising and we want to make your attendance enjoyable.

Policies/Rules

- 1. Teams will be considered for the tournament berth on a **first paid basis** by returning a completed entry form, the entire entry fee and a tournament roster. Entry fee is listed. We charge no admission fee but instead ask that you patronize our concession stand and our raffles.
- 2. Please include a copy of the team USA Hockey roster. Those teams failing to do so will be required to supply a proof of age verification form or a birth certificate when checking in the day of the tournament.
- 3. Once paid and confirmed, there will be no refunds unless a paid replacement team is found. If a replacement team is found, a \$100 service fee will be deducted from the refunded entry fee. Other entries will be placed on a standby list. Confirmation of entry will be provided upon receipt.
- **4.** USA Hockey Official Rules of Play will govern all play, except as follows:
 - a. The Tournament Director shall be in charge of all matters pertaining to conducting games, including, but not limited to, the conduct of spectators and shall act as the final arbitrator for all disputes or protests.
 - b. The decision of on ice officials is final. We adhere to the USA Hockey Zero Tolerance Policy.
- 5. Tournament Pairings: Tournament pairings will be random with consideration given to teams playing in the same league/area. Normally, we try to have teams from the same league/area in opposite brackets.