

# Casper Amateur Hockey Club Girls Jamboree

## Tournament Rules

### 1. General Rules

- USA Hockey playing rules and age divisions apply unless otherwise approved.
- All teams, players, coaches, and officials must be registered with USA Hockey.
- USA Hockey officials will officiate all games.
- USAH 2025–2029 playing rules will be used except where specified.
- Proper protective equipment, including neck guards, is required.
- USAH Zero Tolerance Policy applies to all participants and spectators.

### 2. Rosters & Registration

- Teams must submit their official USA Hockey 1-T roster at least two weeks before their first game.
- Player numbers, goaltenders, and locker room monitors must be indicated on the roster.
- Entry fee: **\$800**, payable via ACH, debit, or credit.
- Refunds:
  - Full refund if not accepted.
  - Withdraw  $\geq 10$  days before start: refund minus \$200 fee.
  - Withdraw  $\leq 5$  days before start: no refund unless a replacement team is found.

### 3. Game Format

- Minimum of 4 teams.
- House/Recreational level.
- Home team wears dark jerseys; away wears light.
- Each team guaranteed **3 games**.
- Round robin format; top two teams advance to championship.
- **Period structure (19U Girls):**
  - 1st & 2nd: 15-minute running clock.
  - 3rd: 15-minute stop time.
  - 3-minute warmup.
- Running clock in 3rd period if goal differential  $\geq 5$ .
- Clock stops for injuries.
- Penalties paused during running time.
- Penalty lengths:

- Minor: 2:00
  - Major: 5:00
  - Misconduct: 10:00
- One 1-minute timeout per game.

#### **4. Points & Standings**

- Regulation win: 3 points
- OT win: 2 points
- OT loss: 1 point
- Loss: 0 points
- Non-championship ties:
  1. 5-minute 3v3 OT.
  2. Scoring team earns 1 additional point.
- Tie-breakers:
  1. Head-to-head
  2. Fewest goals against
  3. Least penalty minutes
  4. Most shutouts
  5. Coin toss

#### **5. Championship Overtime**

If the game remains tied at the conclusion of the overtime period, a three-player shootout will be conducted to determine the winner.

- Each team will designate three different shooters.
- If one team scores more goals than the other after the three shooters have completed their attempts, that team will be declared the winner.
- If the score remains tied after the initial three-player shootout, the shootout will continue in a sudden-death format.
- During sudden death, each team must use a different shooter for each attempt. No player may shoot a second time until every eligible player on the roster (excluding goaltenders unless required by USA Hockey rules) has taken a shot.
- The home team will choose whether to shoot first or second.
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- No ice make between OT periods.

#### **6. Team Responsibilities**

- Arrive 60 minutes before game; games may start up to 15 minutes early.
- Check in 45 minutes before first game.
- Verify roster, jersey numbers, scratches, and starting goalie in GameSheets.
- Visiting teams provide penalty box volunteer.

- Host provides scorekeeper, clock operator, and music operator.

## **7. Sportsmanship & Penalties**

- Fighting, abusive behavior, and taunting are prohibited.
- Fighting penalty → suspension for remainder of tournament.
- Major + game misconduct → suspended next game; additional discipline possible.
- 4 penalties in one game → player suspended next game.
- 12 team penalties → coach receives game misconduct and is suspended next game.
- Abuse penalties (Rule 601) may be called anywhere in arena.
- Ejected spectators banned from all remaining activities.

## **8. Locker Rooms & Arena Policies**

- Assignments posted in lobby.
- Locker rooms may be locked; ID collateral required.
- CAHC and Casper Ice Arena not responsible for lost/stolen items.
- Damage to property must be paid by responsible party; may result in dismissal.

## **9. Protests & Discipline Committee**

- Must be submitted in writing by head coach within:
  1. 30 minutes after game, or
  2. 15 minutes after disciplinary notification.
- Protest path:
  1. On-ice officials
  2. Protest Committee (Tournament Director + Head Referee)
- No protests on rule interpretations or judgment calls.
- Committee decides suspensions and disciplinary actions.

## **10. Off-Ice Officials**

- Each team must have an adult in their penalty box.
- CAHC provides scorekeeper and timekeeper.
- Tournament Director may issue penalties through on-ice officials.

## **11. Rule Interpretation**

- Interpretation of rules is at the discretion of CAHC and Tournament Director.

## **12. GameSheets & SafeSport**

- All game data posted automatically on GameSheets.
- Schedules, results, and stats available at [CasperHockey.com](https://CasperHockey.com).

- All tournaments follow USAH SafeSport Policy.