## COLORADO 14ERS NEWSLETTER

AFFLIATED WITH THE LITTLETON HOCKEY ASSOCIATION (LHA)



Tryouts are over and the season is beginning! Please join us in congratulating these players - 19UAA, 15UA, 15UB, 12UA, 12UB and 10U!!

The turnout for all the tryouts was unprecedented and made for some tough decisions. We are looking forward to seeing what these girls can do!



## **19U AA**

Kate Analovitch Kamilah Castillo Chloe Comer-Wright Sophia Dryman Mara Gassman Olivia Gore Sage Halder Marie Hjelmstad Zaria Horner Harper Hunt Ellie Kobal Brooklyn Kuhn Hazel Papazian Jamison Rhodes Talia Rupert Maggie Schmisek Alexis Sugarman Cecilia Ureta

## 15U A

Isabella Aguilar Payton Allen-Colledge **Liesl Bennett** Adalyn Berenz Sloane Bible Chloe Brake Kaycie Clark **Scarlett Corbitt** Addeline Fulle Sophia Garcia Kathleen Gordon Nikki Johnson Alaysa Mascioli Samantha Rubinstein McKenna Swartz Abigail Trueman Reese Turner Zoey Waldron

## 15U B

**Kennedy Andrews** Charlotten Arble Sonia Balentova Kyliana Comer-Wright Lexi Craven **Brooklyn Harris** Dani Jergensen Kuylyn Kim Alice Martino Lucy Michael Ally Myers Kailee Myers Isabella Ngu Simone Oese Lucy Oldham Karalina Scarlett Reagan White Parker Yacuzzo-Meade

## **12U A**

Kaylee Andrews
Lilah Barrs
Sage Bible
Sloan Crandall
Tali Cummings
Addalyn Ma
Juno Marler
Zoe Marler

Berkley McConnell
Lucy Moore
Tiernan Quigley
Aya Shooster
Anna Skavish

Gracie Trautman Sophie Trudel Ella Trummel

## **12U B**

Dalyana Bartel
Claire Drayton
Kenley Galvan
Isabelle House
Luna Matthews
Fiona O'Brien
Olivia Plain
Murphy Poos
Charlotte Sieber
Mattie Van Pelt

**10U** 

**Brynlee Anderson** Sophia Chavez Fallon Gaeta Grace Guebara Konlee Guv Addyson Hirsch Clementine Newton Liv Owen Alexa Petrini Louise Pope Elizabeth Revels Nora Robinson Kate Schmisek **Emily Schwiesow** Amelia Seal Ezra Sedlacek

## NEWS YOU CAN USE



#### No pay, no play

The club has a no pay, no play policy. All teams have club fees, in addition to team fees. If payments for either are not up to date or a payment plan has not been put in place, players are at risk for not being able to play. This policy can be found here: (double click on link to be taken to the page) No Pay, No Play Policy

Scholarships are available for team fees. The requirements and associated deadlines can be found here: <u>Scholarship Information</u>



#### **Minor Game Officials**

For all home games and designated away games, teams must field minor game officials for the score clock, the scoresheet and the penalty box. Practices are a great time to learn how to use the clock and scoresheet; please coordinate with your team manager for practice time. There are also resources you can familiarize yourself with on the association website: <a href="Scoring terminal training/Game Sheet instructions/League iPad Game Codes">Scoring terminal training/Game Sheet instructions/League iPad Game Codes</a>

Please volunteer for these positions; if they are not filled the kids cannot play. As a reminder, if you are responsible for one of these roles you cannot coach, yell, bang on the glass, etc. for or against either team.



#### Travel

Parents are responsible for arranging travel for their players. Some tournaments will be stay-to-play, with hotels being designated for the team. Your manager/coach will communicate the date/time that games will start/end so that ground or air transportation can be arranged accordingly.



#### **Locker Room Monitors**

Each team needs at least three locker room monitors that are not one of the coaches. It is **highly recommended** that all moms/female guardians get certified so that there is coverage at all games and practices. Registration for a USA Hockey number and the Safe Sport training are free. The background check costs \$30 and is good for two years. Here are the steps/requirements: Locker Room Monitor Checklist



#### **Fundraising**

Teams can choose if they want to fundraise to help defray some of the team fee costs. Fundraisers need to be approved by LHA. Information about the process can be found here (page 23): Manager's Handbook

#### **Team Equipment Requirements**

Each team will receive an apparel package (they differ depending on the team level). In addition, all players will get a practice jersey/socks and helmet stickers.

- REMEMBER ALL PLAYERS <u>MUST</u>
  WEAR A NECK GUARD AND MOUTH
  GUARD!
- ALL players should have a black helmet and black or 14ers gloves
- Goalies do not need a specific color helmet
- Players should wear 14ers warmups for all games
- Players should wear 14ers practice jerseys and socks for all practices
- Stick tape and laces colors are at the discretion of the coach











# HOCKEY IS A METAPHOR FOR LIFE. YOU HAVE TO BE WILLING TO GET KNOCKED DOWN AND GET BACK UP. -MIKE ERUZIONE

#### Meet the 14ers Level Representatives

This season LHA implemented a new position known as level representatives. Our level representatives are here to help answer questions, assist with team and club communication, plan 14ers events, and ensure that we are operating as smoothly and successfully as possible. The 14ers have two representatives for the 2025/2026 season.

#### Gus Swartz



Jennifer Lombardo Dullum

Gus will be supporting our 15U through 19U teams this season. He has been involved in girls' hockey in Colorado for over a decade, with two daughters who have grown up in the game. Both started with Colorado Select and have been with the 14ers since the program began.

McKenna is on the 15UA team, and Brayden is on the 16UAA team.

He works in the gaming industry as the Field Operations Manager for the Colorado Division of Gaming, overseeing regulatory operations in Black Hawk, Central City, and Cripple Creek. Jennifer will be supporting our 10U through 14U teams this season. She brings a wealth of experience, having served as a team manager for the past seven years—including last season for both the 14ers (12U Competitive) and LHA (15UAA) teams.

Her daughter Abby is a goalie on the 14ers 14UAA team, and her son Liam plays defense for the Hawks 16UAA team.

Professionally, she has over 25 years of experience in the health insurance industry, primarily focused on managing operational functions.



#### **14ers Apparel Store**

We're excited to announce that the 2025-2026 LHA Apparel Stores are now open! Show your team spirit and get your gear here:

LHA Apparel Landing Page
Hawks Apparel Store
Colorado 14ers Apparel Store

You asked and we listened! Shipping will be quicker!

#### **Shipping Info**

- Quick to Ship items will be produced and shipped in an average of 4-7 business days.
- All other items will average 1-2 weeks for production and shipping.

#### Partnership with Total Team Sales and Centre Ice Hockey

The Colorado 14ers have partnered with Total Team Sales at Centre Ice Hockey in Centennial to offer exclusive in-store discounts for our families throughout the season.

Discount Period: Now through March 1, 2026

**How to Redeem:** Show a picture of the flyer at checkout, and the discount will be applied to your family's account.

#### **Exclusive Discounts:**

- 10% off all CCM items including sticks, skates, and protective gear (excludes custom and already discounted items)
- 20% off team-eligible helmets and gloves (Tacks 310, Tacks 720, Tacks 920 helmets; XF and FT8 gloves)

#### What's Coming:

- Official association gloves at a special set price
- Larger apparel sizes available on the sales floor once team handouts are complete
- Youth apparel will follow after all team distributions

Stock up while supplies last and gear up for the season with savings and convenience.

Centre Ice Hockey 8262 S University Blvd, Centennial, CO 80122

Your home for 14ers gear all season long!

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## Meet The Coaches

## Spotlight on...19U TIER II



Each month, we are going to put a spotlight on different members of the 14ers community. This month, we learn a little more about our 19U coaches!



#### **Head Coach Kerry Mayhew**

#### How long have you played hockey and

where? Since I was 5. Youth Hockey I played at DU and Colorado Select. I played college at the University of Maine and University of Wisconsin-Superior.

How long have you coached hockey and where? I have been coaching for 10 years. I have coached for Colorado Select, Littleton, Team Colorado Tier 2. and 14ers.

#### What do you like best about coaching 19U?

This age in general is a great age to coach, the ladies are going through a transformative time getting ready for college and wanting to push themselves to a different level.

**My favorite hype up song is:** Til I Collapse -Eminem





#### **Assistant Coach Drue Engleman**

## How long have you played hockey and where?

I have played hockey since I was 7 years old. I started skating at DU and then played U10-U19 for the Colorado Select organization. I went on to play NCAA Division III hockey at St. Olaf College.

## How long have you coached hockey and where?

I have coached hockey for 8 years. I started with the LHA girls program and have been with the 14ers since they began in 2021.

#### What do you like best about coaching 19U?

I enjoy being able to help the players complete their high school career and get ready to compete at the next level in college or transition to college with the lessons learned from playing a team sport.

**My favorite hype up song is:** Broken Arrows by Avicii

## If you could go anywhere in the world, where would you go and why?

I would go to Greece. I have always wanted to visit, Athens specifically to see the Acropolis.



#### **Assistant Coach Eric Mayhew**

## How long have you played hockey and where?

I've played hockey since I was five years old. So I've been on the ice in some way or form for 37 years. I grew up in Colorado and played my youth career at DU for the Jr. Pioneers. Then, after graduation, I played three years of junior hockey in Michigan and Ohio before playing Division III for Fitchburg State in Massachusetts.

## How long have you coached hockey and where?

I started coaching as a youth player helping out with my younger sister's team. All while I helped with hockey camps at both DU and South Suburban. Then, after college, I started coaching more full-time and haven't stopped. So, in all, I've been coaching for 20-plus years. Most has been here in Colorado at the Tier I and Tier II level for both Co-Ed and Girls hockey. I spent two years as a college Strength Coach at Stanford University.

#### What do you like best about coaching 19U?

The way the players respond to feedback and their drive to get better. Seeing them set goals and achieve them. Helping them move on to higher levels.

#### My favorite hype up song is:

I'm shipping up to Boston by Dropkick Murphys, Tom Sawyer by RUSH, Nowhere Generation by Rise Against

## If you could go anywhere in the world, where would you go and why?

Europe, because of the vast history of the countries.



#### Assistant Coach Kylie Fitzgerald

## How long have you played hockey and where?

17 years - Littleton Hawks, 14ers, Team Colorado.

## How long have you coached hockey and where?

2 years, Junior Pioneers and 14ers

#### What do you like best about coaching 19U?

I love getting to know the girls and helping them prep for their future.

#### My favorite hype up song is:

Canal St. -A\$AP Rocket, BONES or You & Me-Flume Remix

## If you could go anywhere in the world, where would you go and why?

Switzerland. It has always been on my bucket list





## Resources



Once teams are selected, we want to ensure that you are able to get answers to all your questions throughout the season. These are your point people and their areas of responsibility:

Coaches: Coaching, competition, and player development

**Team Manager:** Communication, fundraising, social events, team travel arrangements, minor official staffing (scoreboard/scoresheet/penalty box), Tier II team paperwork gathering/compilation (if applicable)

**Team Treasurer:** Bookkeeping (calculation/collection/management/tracking of team fees)

**Level Representatives:** Conduit between the team managers/coaches and the Colorado 14ers director, responsible for planning and execution of 14ers all club activities, coordination of manager and treasurer activities to share best practices and ensure all required activities are completed (SafeSport training, monthly accounting submission, etc.)

Colorado 14ers Director: Overall 14ers program responsibility

#### As a reminder, the 24 hour rule applies for any complaints:

Parents may not approach or contact a coach, team manager, level representative, segment leader, or other LHA staff member to voice complaints or displeasure with coaching decisions during or immediately following a game or practice. Parents must wait a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours before initiating contact or communication with such individuals.

Coaches, team managers, level representatives, segment leaders, or LHA staff members may not approach or contact a parent to voice complaints or displeasure during or immediately following a game or practice. Such individuals must also wait a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours before initiating contact or communication with a parent; provided, however, that such 24-hour period does not apply to electronic communications in which a parent is copied pursuant to the Social Media and Electronic Communication Policy.

We are looking forward to a terrific season and have plans for activities to continue to further strengthen the 14ers as an organization, along with developing players at all levels.