

HOCKEY INTRODUCTORY PROGRAMS

Hockey introductory sessions will include Hockey Skating Skills 1-4, Learn to Play Hockey, & House League. We have revamped our hockey introductory programming so that it will run for three 7-week sessions throughout the season, and will include the following:

1) Hockey Skating Skills Levels 1-4: Participants are formally trained how to skate in a progressive and sequential manner by skilled skating instructors. We recommend all skaters complete Level 1 before going into “Learn to Play Hockey” and “House League.” Levels 3 and 4 are for more advanced skaters and include those in Mites and Squirts levels, as well as those that have completed Levels 1 & 2. **This will be offered in Sessions 1, 2, and 3.**

2) Learn to Play Hockey: Introduces skaters to hockey play and skills, including the use of sticks and pucks. **This will be offered in Sessions 2 and 3** (see next page). (It is recommended to have completed Hockey Skating Skills Level 1 before enrolling in this).

3) House League: Provides in-house organized games with continued hockey skills instruction. **This will be offered in Sessions 2 and 3** (see next page). (It is recommended to have completed at least Hockey Skating Skills Level 1 before enrolling in this).

It is preferred that skaters enrolling in Learn to Play Hockey and House League will have completed Hockey Skating Skills Level 1. House League is more advanced than Learn to Play Hockey and includes small-sided game play with no travelling. In Sessions 2 and 3, both House League and Learn to Play Hockey will include one class of Hockey Skating Skills per week. So - if you sign your child up for Learn to Play Hockey, the program will include Learn to Play Hockey on Tuesday nights and Hockey Skating Skills on Thursdays. For House League, your child will get Hockey Skating Skills on Thursdays and House League on Saturdays. Participants may also enroll in Hockey Skating Skills alone. Participants may enroll in more than one session and/or combinations of sessions for a reduced fee. **Equipment will be provided for all introductory programs with check out and return required.** Sessions and fees are described on the following pages.

Session Dates:

Session 1: September 3 – October 22 (only Hockey Skating Skills 1-4 offered this session)

Session 2: Week of October 26 – December 19

Session 3: Week of January 12 – February 27

Note: *We offer an equipment loan program for introductory programs - so please arrive 45 minutes before the first class of any session to check out any equipment , if needed. This would include helmets, elbow pads, shin guards, and chest protectors. No sticks or mouth guards are needed for Hockey Skating Skills.

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Hockey Skating Skills 1-4 – Thursdays (Offered Session 1, 2 & 3)

SESSION 1: Thursdays, September 3 - October 22 (no class October 1 & time change on Oct. 15). Please see attached schedule for Session 1.

Levels 1 & 2:

5:50-6:20 pm - Open practice ice time

6:20-6:50 pm - Formal skating instruction

Levels 3 & 4:

6:50-7:20 pm - Formal skating instruction

7:20-7:50 - Open practice ice time

SESSION 2: Thursdays

Level 1 & 2 @ 5:50-6:20 Thursdays

Levels 3 & 4 @ 6:20-6:50 Thursdays

SESSION 3: Thursdays

Level 1 & 2 @ 5:50-6:20 Thursdays

Levels 3 & 4 @ 6:20-6:50 Thursdays

Learn to Play Hockey – Tuesdays & Thursdays - Offered Sessions 2 & 3

SESSIONS 2 & 3: Offered on Tuesdays & Thursdays. This program will include one level of Hockey Skating Skills based on player skill level to be held on Thursdays as described on the previous page in addition to Tuesday session times to be announced. Participants may sign up for one or both sessions, or in combination with House League.

House League – Thursdays & Saturdays – Offered Sessions 2 & 3

SESSIONS 2 & 3: Offered on Tuesdays & Thursdays. This program will include one level of Hockey Skating Skills based on player skill level to be held on Thursdays as described above, in addition to a Saturday morning session (11:00-12:00). Participants may sign up for one or both sessions, or in combination with Learn to Play Hockey.

Session 1 Hockey Skating Skills 2009

September 2009:

- 9/03 Thursday 5:50-6:20 Skills 1 & 2 Practice Ice
6:20-6:50 Skills 1 & 2 Instruction
6:50-7:20 Skills 3 & 4 Instruction
7:20-7:50 Skills 3 & 4 Practice Ice
- 9/10 Thursday 5:50-6:20 Skills 1 & 2 Practice Ice
6:20-6:50 Skills 1 & 2 Instruction
6:50-7:20 Skills 3 & 4 Instruction
7:20-7:50 Skills 3 & 4 Practice Ice
- 9/17 Thursday 5:50-6:20 Skills 1 & 2 Practice Ice
6:20-6:50 Skills 1 & 2 Instruction
6:50-7:20 Skills 3 & 4 Instruction
7:20-7:50 Skills 3 & 4 Practice Ice
- 9/24 Thursday 5:50-6:20 Skills 1 & 2 Practice Ice
6:20-6:50 Skills 1 & 2 Instruction
6:50-7:20 Skills 3 & 4 Instruction
7:20-7:50 Skills 3 & 4 Practice Ice
- 10/08 Thursday 5:50-6:20 Skills 1 & 2 Practice Ice
6:20-6:50 Skills 1 & 2 Instruction
6:50-7:20 Skills 3 & 4 Instruction
7:20-7:50 Skills 3 & 4 Practice Ice
- 10/15 Thursday **TIME CHANGE!!!**
5:00-5:30 Skills 1 & 2 Practice Ice
5:30-6:00 Skills 1 & 2 Instruction
6:00-6:30 Skills 3 & 4 Instruction
6:30-7:00 Skills 3 & 4 Practice Ice
- 10/22 Thursday 5:50-6:20 Skills 1 & 2 Practice Ice
6:20-6:50 Skills 1 & 2 Instruction
6:50-7:20 Skills 3 & 4 Instruction
7:20-7:50 Skills 3 & 4 Practice Ice

Fee Options for Introductory Programs

Introductory Programs Include:

Hockey Skating Skills, Levels 1-4 (Sessions 1, 2 & 3)
Learn to Play Hockey (Sessions 2 & 3)
House League (Sessions 2 & 3)

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Single Session Fees:

1. One 7-week session of Learn to Play Hockey, which includes Hockey Skating Skills concurrently - for \$50 plus \$20 in fund raising credits.
2. One 7-week session of House League, which includes Hockey Skating Skills concurrently - for \$50 plus \$20 in fund raising credits.
3. One 7-week session of Hockey Skating Skills alone for \$30 plus \$20 in fund raising credits.

Double Session Fees:

1. A 7-week session of Learn to Play Hockey **AND** a 7-week session of House League for \$90 plus \$20 in fund raising credits. This would also include concurrent Hockey Skating Skills.
2. **TWO** 7-week sessions of Learn to Play Hockey for \$90 plus \$20 in fund raising credits. This would also include concurrent Hockey Skating Skills.
3. **TWO** 7-week sessions of House League for \$90 plus \$20 in fund raising credits. This would also include concurrent Hockey Skating Skills.
4. Sign up for **TWO** 7-week sessions of Hockey Skating Skills alone for \$50 plus fund raising credits

Note about Fundraising Credits: First time skaters in Hockey Skating Skills, Learn to Play Hockey, and House League are exempt from fundraising credits.

Earn Your Fees Program: If a family exceeds required fundraising amounts, then 50% of the additional amount will be applied to next year's registration club fees. Additional fundraising amounts can only be used to pay off current fees if there is a balance remaining on fees.

