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To: All Youth Players and Families

From: Dave Weaver - BAHA Hockey Director

I hope this letter finds you all healthy and enjoying the remainder of summer. Hockey season is just around the corner, and I know there are many questions. My hope is this letter will answer those questions.

Before getting into specific programs, it is important to understand how the ice schedule was written for this season. First, we plan to open 2 weeks earlier this season, with a start date of September 14th. Because we must limit the number of people in the facility at the same time, and maintain social distance, almost every program will be 90 minutes followed by a 30 minute break. For example, if the PeeWee team practices at 6:00 – 7:30 PM, then the Bantam team would begin practice at 8:00 PM. After each ice session, players will have 15 minutes to exit the facility. The next group will enter the facility 15 minutes before their ice session begins.

I have also attached the rules and regulations we are following due to Covid-19. I ask that families and players respect the rules put in place. We have two main goals for the season: 1) Players and teams are able to skate and play hockey this season; 2) We provide the safest possible environment for our patrons and staff. We are all living in a different world right now, and I appreciate your understanding and support as we navigate through all of the issues.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Pre-Season Skills

Pre-Season Skills will be limited to two groups only: Squirts/PeeWees and Bantams/Midgets. Unfortunately, there will NOT be a Termite/Mite pre-season clinic this season. These clinics are limited to a total of 25 skaters per group. One year experience is mandatory to participate.

Weaver Camp

Weaver Camp has moved to Bozeman! In previous years we have held this camp in Billings, but because of our earlier start date, we moved it to Bozeman. It will be held September 18th – 20th. There will be a limit of 25 players per group.

Robby Glantz

We are very excited to have Robby Glantz coming back to Bozeman. The 3-day clinic will be held in November. Space is limited to 25 skaters per group.

Termites (2014-2016 Birth Years)

Because of the limit of 25 skaters on the ice at one time, we have expanded Termites to include two different groups. Players will be assigned either Group 1, Tuesdays 4:00 – 5:00PM, or Group 2, Thursdays 4:00 – 5:00PM. Every other week, we will add a second practice. Group 1 will skate Tuesdays 4:00 – 5:00PM and Wednesdays 6:00 – 7:00PM. Group 2 will skate Tuesdays 6:00 – 7:00 PM and Thursdays 4:00 – 5:00 PM. In other words, our Termites will have 3 practices every 2 weeks. Because there is one less practice every two weeks, we reduced the price by 10%.

Mites (2012/2013 Birth Years)

We will separate the Mites into two groups. Group 1 will skate on Tuesdays from 6:00 – 7:00 PM, and Group 2 will skate on Wednesdays from 6:00 – 7:00 PM. Every other week we will add a second practice. Group 1 will skate Tuesdays 6:00 – 7:00 PM and Thursdays 4:00 – 5:00 PM. Group 2 will skate Wednesdays 6:0 – 7:00 PM and Thursdays 5:30 – 6:30 PM. In other words, our Mites will have 3 practices every 2 weeks. Because we have 1 less practice every two weeks, we reduced the price 10%.

Mountain League

The Mountain League program is our non-travel program, and will be offered to non-travel hockey players only. After registration, we will separate our players into teams and groups. Group 1 will practice on Tuesdays from 4:30 – 5:30 PM. Group 2 will practice on Fridays from either 4:30 – 6:00 PM, or 5:30 – 7:00 PM. Games for both groups will be on Wednesdays, with a start time of either 4:00 PM or 5:30 PM. We reduced the Mountain League price by 10%.

Power Skating Clinic

Our Power Skating Clinic for youth will be held every other Wednesday from 4:00 – 5:30 PM. In the past we had this clinic every week, splitting ice with the Goalie Clinic. Because of the limitations of the number of skaters allowed on the ice, we have separated the two clinics and alternated them throughout the season. This clinic is limited to 25 skaters.

Goalie Clinic

Our Goalie Clinic for youth goalies will be held every other Wednesday from 4:00 – 5:30 PM. In the past we had this clinic every week, splitting ice with the Power Skating Clinic. Because of the limitations of the number of skaters allowed on the ice, we have separated the two clinics and alternated them throughout the season. This clinic is limited to 25 skaters.

Travel Teams

All travel teams will practice twice a week. In the past, practices have been 80 minutes. This season they will be 90 minutes, so each player will practice 20 minutes more per week. However, all practices will be half ice. In addition, away tournaments are not included in the fees this season as we are not sure if we will be able to participate in tournaments.

The Girls 14U team will have one practice per week, splitting the ice with the 19U girls team. The Girls 14U players will also practice with the Mountain League, and will play games in the Mountain League as well.



2020-2021 Youth Hockey Programs and Pricing

Welcome back to another exciting hockey season! With the season rapidly approaching, please take a look at the following information to determine the best program for your child.

Pre-Season Hockey: Skills and Conditioning

The 2-week 6-session clinic is an on-ice progressive class that is age specific. The class will begin with basic fundamentals of skating technique, move on to agility and creativity, and end with small area games and scrimmages. We will focus on all areas of the game, presenting opportunities for the player to get their feet beneath them before the season. Maximum of 25 skaters per session.

*Full equipment required, including mouth guards

Ages 9 - 12

Squirt 10U – PeeWee 12U; Birth Year 2008-2011

Cost: \$100.00

Dates: September 15 - 24 (3 Sessions per week)

Days: Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays

Time: 4:00 - 5:30PM

Ages 13 - 18

Bantam 14U – Midget 18U; Birth Year 2002-2007

Cost: \$100.00

Dates: September 15 – 24 (3 Sessions per week)

Days: Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays

Time: 6:00 - 7:30PM

Weaver Camp

Weaver camp will focus exclusively on individual hockey skills. Players will work on skating, shooting, stick-handling, 1-on-1 and 2-on-1 and 3-on-2s throughout the three days. Maximum of 25 skaters per session.

Ages 9-12

Squirt 10U - PeeWee 12U; Birth Year 2008-2011

Cost: \$150

Dates: September 18 - 20 (4 Sessions Total)

Times: Friday - 7:00-8:00PM

Saturday - 9:00-10:30AM & 3:00-4:30PM

Sunday - 8:30-10:00AM

Ages 13-18

Bantam 14U - Midget 18U; Birth Year 2002-2007

Cost: \$150

Dates: September 18 - 20 (4 Sessions Total)

Time: Friday - 8:30-9:30PM

Saturday - 11:00AM-12:30PM & 5:00-6:30PM

Sunday - 10:30AM-12:00PM

Robby Glantz Power Skating Clinic

The 3-day session includes one-on-one instruction with NHL star skating coach, Robby Glantz. Technique speed training, acceleration, explosive starts and bungee cords will be covered in the extensive on-ice clinic. Maximum of 25 skaters per session.

*Full equipment required, including mouth guards.

Ages 7 - 10

Mite 8U - Squirt 10U; Birth Year 2010-2013

One year experience required

Cost \$110.00

Dates: November 16 - 18 (3 Sessions)

Time: Monday - 4:30-5:50PM

Tuesday & Wednesday - 4:00-5:20PM

Ages 11 - 18

PeeWee 12U - Midget 18U; Birth Year 2002-2009

Cost: \$110.00

Dates: November 16 - 18 (3 Sessions)

Time: Monday- 6:30-7:50PM

Tuesday & Wednesday - 6:00-7:20PM



Regular Season Non-Travel Programs:

Ages 4 - 6

Termite 6U-- Birth Year 2014-2016

Cost:

Full Season (Oct 27 – Mar 4): \$310.00 + \$40.00 = \$350.00

HALF Season (Oct 27 – Dec 22): \$190.00 + \$25.00 = \$215.00

HALF Season (Jan 5 – Mar 4): \$190.00 + \$25.00 = \$215.00

Ages 7 - 8

Mite 8U-- Birth Year 2012, 2013

Cost:

Full Season (Oct 27 – Mar 4): \$375.00 + \$40.00 = \$415.00

HALF Season (Oct 27 – Dec 23): \$215.00 + \$25.00 = \$240.00

HALF Season (Jan 5 – Mar 4): \$215.00 + \$25.00 = \$240.00

Ages 9 - 18

Mountain League Non-Travel 10U-18U – Birth Year 2002-2011

(Non-Travel Players Only)

Cost:

Full Season (Oct 27 – Mar 5): \$430.00 + \$40.00 = \$470.00

HALF Season (Oct 27 – Dec 23): \$290.00 + \$25.00 = \$315.00

HALF Season (Jan 5 – Mar 5): \$290.00 + \$25.00 = \$315.00

Power Skating Clinic

(Ages 9 – 18) 2002-2011

Power Skating Clinics will be held on 9 Wednesdays throughout the season from 4:00 - 5:30PM beginning October 28th.

Cost (9 Sessions): \$135.00

Goalie Clinic

(Ages 9 – 18) 2002-2011

Goalie clinics will be held on 8 Wednesdays throughout the season from 4:00 - 5:30PM beginning November 4th.

Cost (8 Sessions): FREE

Regular Season Youth Travel Hockey Programs:

Squirt Travel 10U (Ages 9 – 10) Birth Year 2010-2011

Cost:

SKATER (Oct 6 – Mar 4): \$1,000.00 + \$40.00 = \$1,040.00

GOALIE (Oct 6 – Mar 4): \$620.00 + \$40.00 = \$660.00

Tryouts: Tuesday Sept 29th 5pm and Saturday Oct. 3rd 11:30am

Peewee Travel 12U (Ages 11 – 12) Birth Year 2008-2009

Cost:

SKATER (Oct 6 – Mar 3): \$1,215.00 + \$40.00 = \$1,255.00

GOALIE (Oct 6 – Mar 3): \$720.00 + \$40.00 = \$760.00

Tryouts: Tuesday Oct. 29th 7pm and Saturday Oct. 3rd 1pm

Bantam Travel 14U (Ages 13 – 14) Birth Year 2006-2007

Cost:

SKATER (Oct 7 – Mar 11): \$1,415.00 + \$40.00 = \$1,455.00

GOALIE (Oct 7 – Mar 11): \$975.00 + \$40.00 = \$1,015.00

Tryouts: Wednesday Sept. 30th 4:30pm and Saturday Oct. 3rd 3pm

High School Travel (Ages 15 – 18) Birth Year 2002-2005

Cost:

SKATER (Oct 5 – Mar 3): \$1,200.00 + \$40.00 = \$1,240.00

GOALIE (Oct 5 – Mar 3): \$845.00 + \$40.00 = \$885.00

Tryouts: Wednesday Sept. 30th 6:30pm and Saturday Oct 3rd 5pm

16U Tier II Tournament Team (Ages 15 – 16) Birth Year 2004-2005

Cost:

SKATER: \$500.00

GOALIE: \$300.00

Tryouts: To Be Announced

Girls Travel 14U (Ages 12 – 14) Birth Year 2006-2009

Cost:

SKATER (Oct 7 – Mar 5): \$900.00 + \$40.00 = \$940.00

GOALIE (Oct 7 – Mar 5): \$680.00 + \$40.00 = \$720.00

Tryouts: Thursday, Oct. 1st 5pm

Girls Travel 19U (Ages 15 – 19) Birth Year 2001-2005

Cost:

SKATER (Oct 7 – Mar 4): \$1,075.00 + \$40.00 = \$1,115.00

GOALIE (Oct 7– Mar 4): \$785.00 + \$40.00 = \$825.00

Tryouts: Monday, Sept. 28th 6pm and Thursday Oct. 1st 7pm

Important Registration Information:

*Online Registration available **Monday, August 17th** @ www.bozemanhockey.org

*Description of programs, schedules, and other information available online @ www.bozemanhockey.org

*Registration Nights at Play It Again Sports: Wednesday – Thursday August 26th & 27th from 4:00pm –8:00pm. BAHA staff will be present to register players and answer any questions. To prevent wait times, you must sign up for a specific time slot in advance for this event. The signup form can be found here: www.signupgenius.com/go/60b0b45acaf29a1fe3-hockey. Face coverings required.

*Travel Hockey players may not participate in the non-travel Mountain League program.

*All practices, for Squirts, PeeWees, Bantams, High School, Girls 14U, Girls 19U will be 90 minutes in length. All practices will be half ice.

*Haynes Enhancement Fee: For the 2020-2021 skating season, \$40 from each hockey registration will go toward repayment of the \$912,000 bond approved by Gallatin County. Construction of Raise the Ice Barn included a new northeast entrance to Haynes, paved parking to that entrance, and the 36,000 sq. ft. new building shell. Thank you for your support in our endeavor to expand skating opportunities for everyone!

*\$75.00 late fee applies to all programs after **Sunday, August 30th** (No late fee for Pre-Season, Termites, Mites, and Mountain League).

*PAYMENT PLANS: If you would like to take advantage of our payment plan, you will need to register by **August 30th**, regardless of the program. The plan will charge 1/5 to your credit card on the day of registration and again on **Oct. 30th, Nov. 30th, Dec. 30th and Jan. 30th**. No other payment plans are available!

*SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION: Youth scholarships are available to offer financial support to families that meet a certain criteria. The scholarship application can be found on our website: www.bozemanhockey.org/youth Deadline for application is **Friday, August 24th**.

*Rental Gear: BAHA offers rental hockey gear on a first come, first serve basis for \$40 per season (not including stick/skates/jock/socks). Rental gear is intended for ages 5 – 8 and fit will vary on an individual basis. Other new and used hockey gear can be purchased at Play it Again Sports or Top Shelf Hockey.

*Refund policy: In the unfortunate event that we need to shut down the rinks due to Covid-19, for Youth and Adult Hockey, we will prorate the refund based on the number of remaining games/practices, minus a \$100 administration fee. We realize that other situations may occur and we will address these if they arise.

Have a Question? Please contact BAHA Hockey Director Dave Weaver:

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