

Sharks Ice Adult Hockey League Captains FAQ

So, you are interested in starting an adult hockey team or you are new captain in please read below:

I would like to submit a team to the San Jose or Fremont adult league how do I begin the process?

- 1. Consult the current season flyer for specific information on league start dates and price.
- 2. New team sign ups only begin when the new season flyer is published online. Fall/Winter Registration opens in August and Spring/Summer opens in March registration period starts 3/15 and the winter registration period begins 8/15.
- 3. Read the league rules posted at https://www.sharksiceatsanjose.com/assets/doc/SIAHL_Rules_2023.pdf
- 4. If you are registering a new team in the League you must email Dean Tait, Adult Hockey Manager before registering: dtait@sharksice.com
- Once you receive permission from the League Manager, please read the following document for more information registering your team: https://www.sharksiceatsanjose.com/assets/doc/SIAHL Online Registration.pdf

What Division is appropriate for my team's level of play?

We currently offer teams at the following Divisions:

Division 1: Elite

Division 2 & 3: Upper Advanced

Division 4: Advanced Division 5: Intermediate

Division 6: Lower Intermediate/ High Beginner

Division 7 & 8: Beginners Division 9: Pure Beginners

To determine what level is best for your team, you may want to come to the rink and watch some games at various levels. SIAHL League Schedule is available here:

stats.sharksice.timetoscore.com/display-stats.php?league=1

The League can always move teams after the initial preseason games and first few games if needed.

What nights of the week will I play? What are the time slots?

In general, Division 1 will play Wednesdays, Divisions 2 play on Thursdays with 3 and 4 will play Thursday through Saturday and Divisions 5-9 will play Saturday through Tuesday with the majority on Sunday nights.

Games can start from 6:45pm-11:15pm on weekdays and from 11am-11:30pm on weekends. Game slots are 1 hour and 15 minutes. The schedule link above is a good way to view a team's current schedule and get a feel for the season. The Spring/Summer season tends to have earlier start times than the Fall/Winter season.

I am a short a few players how can I find some players?

You have access to the online Free Agent list through your Captain's page.

How do I pay my team league fees and keep track of this?

First consult this document:

https://www.sharksiceatsanjose.com/assets/doc/SIAHL Online Registration.pdf

Then consult the current season flyer for payment information as well as any early bird deals. You can either pay the league in full with one credit card (online) or you can spread the payment amounts among your players by determining the cost per player to pay off your team fee

For example: If the league costs are 10,000 per team, you can set up an online payment amount with 8 players paying 1000 and 4 players paying 500.

You will need to let your players know the amount each of them needs to pay in the online registration module. For the early bird payment, the early bird amount payment must be reached by the date listed on the flyer at 5pm.

What is a captain's account?

A captain's account is provided to you by the League Manager prior to the start of the season once you are confirmed into the league. This is where you manage your roster including player suspensions.

How do I submit my team roster?

You must enter your roster via you captain's account by using players USA Hockey numbers. It is your responsibility to make sure that these players are on your roster. Have your players email you their USA Hockey Number so you can add them to the roster. There is no need to email any roster to any league official. The league does not differentiate full time players from substitutes so, any player on the roster is considered a member of the team. Please read the player eligibility requirements for in season and post season play.

https://www.sharksiceatsanjose.com/assets/doc/SIAHL Rules 2023.pdf

A few important roster notes:

No one is allowed to play on any team in the league while on suspension from another team. You will see any suspended players on the front page of the captain's login: https://teams.sharksice.timetoscore.com/

Skaters may not play on teams more than one (1) Division apart and goaltenders may not play on teams more than three (3) Divisions apart.

For example: A player who is rated at skill level 4 may only play down in Division 5. In this example the player may play in four (4) sub-divisions at 4A, 4B, 5A and 5B.

Any exception may be granted on an individual case-by-case basis, only by the League Manager and Head Scorekeeper.

What is a sign-in sheet?

You are required to turn in a printed sign-in sheet at the beginning of each game to the scorekeeper with player signatures. You can print a sign-in sheet from your captain's account.

Do all players need to sign a waiver?

Yes, all players need to sign a waiver each season before they can play. In your captain's account it will show you what players have waiver on file and who needs a waiver. The waiver must be signed electronically. Here is a link to the online waiver: https://stats.sharksice.timetoscore.com/waiver

Who can I contact for any scoring corrections or suspension questions?

Statistical corrections can be made via your captain's account. Any questions regarding player eligibility, suspensions should be directed to Lead Scorekeeper, Morgan Stace: mstace@sharksice.com We will work to get you an answer within 72 hours.