



Parent • Player Information Packet
2023 - 2024 Season

Player: _____

Team: _____

SMITHTOWN-HAUPPAUGE ICE HOCKEY CLUB

P.O. Box 178 of Smithtown, New York 11787

Dear Parents, Guardians and Players,

Thank you for selecting the Smithtown – Hauppauge Ice Hockey Club for the upcoming Suffolk County H.S. Hockey League Season. Enclosed you will find your 'Parent and Player Information Packet' document. Please **complete this document in its entirety** and **hand it in at the time of Tryout Registration**. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**

The Parent and Player Information Packet includes the following documents:

1. Player Bio Form
2. Smithtown-Hauppauge Zero Tolerance Policy
3. Current USA Hockey Player Registration with Bar Code for the upcoming **2023-2024** season. (www.usahockey.com) See attached Sample.
4. USA Hockey Consent to Treat Form
5. USA Hockey Zero Tolerance Policy
6. USA Hockey Waiver of Liability Form

Players will wear full equipment to all on-ice activities. Full equipment shall include:

| | |
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| Shin Guards | Jersey |
| Cup & Supporter | Socks |
| Shoulder Pads | Hockey Gloves |
| Mouth guard | Neck Guard |
| Elbow Guards | Helmet with "HECC Cage, Chin Straps and Ear Guards |

Players without full equipment will not be allowed to participate in on ice activities. NO EXCEPTIONS

Facemasks and CDC / Rink Covid protocols shall be followed and are subject to change.

Fees:

1. There is a \$25.00 cost for returning players to tryout.
2. There is a \$50.00 cost for new players to tryout.
3. **All** players must provide a \$600.00 deposit in the form of a check at the time of tryouts. If a player makes the team the \$600.00 deposit will go towards the first tuition payment. If a player did not make the team the \$600.00 check will be returned.
4. Checks to be made out to: *Smithtown Hauppauge Ice Hockey Club*

If you have any questions or need further information please feel free to contact us.

Best of Luck,

The Smithtown-Hauppauge Ice Hockey Club Board

SMITHTOWN-HAUPPAUGE ICE HOCKEY CLUB

Player Bio Form

Player Information:

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ Birth Date: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

School District: _____

Grade Level: _____ Grade Level in September: _____ Graduation Yr. _____

Hockey Information:

Years played: _____ Did you play for Smithtown-Hauppauge Ice hockey club? Yes No

If yes, which team did you play for? _____

Do you play Travel Hockey? Yes No

If yes, where did you play? _____ AAA AA A

Position(s): _____ Jersey No. _____ 1st Choice: _____

_____ 2nd Choice: _____

_____ 3rd Choice: _____

Parent or Guardian Information:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Special/ Additional Information:

SMITHTOWN-HAUPPAUGE ICE HOCKEY CLUB

Zero Tolerance Policy

In conjunction with the USA / NYSAHA the Smithtown – Hauppauge Ice Hockey Club has implemented its own amendment to the 'Zero Tolerance Policy' to include the following:

Practice:

- Players who cannot make a practice must personally contact their coach.
- Players should be dressed for practice and be on the bench at least 5 minutes before practice.
- Players will participate in ALL drills during practice.
- Players should bring their own water to the bench area. Practice is short enough; we don't want to waste time with players leaving the ice for water.
- Missed practices will directly affect the player's ice time.

Games:

- Players who cannot make a game must personally contact their coach.
- Players should know their own timetable and arrive in time to be dressed in the locker room 45 minutes before a game for coach's strategy or game plan meeting.
- Players arriving less than 45 minutes before a game will not be dressing and will be watching the game from the spectator area.
- Players must notify their coach in advance of any extenuating circumstances affecting their timeliness to be excused from the 45 minute rule.
- We are a team. It is imperative that all players and coaches be respected.
 - Do not talk back to or yell at a coach or staff member.
 - Do not put down a teammate.
 - If you have a problem with an assistant coach or another player, speak to the head coach in private.
 - If you have a problem with your head coach, try to work it out with him in private. If you feel you still have a problem, write or email the board. Anonymous complaints will be ignored. Legitimate problems will be addressed.
- Do not talk back to or yell at an on-ice official. Abuse of an official is a game misconduct.
- If you are given a penalty, go directly to the box.
 1. Do not stop to talk to the coach.
 2. Do not stop to talk to the Ref/Linesman.
 3. Do not stop for water.
 4. Do not throw your stick, gloves, or helmet.
 5. Do not slam the penalty box door.
 6. Just Go To The Box!
- Obscene language will not be tolerated in the locker room, on the bench, or on the ice.
- Go directly to the locker room after the game.

Uniforms:

- The Board and coaching staff will be strictly enforcing the uniform rule this year.
- No player will be allowed to go on the ice for a league game unless they are in a complete, properly lettered Smithtown Uniform.
- The jersey must be intact... No rips or tears and with two-tone (red/blue) letters and numbers.
- White home jersey with matching white socks
- Blue away jersey with matching blue socks
- The socks are to be our uniform socks and not those from another team.
- There will be no exceptions for anyone.

Suspensions:

- Any player sitting out a game due to a suspension (League or Club) must attend the game and watch from the spectator area to receive credit for the suspension.
- Any coach receiving a game misconduct under USA Hockey rule 404(d)* may, as his discretion and with board review, elect to impose a club suspension on the player or players whose on-ice conduct significantly contributed to that 15-penalty count.

"USA Hockey Rule 404(d) Any Head Coach whose team receives 15 or more penalties during one game shall be suspended for the next one game of that team."

SMITHTOWN-HAUPPAUGE ICE HOCKEY CLUB

Zero Tolerance Policy

Equipment:

- Players will wear full equipment to all on-ice activities including, but not limited to, practice and games. Full equipment shall include...

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|-----------------|---|
| Shin Guards | Elbow Guards |
| Cup & Supporter | Hockey Gloves |
| Shoulder Pads | Neck Guard |
| Mouth guard | Helmet with "HECC Cage, Chin Straps and Ear Guards" |
- Players without full equipment will be asked to leave the ice. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Locker Rooms:

- Any player exhibiting inappropriate behavior in or around the locker room will be suspended for their next game.
- Repeated incidents may result in the suspension of locker room privileges for the player, the entire team, or a hearing before the discipline committee.
- Any player caught vaping, smoking, using drugs or consuming alcoholic beverages will be immediately suspended and possibly expelled from the organization.
- Keep the locker rooms clean. Each player is responsible for his/her own trash. The last two players out are expected to ensure that Smithtown leaves a clean locker room.
- Any player intentionally destroying or defacing a locker room will be suspended and will appear before the discipline committee.
- Cell phones, cameras or any other recording devices are not allowed in the locker room.
- Anyone involved in an injury to another player will be suspended.
- No one except players and coaches will be allowed in the locker room.
- Family and friends must wait in the lobby for players.

Spectators:

- Family and friends are encouraged to attend games and cheer for their team and even cheer for opponents when an exceptional play is made. However, derogatory remarks, booing opponents, or yelling at players or coaches from the stands sets a bad example for our players and negatively impacts our organization. Such behavior will not be tolerated and will result in ejection from the arena and possible future exclusion from attending events.

In accordance with USA Hockey's Spectator's Zero Tolerance policy...

Inappropriate & Destructive Behavior Shall Include:

- *Using obscene, racial or vulgar language in a boisterous manner to ANYONE at ANY time.*
- *Taunting Players, Coaches, Officials or other spectators by means of baiting, ridiculing, threatening physical violence, or physical violence.*
- *Throwing ANY object in the spectators viewing area, player's bench, penalty box, or on-ice surface, that in ANY manner creates a safety hazard.*

Any game official will identify violators for the purpose of REMOVING parents/spectators from the spectators viewing and game area. Once removed, play will resume. Lost time WILL NOT be replaced and violators may be subject to further disciplinary action by the local governing body.

Signed: _____
(Athlete)

Date: _____

Signed: _____
(Parent)

Date: _____

WELCOME TO USA HOCKEY
TAKE THIS RECEIPT TO YOUR LOCAL PROGRAM TO COMPLETE YOUR
REGISTRATION
2011-12 SEASON

2021 • 2022 SEASON

(Valid through August 31, 2022)



Registration Information: Birth Year: []
Registration Category: ICE PLAYER
Date of Registration: 09/07/2011
Amount Paid - USA Hockey: []
Amount Paid - NEW YORK STATE AMATEUR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION: \$3.00

- This confirms that you have paid your 2011-12 USA Hockey & Affiliate fee (if applicable)
- Take this confirmation number to the local program(s) you participate with to complete your registration ensuring all benefits are in place. This is your member number for the 2011-12 season. You will receive an email when your registration is processed by your team/program.
- This receipt does NOT guarantee membership or placement on a team.
- If you have questions, email comp@usa-hockey.org or call 800-566-3288 ext 123.

SAMPLE

Confirmation #: 25022344



WAIVER OF LIABILITY, Release of

Liability Agreement (executed during online registration)

It is the purpose of this agreement to exempt, waive, release and defend the liability for personal injury, property damage, and wrongful death, including if caused by negligence, including the negligence of USA Hockey, Inc., its affiliate associations, local associations, member teams, event hosts, other participants, coaches, referees, officials, and each of them, their officers, directors, agents and employees. For and in consideration of the undersigned participant's payment of the registration fee to USA Hockey, Inc., its affiliates, local associations and member teams (all referred to together as USAH) and being allowed to participate in team activities, participant (and the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of participant, if applicable) waive, release and defend the liability and cause(s) of action, including for personal injury, property damage or wrongful death occurring to participant, arising out of, or in connection with, participation in ice hockey events, member team activities, the sport of ice hockey, and/or activities incidental thereto, whenever or however they occur and be held harmless by USA Hockey, Inc., its affiliates, local associations and member teams, and by this agreement any such claims, rights, and causes of action that participant (and participant's parent(s) or legal guardian(s), if applicable) may have are hereby waived, released and relinquished, and participant (and parent(s)/guardian(s), if applicable) does(do) so on behalf of my/our and participant's heirs, executors, administrators and assigns. Participant (and participant's parent(s)/guardian(s), if applicable) acknowledge, understand and assume all risks relating to ice hockey and any member team activities, and understand that ice hockey and member team activities involve risks to participant's person including bodily injury, partial or total disability, paralysis and death, and damages which may arise therefrom and that I/we have full knowledge of said risks. These risks and dangers may be caused by the negligence of the participant or the negligence of others, including the "releases" identified below. These risks and dangers include, but are not limited to, those arising from participating with bigger, faster and stronger participants, and these risks and dangers will increase if participant participates in ice hockey and member team activities in an age group above that which participant would normally participate in. I/we further acknowledge that there may be risks and dangers not known to us or not reasonably foreseeable at this time. Participant (and participant's parent(s)/guardian(s), if applicable) acknowledge, understand and agree that all of the risks and dangers described throughout this agreement, including those caused by the negligence of participant and/or others, are included within the waiver, release and relinquishment described in the preceding paragraph. I/we agree to abide by and be bound under the rules of USA Hockey, including the By-Laws of the corporation and the arbitration clause provisions, as currently published. Copies are available to USA Hockey members upon written request. Participant (and participant's parent(s)/guardian(s), if applicable) acknowledge, understand and assume the risks, if any, arising from the conditions and use of ice hockey rinks and related premises and acknowledge and understand that included within the scope of this waiver and release is any cause of action (including any cause of action based on negligence) arising from the performance, or failure to perform, maintenance, inspection, supervision or control of said areas and for the failure to warn of dangerous conditions existing at said rinks, for negligent selection of certain releases, or negligent supervision or instruction by releases. If the law in any controlling jurisdiction renders any part of this agreement unenforceable, the remainder of this agreement shall nevertheless remain enforceable to the full extent, if any, allowed by controlling law. This agreement affects your legal rights, and you may wish to consult an attorney concerning this agreement. Participant (and participant's parent(s)/guardian(s), if applicable) agree if any claim for participant's personal injury or wrongful death is commenced against releases, he/she shall defend, indemnify and save harmless releases from any and all claims or causes of action by whomever or wherever made or presented for participant's personal injuries, property damage or wrongful death. Participant (and participant's parent(s)/guardian(s), if applicable) acknowledge that they have been provided and have read the above paragraphs and have not relied upon any representations of releases, that they are fully advised of the potential dangers of ice hockey and understand these waivers and releases are necessary to allow amateur ice hockey to exist in its present form. Significant exclusions may apply to USA Hockey's insurance policies, which could affect any coverage. For example, there is no liability coverage for claims of one player against another player. Read your brochure carefully and, if you have any questions, contact USA Hockey or a District Risk Manager. 1W Rev 1/03

PLEASE PROVIDE CURRENT REGISTRATION FOR UPCOMING SEASON.
Must be up dated registration at
time of submission



USA Hockey

Consent to treat/medical History form



This is to certify that on this date, I _____, as parent or guardian of _____, (athlete participant), or for myself as an adult participant, give my consent to USA Hockey and its medical representative to obtain medical care from any licensed physician, hospital, or clinic for the above mentioned participant, for any injury that could arise from participation in USA Hockey sanctioned events.

If said participant is covered by any insurance company, please complete the following:

Insurance Company: _____

Policy Number: _____

parent/Guardian/adult participant signature: _____ date: _____

Excess accident insurance up to \$50,000, subject to deductibles, exclusions and certain limitations, is provided to all USA Hockey registered team participants. For further details visit usahockey.com or contact USA Hockey at (719) 576-USAH.

Emergency Contact

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Physician's Name: _____ Phone: _____

Hospital of Choice: _____

Completion of medical History information Below is optional

Medical History

If the answer to any of the following questions is yes, please describe the problem and its implications for proper first aid treatment on the back of this form.

- | | | |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Head Injury <i>(concussion, skull fracture)</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma | <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fainting spells | <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Convulsions/epilepsy | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neck or back injury | <input type="checkbox"/> Hernia | _____ |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart murmur | _____ |

Have you had (or do you currently have) any of the following?

Have you had a recent tetanus booster? Yes No If yes, when? _____

Are you currently taking any medications? Yes No If yes, please list all medications on back.

Has a doctor placed any restrictions on your activity? Yes No If yes, please explain on back.

USA HOCKEY'S ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY FOR PARENTS/SPECTATORS

PARENTS/SPECTATORS:

The game will be stopped by on-ice officials when the parents/spectators displaying inappropriate and disruptive behavior interfere with other spectators or the game. The on-ice officials will identify violators to the coaches for the purpose of removing parents/spectators from the spectator's viewing and game area. Once removed, play will resume. Lost time will not be replaced and violators may be subject to further disciplinary action by the local governing body. This inappropriate and disruptive behavior shall include:

- Use of obscene or vulgar language in a boisterous manner to anyone at any time.
- Taunting of players, coaches, officials or other spectators by means of baiting, ridiculing, threat of violence or physical violence.
- Throwing of any object in the spectator's viewing area, player's bench, penalty box or on-ice surface, directed in any manner as to create a safety hazard.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date



Waiver of Liability, Release Assumption of Risk & Indemnity Agreement

For and in consideration of participant's registration with USA Hockey, Inc., its Affiliate, Local association and member team (hereafter USAH) and being allowed to participate in USAH events and member team activities, the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of participants relinquish any and all liability for and cause of action for personal injury, property damage or wrongful death occurring to participant arising out of participation in USAH events, member team activities, the sport of ice hockey, and/or activities incidental thereto, whenever or however they occur and for such period said activities may continue, and by this agreement any such claims, rights, and causes of action that participant may have are hereby relinquished and the participant (or parent(s)/guardian(s)) does(do) so on behalf of my/our and participant's heirs, executors, administrators and assigns.

Participant and/or participant's parent(s)/guardian(s) acknowledge, understand and assume all risks inherent in ice hockey and any member team activities, and understand that said sport and activities involve risks to participant's person including bodily injury, partial or total disability, paralysis, and death, and damages which may arise therefrom and that I/we have full knowledge of said risks. These risks and dangers may be caused by the negligence of the participant or the negligence of others, including the "releasees" identified below. It is further acknowledged that there may be risks and dangers not known to us or are not reasonably foreseeable at this time. I/ We agree to abide by and be bound under the rules of USA Hockey, including the By-Laws of the corporation and the arbitration clause provisions, as currently published. Copies are available to USA Hockey members upon written request.

Participant and/or participant's parent(s)/guardian(s) acknowledge, understand and assume the risks, if any, arising from the conditions and use of ice hockey rinks and related premises and acknowledges and understands that included within the scope of this waiver and release is any cause of action, arising from the performance, or failure to perform maintenance, inspection, supervision or control of said areas and for the failure to warn of dangerous conditions existing at said rinks, for negligent selection of certain releasees, or negligent supervision or instruction by releasees.

Participant or participant's parent(s)/guardian(s) agree if any claim for participant's personal injury or wrongful death is commenced against releasees, he/she shall defend, indemnify and save harmless releasees from any and all claims or causes of action by whomever of wherever made or presented for participant's personal injuries, property damage or wrongful death.

It is the purpose of this agreement to exempt, waive and relieve releasees from liability for personal injury, property damage, and wrongful death caused by negligence, including the negligence, if any, of releasees. 'Releasees' include USA Hockey, Inc., its Affiliate Associations, Local Associations, Member teams, event hosts, other participants, coaches, officials, sponsors, advertisers, owners and operators of the premises used to conduct any event and each of them, their officers, directors, agents and employees.

Participant and/or participant's parent(s)/guardian(s) acknowledge that they have been provided and have read the above paragraphs and have not relied upon any representations of releasees, that they are fully advised of the potential dangers of ice hockey and understand these waivers and releases are necessary to allow amateur ice hockey to exist in its present form. Significant exclusions may apply to USA Hockey's insurance policy, which could affect any coverage under our policy. Read your brochure carefully and contact USA Hockey or a District Risk Manager if you have any questions.

_____ Age _____ Date Signed _____
PARTICIPANT SIGNATURE

PARTICIPANT NAME (PRINT)

_____ Date Signed _____
PARENT OR GUARDIAN SIGNATURE
(if Participant is 17 years of age or younger)