



**Littleton Hawks
Registration Agreement 2021-2022 Season**

Registration Fees: All registrations must be completed online. All fees must be paid by the due dates set forth in the 2021-2022 Fall Registration Fee schedule listed on the Littleton Hawks website and included in the fall registration. The registration fees are NON-REFUNDABLE and are payable in accordance with the aforementioned fee schedule.

All payments will be made by credit card (Visa, Mastercard, Discover & American Express) or e-check. Littleton Hockey Association (the "Association") will not accept regular checks. No Association Member will be allowed to participate in try-outs, and no roster spots will be held, unless all dues are paid in full. If any player's fee has not been paid by the date due, the Association Board of Directors (the "Board") has the right to suspend or terminate a player from the Association as deemed necessary.

Refund Policy: Generally, all Association fees and deposits are non-refundable and non-transferable. However, Association refunds or transfers of registration fees and program fees may be available under very limited circumstances and at the approval of the Board. These circumstances include:

- Season ending injury: Injury refund requests must be accompanied with a physician's note.
- A player relocates outside of the Denver metro area (60 mile radius).
- A player advances to a Tier I team / Boarding school program prior to LHA tryouts.

Refunds may only be issued with at least two weeks (14 days) notice of the start of said program. All refund requests must be made in writing and submitted to the Association President, Association Treasurer and Association Registrar. The Board has up to 90 days from receipt of the request to decide on the refund request and if allowing it, issue the refund. The decision of the Board is final on all requests.

If a player participates in Association travel try-outs and makes a Littleton Hawks travel team and said player later decides to forego his/her commitment to the Association to play for another team in another hockey association, said player is not entitled to any refund or transfer or application of any deposit or registration money paid to the Association.

Association Members who pay registration fees and then tryout and secure a roster position on a Tier 1 team or a Boarding school will be allowed to apply the Association registration fee (via transfer) to that program. The Association will apply the deposit paid to the Association directly to the Tier I program or Boarding school. If after Association tryouts are complete and a player moves to a Tier I program or Boarding school, the Board has the right to evaluate all registration fee and team fee transfer requests.

Player Placement and Responsibility: Placement of a player on a team is at the sole discretion of the Littleton Hawks coaching staff. There will be no refunds if a Member chooses to leave because he/she did not make the team they wanted. A Letter of Release will be granted if all registration fees have been paid and there are no outstanding fees due.

After a player has been selected and rostered for a specific team, they are responsible for individual team fees, including any ice fees over the allotted amount. The Association may, in its sole discretion, adjust fees owed for reasons such as addition/reduction of players per team or a change in the amount of expenses incurred. Fees will not be reduced for cancelled or missed practices, player termination, resignations or suspensions. The total fee shall be immediately due and paid, or the player is subject to suspension of ice privileges and team activities and/or termination.

When selected to a Littleton Hawks team, players are required to attend all scheduled games, practices, dry land and/or any other mandatory team activities unless excused by the coach prior to the event taking place. All players on competitive Littleton Hawks teams (AA, A, B and Rec) will travel and attend ALL games and tournaments. The coaches, with approval from the Littleton Hawks Hockey Director, will select the tournaments a team will attend at the beginning of the season. Players and parents understand and acknowledge their commitment to travel and their obligation to the Littleton Hawks team for which they are trying out and to which they are accepting selection. Players that do not participate or attend all tournaments may have their Association membership terminated. Team members will contribute equally to ALL tournament fees and expenses outlined in the Littleton Hawks Player Handbook.

When playing in the U8 Program, only the players who attend a jamboree are responsible for the jamboree entry fee. It is the responsibility of any family not attending a jamboree to notify the team manager and head coach, in writing, by the 2nd weekend of the season, of their absence from the jamboree. The family is responsible for their portion of the jamboree fee if this requirement is not met and will be ineligible until paid.

Player & Parent Code of Conduct:

1. Comments that are negative in nature will not be directed toward any referee, opposing player or team member.
2. Complaints regarding Association coaches/assistant coaches should be addressed directly with the individual involved. If resolution is not satisfactory, address your concerns in writing to the attention of the Littleton Hawks Hockey Director.
3. Concerns regarding your child's team should be addressed directly with your child's coach/assistant coach at the proper time and place. Please do not discuss issues during the games or immediately thereafter. Allow for a 24-hour "cooling off" period. If resolution is not satisfactory, address your concerns in writing to the attention of the Littleton Hawks Hockey Director.
4. The highest standards of sportsmanship will be evident at all Association functions. Any negative behaviors, which include but are not limited to, derogatory comments directed towards opposing players, refusal to shake hands at the end of games, use of tobacco products, alcohol or drugs of any form can result in a child's suspension from the Association.
5. Concerns regarding the Association should be documented in writing and sent to the attention of the Board.
6. Any breach of the above standards by a player or by his/her parent(s) may result in your child's suspension and removal from the Association. Comments and behaviors of any player or parent that contradict the mission statement, disrupt the functioning of a Littleton Hawks team or the Association, may result in suspension and/or removal from the Association, on the recommendation of the Littleton Hawks Disciplinary Committee or the Board.

Sharing Information:

The Association reserves the right to disclose player information to other youth hockey associations with respect to the player's financial standing with the Association as well as the player's standing with respect to the player's Code of Conduct.

Acknowledgement:

I, the parent, guardian of the registrant, a minor, agree that the registrant and I will abide by the rules of USA Hockey, its affiliated organizations and sponsors. Recognizing the possibility of physical injury associated with hockey and in consideration of USA Hockey accepting the registrant for its hockey programs and activities, (the "Programs"), I hereby release, discharge and/or otherwise indemnify USA Hockey, its affiliated organizations and facilities utilized for the Programs, against any claim or on behalf of the registrant as a result of the registrant's participation in the Programs and/or being transported to or from the same, which transportation I hereby authorize. Further, I acknowledge that I have read this entire online registration form. I agree to abide by all procedures and policies set forth by the Association. My child plans to be a part of the Association, and I understand the refund policy as stated above. Should any civil action be instigated under this Agreement in regard to any alleged negligent acts, or dispute of non-refundable fees, the Association shall be entitled to recover reasonable attorney fees and costs incurred as a result of that civil action. By registering online, I certify that I have read and understand this agreement.

Parent/Guardian 1 Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: __/__/____

Parent/Guardian 2 Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: __/__/____