

## **Travel Hockey Volunteer Requirements**

This year, all families will be required to work a total of 10 Dibs per player during their home tournament. Please remember that Dibs are depending on a shift, as a box worker is 2 dibs while a rink manager can be more. If you are unable to work the Dibs during your home tournament, you will be able to complete them early by signing up to work the Girl's A tournament the week of November 29<sup>th</sup>-December 1<sup>st</sup> or the Girl's B tournament the weekend of December 6<sup>th</sup>-December 8<sup>th</sup>. If you do not have your Dibs claimed one week in advance of the tournament, your player will be deemed ineligible and not allowed to play. If you sign up for a Dibs shift and do not fulfill it, you will be charged \$50 per shift. Since Aviators do not have a home tournament, their hours will be completed at another predetermined tournament that does not interfere with their travel schedule.

For PeeWee, Bantam, and Girls 14U/16U,/19U, GFYH may also host state tournaments. This will be determined later by the North Dakota Amateur Hockey association. If your player's team is involved in a state tournament that is hosted in Grand Forks, they will be required to work an additional 6 Dibs at this tournament. This will help make hosting these tournaments more profitable and also saves families money and time as they are not required to travel outside of Grand Forks.

### **Volunteer exemptions.**

Each traveling team will be allowed to have 2 coaching volunteer waivers and one team manager waiver. These names will need to be submitted to Jessica Sporbert no later than November 5<sup>th</sup>. These individuals will then receive a completion of hours certificate via e-mail. Anyone who has also been notified they have met their hours through other commitments (e.g. preseason ice or golf tournament) will also receive a certificate. If you do not receive this by November 15<sup>th</sup>, please know that you are required by our organization to complete Dibs

### **Tournament Dibs**

All Dibs for tournaments will be released at 8:00 a.m. on Friday two weeks prior to the tournament. Dibs will be verified by the following Friday (one week prior to the tournament) and if at that time you have not claimed your Dibs, you will be notified via e-mail that your player will not be allowed to participate until cleared by Jessica Sporbert.

We appreciate everyone's willingness to help with their volunteer obligations. These are put in place to keep the cost of our organization down and help the tournaments run smoothly. Without you, we would not be able to host these. If you ever have any questions regarding volunteer requirements, please direct them to Jessica Sporbert. She can be reached at [jessica.sporbert@gmail.com](mailto:jessica.sporbert@gmail.com) She may not respond to your e-mail until the evening as she works at another full time job during the day.