



## **NEW!! PYHA GIRLS HOCKEY PROGRAM**



Calling all Palouse girls! The Palouse Youth Hockey Association (PYHA) is starting a new girls-only hockey program.

### What is the purpose?

For the 2021-2022 season, the purpose is to focus on player development and to provide an opportunity for girls to play hockey in a girl-focused atmosphere. If your interest runs to competitive girls hockey, we can help you link up with other associations (e.g., Coeur D'Alene, Boise) for tournaments and games. In future seasons, PYHA will likely offer development-only options as well as competitive girls' teams.

### When are the Ice Sessions?

Sessions will be once a week on Tuesdays from 5:15 to 6:15 pm, starting Nov 2<sup>nd</sup> and ending in mid-March at the latest (season length may be adjusted based on the number of participants). We are striving to provide 15 weeks of girls programming. We will use the American Development Model (ADM), so girls will engage in drills with other girls of similar age and skill and make great use of our ice time. We might also have some Saturday sessions for fun things like scrimmages and games against appropriate co-ed teams.

More info on ADM is available at: [American Development Model \(ADM\)](#)

### Can I play in both the girls program and on my PYHA youth team?

Yes! During registration, you will have three options: (1) the Girls Program option, (2) your age appropriate youth team (co-ed), or (3) both the girls option and your youth team.

### Who can join the program?

The program is open to all girls ages 5-18 who are interested in hockey. Join with your friends! If you've never skated before, if you've never seen a puck –no problem! We have certified coaching staff ready to help! PYHA offers rental equipment (first come, first served, 10U and under) and the rink has additional equipment available to loan as well.

### Fees & Registration

Program fees for the 2021-2022 season are set at \$150.

Registration is at [PYHA Player Registration](#)

Girls Try Hockey for Free – Saturday, October 16, 5:30 – 6:30 PM

Not sure about hockey but would like a chance to try it out? The Palouse Ice Rink and PYHA will host a Girls Try Hockey for Free on Saturday, October 16, 5:30 – 6:30 PM. To register please contact, Ken Butterfield at the email below.

For more information or to have questions answered, please contact  
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