



# CHESTERFIELD HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

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## Club Update: Participation & Opt-Out Policy

Dear Chesterfield Hockey Association Families,

Chesterfield Hockey, the Maryville University Ice Center and the Pacific Ice Rink are committed to providing a safe environment for your family. In this new world we currently live in, we are doing our best to keep the lines of communication open with our membership. Please understand that Federal, State and County guidelines change rapidly so we need to confirm the information prior to our communications with you.

Here are Chesterfield Hockey's current policies on COVID-19 for the 2020/2021 season. Keep in mind these are subject to change as new guidelines are introduced.

Chesterfield Hockey is committed to providing a complete season of hockey for its members. Based on guidelines established by all government entities and Missouri Hockey, we have contingency plans to extend the season based on any temporary shutdowns or delays that may occur during the season. All teams will be provided their allotted ice touches.

If a player or a member living in the same household contracts COVID-19, the family is to send an email to [covid-19@chesterfieldhockey.com](mailto:covid-19@chesterfieldhockey.com) AND **copy their Head Coach**. This player is then expected to quarantine per the current guidelines in place and not return until the quarantine time is exhausted.

The Chesterfield Hockey Association will not automatically shut down teams based on individual COVID-19 positive test results. We will evaluate team situations on a case by case basis. While individuals are in quarantine, the remainder of the team will continue to operate with its practice and/or game schedule. We encourage you to speak with your health professional for further guidance on your individual unique situations.

If you or your family have any safety concerns this season, you are free to contact your coach and use a leave of absence, for any duration of time you wish. This leave would be for all practices and games for the time period you wish. The leave must be continuous and players are not allowed to show up for selected events during the period. If you wish to exercise a leave of absence, we will not be issuing a pro-rated refund.

If you wish to be removed from the team roster for this season due to concerns related to COVID-19, please email [covid-19@chesterfieldhockey.com](mailto:covid-19@chesterfieldhockey.com) AND [gary.tockman@chesterfieldhockey.com](mailto:gary.tockman@chesterfieldhockey.com) and let us know. We will issue you a full refund for the season. If this is your choice for this season, you will not be able to play for any other hockey organization or hockey club this year. This is only to allow you to sit out the season based on your concerns. **To receive a full refund, this email must be received by Sunday, September 13th at 11:59PM. After this date, we will not issue refunds.**

Again, the Chesterfield Hockey Association is committed to providing an entire season of hockey for your family, **regardless of the amount of time it takes to complete this season.**

Thank you for your time.  
Board of Directors  
Chesterfield Hockey Association

