



## Northbrook Jr. Bluehawks 2020-21 Hockey Program

### Travel Hockey Program

The Northbrook Jr. Bluehawks (formerly Jr. Spartans) are proud to announce the 2020-21 travel hockey program. This year, all teams will compete in the Chicago United Hockey League ("CUHL"). The Jr. Bluehawks will offer 2-3 Mite U8 travel teams (players born 2012-2015). Each of our teams will play approximately 30-40 games, depending on the age/level and will compete in 2-3 tournaments.

**Tryouts will begin on August 25 and all teams will be selected by August 28.**

### Program includes

- All Mite Travel Parent Meeting, Monday, August 17<sup>th</sup> at 4:15pm at the Northbrook Sports Center (parking lot west of the building). Bring a chair!
- 4 Pre-season conditioning skates (see schedule attached)
- Tryouts – 2 sessions (see scheduled attached)
- 3 weekly practices on average
- Game schedule varies by level
- Tournaments:
  - Every travel team will participate in the Wishbone Tournament held locally over Thanksgiving weekend.
  - Other tournaments will be announced to individual teams as they are scheduled and will be dependent on COVID restrictions.



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### Mite House League Hockey

- Open House League Skate/Check out the Program – Saturday, August 22, 10:30-11:30
- Parent Meeting – Saturday, September 12, time TBD
- House League Evaluations – Saturday, September 12 – Sunday, September 13
- House League Teams Posted – Wednesday, September 16
- Team Practices Start – Saturday, September 19
  - Practices on Saturday mornings
  - Extra Practices: 4-6 weekday sessions from 10/1/20 - Thanksgiving
- House Plus for Mites begins the week of 12/1/20
- We are always looking for volunteers! Please let us know if you would like to coach.

### Girls Hockey

For girl hockey players looking for an all-girl program, please see information about the Warhawks Girls Hockey program at: <http://www.warhawkshockey.com/>

### Fee Information

Fees include pre-season skates, try-out sessions, practices, and league games. Teams may elect to collect a separate fee to cover team specific expenses including tournaments. Refunds may occur in the event planned costs are not incurred by the club due to COVID-19 suspension or elimination of play. This may or may not include portions of ice costs, coaches' pay, team fees or other fees.

**Players must register with AAU Hockey in order to complete registration (separate fee).**

<b>2020-21 Fee Schedule</b>	<b>Skater</b>	<b>Goalie</b>
<b>Travel</b>	\$3,650	\$600
<b>House</b>	\$850	

*\*If a player is not extended a roster spot, full fees will be refunded. If a player withdraws from tryouts or declines a roster spot offered, fees will be refunded less a \$250 administrative fee.*



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### Financial Assistance (available for Travel and House players)

Payment is required before the first tryout session (but players must register to participate in pre-season clinics). If a player is not rostered on a team, fees paid will be refunded. There is limited financial assistance available. Questions on financial assistance should be directed to: *Thomas Burke* [tburke@cbbel.com](mailto:tburke@cbbel.com)

### Registration

- On-line registration at: [www.northbrookjuniorspartans.org/](http://www.northbrookjuniorspartans.org/)

**Please Note: Registration closes August 24, 2020. Only registered players will be allowed to participate in the pre-season clinics per AAU Hockey Rules.**

### COVID-19

The Northbrook Hockey League is working with the Northbrook Park District to provide a safe environment for our players. We will provide additional information as we get closer to the start of the season including plans in the event the season is impacted by local restrictions.

### Questions

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### Pre-season Travel Clinics and Tryout Schedule

Day	Date	Start Time	End Time	Arena	Activity	Team	Team
Monday	17-Aug	4:10 PM	5:10 PM	NB B	Preseason	Mites	all
Wednesday	19-Aug	4:10 PM	5:10 PM	NB B	Preseason	Mites	all
Friday	21-Aug	4:10 PM	5:10 PM	NB B	Preseason	Mites	all
Monday	24-Aug	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	NB A	Preseason	Mites	all
Tuesday	25-Aug	4:50 PM	5:50 PM	NB B	Tryout	Mites	all
Wednesday	26-Aug	4:50 PM	5:50 PM	NB B	Tryout	Mites	all
Saturday	29-Aug	8:00 AM	9:00 AM	NB B	Practice	Mites	all