

HOCKEY

AGE GROUP

Female: Year of Birth: 2011-2012 (U13 AA)

Male: Year of Birth: 2009-2010 (U15 AA)



ZONE TEAM COMPOSITION

The maximum team size shall be:

Female Hockey

19 athletes per Zone

6 coaches per Zone (min # of females 2)

Male Hockey

19 athletes per Zone

6 chaperones per Zone

FILL POLICY

1. The fill policy will be at the discretion of Hockey Alberta. If no teams declare in a designated zone, then winning percentage will be used to fill a zone spot by a neighboring zone club team

*Fills must be submitted for approval to the Multisport Games Unit by **January 16, 2024**.*

ELIGIBILITY

Athletes

- Must be a registered member of Hockey Alberta/Hockey Canada
- Must be a member in good standing
- Athletes must compete for the club team to which they are registered to.

Athletes seventeen (17) years of age, or athletes turning seventeen (17) during the Alberta Games, are NOT eligible to attend the Games. For Alberta Games Eligibility Policy information please visit www.albertawintergames.ca

Coaches

- Must be a registered member of Hockey Alberta/Hockey Canada
- Must be a member in good standing
- Coaches must meet Hockey Alberta's [Coaching Requirements](#)
- Coaches must pass their local minor hockey association [screening process](#)

All coaches and chaperones must be at least eighteen (18) years old by the start of the Alberta Games.

AFFILIATION

To be eligible to register as an Affiliate, all Players must meet and qualify in accordance with Hockey Alberta and Hockey Canada Regulations.

ENTRY AND ZONE PLAYOFF PROCEDURES

- **Female Hockey** – U13 AA club teams will have the opportunity to declare if they would like to opt in to be considered for an invite to the Alberta Winter Games. Based on selection criteria Hockey Alberta will offer out 8 spots for teams to attend by December 1, 2023.
- **Male Hockey** – U15 AA club teams will have the opportunity to declare if they would like to opt in to be considered for an invite to the Alberta Winter Games. Based on selection criteria Hockey Alberta will offer out 8 spots for teams to attend by December 1, 2023.

To determine the date and location of Zone playoffs/selection please visit www.hockeyalberta.ca or www.albertawintergames.ca

PROVINCIAL GAMES REGISTRATION FEE AND DEADLINE

All Zone team athletes, who qualify to compete at the 2024 Alberta Winter Games (excluding coaches and chaperones), are required to pay an individual registration fee of \$80.00. This fee will offset the costs related to transportation, accommodation, meals, Zone identification, medals, athlete entertainment and sport competitions. This fee is payable to your provincial sport organization and must accompany the athlete's registration form for the Provincial Games.

Please note the registration deadline for Hockey is **January 7, 2024**.

EVENTS

Tournaments will operate with a two pool, four team round robin format that will lead into a cross over medal round.

PROTEST PROCEDURES

As per Hockey Alberta Provincial Competition guidelines.

EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS

As per Hockey Canada/Hockey Alberta rules. Website: www.hockeyalberta.ca

PROVINCIAL SPORT COORDINATOR

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ZONE SPORT REPRESENTATIVE

The Provincial Sport Coordinators, indicated above, have been appointed by Hockey Alberta to serve as the primary contacts and leaders of the Association's participation in the Alberta Games. For any questions about Hockey in the Alberta Games, contact your Provincial Sport Coordinator or visit www.hockeyalberta.ca



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