



2018 Tier 2 Girls 16U Regional

WELCOME to Maine!!!

On behalf of Maine Amateur Hockey Association, we welcome all the Girls 16U teams to our great State! This year tournament will be played at The Norway Savings Bank Ice Arena in the Auburn.

We hope you enjoy your stay and have a great tournament.

PAYMENT-ALL PAYMENTS ARE DONE ONLINE AT

<http://meahatournament.ngin.com/>

THIS PROCESS ALLOWS PAYMENT TO BE COMPLETED USING A CHECK AND DEBIT OR CREDIT CARD. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS- ALL PAYMENT MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE MARCH 7TH TOTAL DUE \$1,450.00

THERE WILL BE NO FEE COLLECTED AT THE DOOR

RINK-

Norway Savings Bank Arena

985 Turner St

Auburn, ME

207-333-6688

All coaches and team managers should read this packet carefully to become familiar with all requirements and tournament rules.

Important reminder to all tournament players, coaches, parents, and spectators. Maine Amateur Hockey strictly adheres to the USA Hockey Zero Tolerance policy and Code of Conduct policy.

Credentials

For non-national tournament bound teams, your Credentials book must be complete and you should carry your book to the tournament. Upon your qualification for the Regional/Sectional tournament, your State Registrar will email the State Tournament Director that your team is approved to participate in the tournament. Your Credentials book should contain the following:

1. A certified Roster Registration Form (1-T) signed by your state registrar.
2. USA Hockey Code of Conduct Form for each rostered player AND coach.
3. USA Hockey Consent to Treat form for each rostered player AND coach.
4. Sanctioned game score sheet to verify compliance with the 10/20 (Youth) or 10/14 (Girls/Women) rules for each rostered player.
5. All coaches must show on the roster (#1 above) as being credentialed at the level mandated by USA Hockey.
6. Non US Citizen eligibility must be noted as "Complete" on the roster (#1 above).

Hotel Information

Hampton INN- 45 Rooms March 5th cut off
15 Lincoln St
Lewiston, ME 04240
207-344-1000 Audree
\$109 per night – Code ME Amateur Girls Hockey

Residence Inn- 40 Rooms March 5th cut off
670 Turner St
Auburn, ME 04210
207-777-3400
Code ME Amateur Hockey Tier II Regionals
\$123 Studio Room (16)
\$133 1-bedroom (16)
\$173 2-bedrooms (8)

Discipline Committee Information

Jeff Thompson 1-207-659-3774
Mike Keaney 1-207-240-9710

(1) The Discipline Committee shall be composed of three (3) people and be appointed prior to the first game by the tournament director. Its members shall not come from the same community. The referee-in chief, or his/her appointee, shall not be eligible to serve on this committee.

(2) The committee shall be responsible for deciding any action, suspensions or otherwise, to be taken against a player or team official receiving a game misconduct or match penalty. The committee shall have full power to waive or increase the one-or two-game suspension imposed in Rule 404 (c), Game Misconduct.

(3) The committee shall have authority to initiate action involving supplementary discipline against a player or team official whether or not it involves the playing rules; provided, however, that no suspension shall occur without first giving notice of the intended action and providing the opportunity for a hearing.

(4) No player or team official shall be suspended from participating in the remaining games unless he/she has been provided the opportunity to appear before the committee to relate his/her version of the incident.

Note 1: *No hearing for game misconduct will be permitted for any player who incurs five penalties in the same game. Players shall be assessed a game misconduct penalty.*

Note 2: *No hearing for game misconduct will be permitted for any head coach whose team incurs fifteen or more penalties during one game. The head coach shall be suspended for the next one game of that team.*

Coaches Meeting Information

The mandatory coaches meeting will be conducted via conference call rather than the normal in-person meeting. We will be hosting coaches meeting on **Wednesday, March 14, 201 at 8:00 PM.**

Please email Jeff at admin@meaha.com for phone number

The meeting will address the rules and make sure all information needed has been provided. This is a **mandatory** call and each team is required to have a coach and/or manager on the call. The Head Coach will be suspended for the first game if a representative is not present on the call. Each team is required to provide the tournament host with you Credential book and roster labels (3 labels per game, max of 5 games = 15 labels) at least one hour prior to your first tournament game.

Tournament Rules

Round Robin

Play will have 2 periods of 25.5 minutes

Resurfacing Ice will be done at the beginning of the game and the end of the 1st period.

Round Robin play will not have Overtimes or Time Outs.

Unless otherwise agreed to by the teams and the Tournament Director, the Home Team shall wear light/white jerseys and the Visiting Team shall wear dark/colored jerseys in all games.

The maximum number of players, excluding goalkeepers, shall not exceed eighteen (18). It is highly recommended that all teams arrive with two goalkeepers. Any team that cannot satisfy this requirement must notify the Tournament Director prior to the start of the tournament. Goal Tenders maybe added to rosters for this tournament through your program but must be done through your state's registrar. Any additional goalies added must be from same level of play and from a lesser tier.

Zero Tolerance will be enforced by all and handled by on ice and off Ice Officials.

After round robin play, the two teams with the highest standing from each pool will advance to the semi-final round.

Tie-Break Procedures in Round Robin play.

If two or more teams have an equal number of points, their position in the standings shall be determined by the following tiebreaking format. If one tie-breaker establishes a position for one or more teams, each team is placed in the applicable position. Once a team is placed, the remaining tied teams shall start the tiebreaking process over again at step 1. *(If all tied teams have not played each other, then proceed to step 2. Note: a team may go into the tiebreaking process having defeated another of the tied teams and still not advance).*

The tie-breaker formulas are as follows:

1. The results of the head-to-head games played between the tied teams in the following order:
 - a. Standings — Most points.
 - b. Most total wins.
 - c. Differential — Subtracting goals scored against from goals scored in these games, the positions being determined in order of the greatest surplus.
 - d. Quotient — Dividing the goals scored in these games by the goals scored against, the positions being determined in order of the greatest quotient. A quotient involving dividing by zero (0) has higher standing than a quotient from dividing by any number other than zero. Where two or more teams have no goals against and the quotient tiebreaker is required, the teams shall be ranked high to low in descending order of “goals for.”

2. If after applying the formulas of 1 a, b, c or d the tie still exists, the results of all the games played by the teams tied in the following order.
 - a. Most total wins.
 - b. Differential — Subtracting goals scored against from goals scored in these games, the positions being determined in order of the greatest surplus.
 - c. Quotient — Dividing the goals scored in these games by the goals scored against, the positions being determined in order of the greatest quotient. A quotient involving dividing by zero (0) has higher standing than a quotient from dividing by any number other than zero. Where two or more teams have no goals against and the quotient tiebreaker is required, the teams shall be ranked high to low in descending order of “goals for.”
 - d. Most periods won — In the games played by each tied team, points will be awarded for each regulation period won (2 points) and for each regulation period tied (1 point). Positions shall be in the order of highest point total.
 - e. Quickest first goal — The team that scored the quickest goal in their preliminary round games shall be ranked highest.

3. If the above procedure does not break the tie, the teams shall use a shootout procedure as previously described.

Note: *Forfeits - If a team forfeits any of its games, and becomes involved in any tie-breaking formula to determine its eligibility to advance to the next level of play, the team forfeits all games in the round robin play and the games are recorded as 1-0 victories*

Directions to the Rink

From Portland-

From I -95 North

Take Exit 75 toward US202/ME RTE 4/ME RTE 100, stay in left two lanes, turn left onto ME RTE 4 North follow about 4.8 miles, stay straight onto Union St, .4 miles, turn left onto Turner St- go about 1.7 miles until you see SHAWS on left- turn left into SHAWS/Auburn Mall- rink is behind SHAWS



16U TIER II GIRLS Regionals

Norway Saving Bank Arena - Auburn, ME



American	CT1	Shamrocks	CT2
	CT1	VT	CT2
National	ME1	NH1	ME2
	ME1	NH1	ME2

Round Robin #1	Rink	Time	HOME		AWAY
Friday, March 16, 2018	Rink 1	5:00 PM	CT2	VS	ME2
Friday, March 16, 2018	Rink 2	5:10 PM	Shamrocks	VS	NH1
Friday, March 16, 2018	Rink 1	6:40 PM	CT1	VS	ME1

Round Robin #2	Rink	Time	HOME		AWAY
Saturday, March 17, 2018	Rink 1	7:00 AM	ME2	VS	Shamrocks
Saturday, March 17, 2018	Rink 2	7:10 AM	NH1	VS	CT1
Saturday, March 17, 2018	Rink 2	8:50 AM	ME1	VS	CT2

Round Robin #3	Rink	Time	HOME		AWAY
Saturday, March 17, 2018	Rink 1	12:00 PM	CT1	VS	ME2
Saturday, March 17, 2018	Rink 2	12:10 PM	CT2	VS	NH1
Saturday, March 17, 2018	Rink 1	1:40 PM	Shamrocks	VS	ME1

Sunday, March 18, 2018					
SEMI-FINAL 1	Rink1	9:10 AM	Reseed #1		Reseed #4
SEMI-FINAL 2	Rink2	9:20 AM	Reseed #2		Reseed #3

Sunday, March 18, 2018					
CHAMPIONSHIP	Rink1	3:00 PM	SF #1 Winner		SF #2 Winner

