



## Borrowing Of Players Policy Adopted October, 2006

Following tryouts, all HHA registered players will be placed on an official team roster that is filed with the State Registrar. Players will remain on that roster for the duration of the season.

From time to time, a team needs additional players due to illness, absences, etc. When teams are small (11 players or less), use of additional players is encouraged and creates a way for players on lower level teams to experience more competitive levels of play. It is the responsibility of the coach of the team that needs players to recruit these players to join their team and to follow this policy. Only HHA registered players may play for HHA teams.

Under no circumstances shall a player be asked to play down with a younger age group. Thus, by way of example, a Squirt team shall not recruit a pee wee player.

### GSL Games:

There are special rules that apply to Granite State League games. Specifically, a player may not play more than two GSL games for a team he or she is not rostered on.

In addition, a player may only play up within the division not down (e.g., Tier 1 pee wee may not play for tier 3 pee wee team in a gsl game).

A player may not be asked to join the team just for the state tournament, as all players must meet GSL, 50% of tier games, rule to qualify.

### NonGSL Games (Nontournament):

A player may play more than 2 games outside the GSL, but coaches should spread these opportunities around and not rely on single player to fill void. As a general rule, a coach should try to replace a player with another player of generally equal ability and not use the "opportunity of a player lost" to try to improve team.

### NonGSL Tournament Games:

Sometimes players are needed for nonGSL tournaments. Any player who participates in a tournament must first be rostered on the team for that tournament by notifying, in advance, the State Registrar. There are no exceptions to this rule. A coach who is short



on players for a tournament may not simply recruit a player and add to roster. Once again, before doing this, the revised roster should be submitted to the State Registrar.