ALLEN COMMUNITY ICE RINK

JR. AMERICANS YOUTH HOCKEY PROGRAM

Allen Community Ice Rink is excited to announce plans for the upcoming 2012-13 Jr. Americans Youth Hockey Program!

The cost for the **Red, White & Blue Mite 8 & Under** (2004/2005) program will be **$749.**

With USA Hockey's Red, White and Blue Hockey program — which promotes the integration of cross-ice practices and games into youth hockey — we can raise the level of creativity among players, increase player participation, and create a positive environment for kids to play, love and excel. Jr. Americans Red, White & Blue Mite 8 & Under program will follow USA Hockey's American Development Model (ADM). Practices and games will be structured using ADM guidelines and will focus on age-appropriate learning and provide players an environment in which they can reach their fullest potential and most importantly have FUN.

The cost for the **10 & Under** (2003/2002), **12 & Under** (2001/2000) or **14 & Under** (1999/1998) program will be **$799.**

Jr. Americans 10 & Under, 12 & Under, and 14 & Under programs will follow the USA Hockey American Development Model (ADM) and is designed for players with beginner to intermediate ice hockey experience who want to develop their general hockey skills and improve their team play. Practices and games will be structured using ADM guidelines and will focus on age-appropriate learning and provide players an environment in which they can reach their fullest potential and most importantly have FUN.

The program (Sep 9 – Apr) will include:

- Teams will play in the Dallas Stars Youth Hockey League (DSYHL)
- All teams coached by USA Hockey Certified ACIR Ice Hockey Instructors
- 20 Practice Sessions
- 20 Games *(as indicated below)*
  - ***8 & Under***: A mixture of 20 half-ice and full ice games - in adherence to the TAHA Mite ADM Policy
    - includes league games, playoff game and *Rink of Dreams* game at Allen Event Center
  - ***10 & Under, 12 & Under, 14 & Under***: 20 Full-Ice Games plus playoffs
- USA Hockey Certified Officials – Metroplex Hockey Officials Association (MHOA)
- Each player will receive a home and away jersey and a pair of socks
- Jr. Americans Punch Badge – 10 stick-time and 10 open skate admissions
- *Pointstreak* Online Statistics & Standings (10 & Under and above)
- Each team will play a full ice *Rink of Dreams* game at Allen Event Center, home of the Allen Americans!
- Only the Allen Community Ice Rink can offer these great features:
  - Allen Americans Ticket Package with Pre-Game Chalk Talk!
  - Allen Americans Player Appearances at designated Practices!
  - CHL Game Intermission Activities!

Registration will open on Sunday, August 5 at 3 p.m. Teams will be limited to 16 players (14 players at 8 & Under) and rosters will be filled on a first come, first serve basis. ***Registration deadline is August 31, 2012**. To register, please bring all required documents directly to ACIR and submit them at the Customer Service Desk. Forms are available online at www.cityofallen.org/acir.

Player evaluations will begin September 9. Evaluations are held to gauge the overall skill level of the players participating in each age division and help league administrators and instructors balance teams. Evaluations are not tryouts. Further details about evaluation day/time(s) will be sent out on or before September 3. Full practice and game schedule will be released after all player evaluations have been completed and team rosters have been finalized. Games begin the week of October 15.

Practices and home games could occur on the following day/times(s): **Wednesday (6:15 p.m.), Friday (6:15 p.m./7:30 p.m.), Saturday (7:45 a.m.) and Sunday (3:15 p.m./4:45 p.m.). All day/time(s) are subject to change, additional day/time(s) could be added after the season starts. Away game day/time(s) will vary depending on partner rink facility schedules.** Once the season starts, the schedule will be published online at the Allen Community Ice Rink website.

Allen Community Ice Rink Ice Hockey Instructors and Staff are extremely excited about the upcoming 2012-13 season! If you have any questions about the Jr. Americans Youth Hockey Program or the ADM (www.admkids.com) please feel free to contact me directly by email at khanley@alleneventcenter.com or by phone at 972.912.1074.

**Limited spots are available and registration could close early by age group.*

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2012-13 USA Hockey Registration Instructions for Players

1.) On or after April 2, 2012 go to USA hockey and register for the 2012-13 season:
http://www.usahockeyregistration.com/

2.) Complete the USA Hockey registration process for **Ice Players & Coaches**:
2012-13 USA Hockey Membership Fee $46 ($40 USA Hockey Fee + $6 TAHA Affiliate Fee)

3.) Once you have completed the registration process write down your USA Hockey confirmation number and/or print the screen. You will need this to register for an Allen Adult Hockey League (include on registration form).

2012-13 SEASON
AGE CLASSIFICATIONS

USA HOCKEY

(Next Season)

USA Hockey Playing Season: September 1, 2012 through August 31, 2013

YOUTH TEAMS

DATE OF BIRTH	AGE CATEGORY	AGE DIVISION
1994	18 Years	Midget 18 & Under
1995	17 Years	Midget 18 & Under
1996	16 Years	Midget 16 & Under
1997	15 Years	Midget 16 & Under
1998	14 Years	Bantam 14 or Under
1999	13 Years	Bantam 14 or Under
2000	12 Years	Pee Wee 12 or Under
2001	11 Years	Pee Wee 12 or Under
2002	10 Years	Squirt 10 or Under
2003	9 Years	Squirt 10 or Under
2004	8 Years	Mite 8 or Under

No USAH registration fee 2006 and younger (6 & Under)

GIRLS' & WOMEN'S TEAMS

DATE OF BIRTH	AGE CATEGORY	AGE DIVISION
1993	19 Years	19 or Under
1994	18 Years	19 or Under
1995	17 Years	19 or Under
1996	16 Years	16 or Under
1997	15 Years	16 or Under
1998	14 Years	14 or Under
1999	13 Years	14 or Under
2000	12 Years	12 or Under
2001	11 Years	12 or Under
2002	10 Years	10 or Under
2003	9 Years	10 or Under
2004	8 & Under	8 or Under

No USAH registration fee 2006 and younger (6 & Under)