

2012-2013 POND PENGUINS HOCKEY

All Penguin teams have these common elements:

** Qualified USA Hockey Certified Coaching * End of Season Banquet * Fundraising Participation * DVHL Games (NEW)*

8 & under MITE – Half Ice Gray Team

SEASON COST: \$925
PLUS \$50 EVALUATION FEE
Practice jersey included in the price
Practices begin in September

6 & under MITE – Cross Ice Yellow Team & Black Teams

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Practice jersey included in the price
Practices begin in September

Payment Schedule

- \$375.00 due at registration (includes \$50 evaluation fee)
- \$250.00 due June 20, 2012
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Penguins Spring Evaluation for 2012/2013 Season

Tuesday, April 10, 2012 6:50pm
Wednesday, April 11, 2012 6:00pm

Evaluation Fee / Deposit due at registration

Both evaluations will be held at: The Pond Ice Arena
COPY of BIRTH CERTIFICATES & USA Hockey confirmation page required
at registration, please arrive 1 hour prior to the start of evaluations.

The Pond Penguin jersey package price is \$190, which
includes a home & away jersey and socks.
This **\$190** payment is due by May 20, 2012.

Practice Jerseys are included in yearly fee for
All Penguin Teams.

Helmet stickers are available in the Pro Shop

- **New Players Evaluation Fee / Deposit: \$375** (non-refundable) due on April 11, 2012. \$325 is credited towards season fees the other \$50 is for evaluation ice times.
- All players will be responsible for individual registration with USA Hockey. Electronic registration with USA Hockey begins, April 1, 2011. Proof of registration must be submitted to the Pond Penguins at evaluations. **NO** one will be allowed to skate without the USA Hockey confirmation page. All checks should be made out to The Pond Ice Arena. Credit Cards are accepted for payment 3% fee added to each cc purchase, AMEX 5%.

Who are the Pond Penguins?

The Pond Penguins are a Youth Ice Hockey club that skates out of the Pond Ice Arena in Newark, DE. The Penguins compete against teams in Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Maryland. The Penguins sponsor travel ice hockey teams in the Mite division only. Once a player has completed the Mite level, by a age nine years, they move to the Delaware Ducks Program.

Our Players:

Many of our players who are now Penguins have Participated in the Pond's Learn to Skate, Hockey 101, and the Cross Ice Program. The goal of our organization is to create quality players, while having players improve their skills as they learn about the game. Our increasing success is a direct result of the parents and children. Offering a personal Travel hockey program and keeping games close to home.

The Pond Penguins Missions Statement:

**SPORTSMANSHIP...POISE...DISCIPLINE...
FOCUS... INTENSITY... CLASS...
COMPETITION... RESPECT... INTEGRITY...
FAIRNESS... SPIRIT... FAMILY and FRIENDSHIP,
makes up every aspect of being a Penguin.**

The overall goal of the Penguins organization is to create a "FUN" environment, which will encourage the children to compete in an organized sport activity and in return they will benefit from lifelong values, which will assist them in succeeding as adults. Our goal is to cultivate team play, respect, discipline, responsibility, honor, sportsmanship, and to strengthen each players self esteem, while Instilling "FUN" into every practice and every game. The children will also learn that winning is not the lesson taught, but that having "FUN", practicing hard, and developing relationships with your fellow team mates and playing the best game that you possibly can is the ultimate goal and satisfaction behind the sport of youth ice hockey. When a young hockey player comes off the ice after loosing a game, and says "I had so much FUN", then we have succeeded in our mission.

2012-2013 Season Highlights

- 44 shared practices (2x per week)
Tuesdays 6:40pm & Thursdays 6:25pm
- Approx. 15-18 games, 1 or 2 game per
Weekend home games 10:20-11:20am
- Power Skating on Wed eve (2x per month)
- Penguin teams also skate during H101 Sat
and Sun from Sep-Feb only...which equals
4 practice sessions per week.
- Practice jerseys included
- End of Season Banquet
- Fundraising opportunities
- Tournaments will be scheduled at an
additional cost.
- Qualified USA Hockey Certified Coaching
- Personalized Penguin Public Skating
Pass for all Players (excludes COSMIC)
- Pond Penguins are now part of the DVHL

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POND PENGUINS

HALF ICE & CROSS ICE

LIMITED TRAVEL

MITE HOCKEY

Ages 5-8

birth years 2004-2009

Hockey



2012/2013

Season

Information