



# YOUTH Field Hockey FAQ

## Asheville YMCA – Fall 2020

### REGISTRATION

**Early Registration** (begins Dec 24)

**Regular Registration** (begins Jan 20)

**Late Registration** (begins Feb 17)

### FOR AGES 6+

\$66 Members     \$88 Non-Members

\$76 Members     \$98 Non-Members

\$91 Members     \$113 Non-Members

*\*Financial Assistance is Available*

**What are the age groups?** 7-8 Year Olds, 9-11, 12-14

**Can my child play in a different age group?** Please contact program director for approval to register for a different age group.

**When is the last day I can register?** Our registration runs until program is filled.

**What do I need? Required** – Shin-guards/Mouth Guard/Water Bottle/Smile!

**Recommended** – Cleats, Caged Eye Mask

**What will my child get?** All participants will get a reversible jersey; field hockey sticks will be available to anyone that does not have one.

**I want to volunteer but I don't know anything about field hockey?** You can be a coach or an assistant coach and just help out with drills. You can also be a team parent and help with communication. We have resources and personal experience to share with the "First-Time" Volunteer!

**How are teams made?** Teams will be made based off of age/height/gender/playing experience/last season's performance/coach availability/practice time availability. We will honor as many request as we can, however, requests are not guaranteed. If a request is not honored, we will try and work with the family to come up with a solution that fits both their needs and the fairness of the program. Teammate requests can be made during registration or emails prior to the first week of practice. Also please indicate via email if your child has played up in league before too so we can put them in the appropriate skill level.

**When is the last day to register?** March 8th

**When will I receive team communication?** The week of March 11<sup>th</sup>

**When and how long are practices?**

- Ages 6-8: 45 minutes once a week between 6:15pm and 7:00pm
- Ages 9-11: 1 hour once a week between 6:15pm and 7:15pm
- Ages 12-14: 1 hour once a week between 6:15pm and 7:15pm

- **When will I receive team communication?** No later than Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup> (find out team, practice day and time). Please contact the program director if you have not received team communication by this day. ALL team communications will be sent via PLAYERSPACE.

- **Season start and end dates:** March 16<sup>th</sup> – May 11<sup>th</sup>

- **When are practices and games held?** Practices are held on Wednesdays nights, at the Woodfin Community Center Field. Games will be played at YMCA Youth Services Beaverdam Location.
- **Game schedules:** Game schedules will be ready by Friday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at the latest.
- **Make-up games:** If possible, rained out league games will be made up on weekdays or Saturday afternoons.

### Locations:

- Woodfin Community Center – 11 Community Street, Woodfin, NC 28804
- YMCA Youth Services – 201 Beaverdam Road, Asheville, NC 28804

### Asheville YMCA Contacts

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- **Asheville Sports Weather Hotline**     828-575-2907     (Please put this number in your phone!)