HILLS NIGHT HOCKEY ASSOCIATION (INC)

ABN # 84 206 205 310



Season 2023 - 2024

Dear Team

Welcome to season 2023-2024 of night hockey. This season Year 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, Men, Women teams will be playing indoors in the Mundaring Arena. The year 5-6 and Men's and Women's B teams will be rotating indoors and outdoors depending on team numbers (indoor sticks are available for use). All players must have proper indoor sticks and non-marking shoes to play indoors (sticks will be available at the courts to purchase in the first few weeks of the season). Years 1-2, 3-4 will continue to play outdoors.

Registration

Registration this year is **online** only and is open from 1 August 2023. Before you start you need:- • Need a minimum of 4 players to register your team – date of birth is required to register junior teams. Full teams need to be finalized by the second playing game for the team. • All mandatory fields need to be completed prior to submitting your team's registration for the registration to be successful.

• Fees are to be paid electronically this season.

\$50 nomination fee needs to be paid prior to registering your team
Hills Night Hockey Association
BSB: 633 000
Account number: 190 514 398
Reference: your grade and team name (eg. Y 9-10 Gladiators or BWomenJust4Fun)

- go to http://hnha.com.au/register/ click on Junior team or Senior team
- Nominations close at 5pm on the night of AGM. Note: \$50 nomination fee will be forfeited if the team withdraws after the closing date.

Annual General Meeting (AGM)

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday **6th September 2023** in the Bendigo room upstairs in **Mundaring Arena**, **Mundaring Weir Rd** commencing at **7.00pm**. Please Note, it is compulsory to have at least one member of the team or a proxy at the AGM.

Volunteers are needed to keep the Association going. We need people for our committee, (general committee or consider taking on a position). Please find attached a committee nomination form which needs to be returned to the secretary prior to the AGM. Volunteers are also needed to help out in the office issuing equipment on a Wednesday and Thursday night (both inside and outdoor courts).

Any item you wish to raise at the AGM needs to be submitted in writing to the Secretary (<u>secretary@hnha.com.au</u>) at least 1 week prior to the AGM for inclusion on the agenda.

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Commences Wednesday 11th October 2023 and Thursday 12th October 2023.

Breaking for Christmas on 6th & 7th December 2023

□ Resumes on Wednesday 31st January 2024 & Thursday 1st February 2024.

 $\hfill\square$ The season for Year 1-2 and 3-4 will conclude on Thursday 7th March 2024.

2 weeks of finals commencing Wednesday 13th March & Thursday 14th March 2024.

Grand finals on Wednesday 20th March and Thursday 21st March 2024.

Age groups are as at 1 January 2023

Age group to play	Year of birth	Age group to play	Year of birth
Year 1-2	2017 2016	Year 9-10	2009 2008
Year 3-4	2015 2014	Year 11-12	2007 2006
Year 5-6	2013 2012	Seniors	2005 below
Year 7-8	2011 2010		

<u>All new junior players must supply a copy of their Birth Certificate before being eligible to play.</u>

Each player is strongly advised to wear a **mouth guard and shin pads**. **Players playing indoors must have an indoor stick and non-marking shoes**.

Proposed fees:-

Seniors (indoor teams Men & Women) **\$500 per team Juniors** (Year 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12) **\$400 per team Sub Juniors** (Year 1-2, 3-4) **\$320 per team.**

Supply of Association Umpire (Senior teams can nominate to supply their own umpire) Seniors (indoor teams Men & Women) \$350 per team Juniors (Year 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12) \$280 per team Sub Juniors (Year 1-2, 3-4) \$140 per team

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The fixtures will be available on the internet <u>www.hnha.com.au</u> prior to the commencement of the season.

The Codes of Conduct and rules are available on our website <u>www.hnha.com.au</u> click on Rules and Forms tab.

Working with Children Check

As part of the Member Protection Policy all adults (over 18 years of age) who Coach or are a Team Manager for a Year 1-2 thru to Year 11-12 team for the season you are required to have a current Working with Children Check card. This is not required if the adult has a child in the team he/she is the Team Manager or Coach of. Application forms and information sheets are available at the Post Office. All Team Managers and Coaches need to present evidence of the Working with Children Check or reasons for exemption to the secretary or records clerk by the end of the team's first fixtured game.

For further information please contact the secretary on 0472 629 749 or <u>secretary@hnha.com.au</u> or head to our website <u>www.hnha.com.au</u> or Facebook Page and send a message.

Yours sincerely Kelly Bertolini Secretary Hills Night Hockey Association (Inc) PO Box 364 MUNDARING WA 6073 secretary@hnha.com.au