Welcome!

Markham Waxers House League Competitive Hockey Options



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Goals for tonight

Explain the differences between each of the competitive hockey options

- Initiation House League
- Minor Novice Select vs Minor Novice House League (formerly Tyke)
- Rep: AE/MD, A, AA and AAA
- Minor Development (MD)
- Rostered Select



Waxers Initiation House League

- 6-year-old players5-year-old players are ineligible
- Plays both house league and
- Plays exhibition games against other associations
- Participate in Jamborees after December 1st
- Plays a cross-ice game format in accordance with Hockey Canada Long-Term Player
 Development (LTPD) Model
- Players rotate through all positions; no fulltime goalies



Waxers Minor Novice House League

- Minor Novice formerly called Tyke
- 7-year-old players
- Plays on both a house league team and
- Plays exhibition games against other associations
- Participates in Jamborees after December 1st
- Plays a half ice game format in accordance with Hockey Canada Long-Term Player Development (LTPD) Model
- Players rotate through all positions; no fulltime goalies



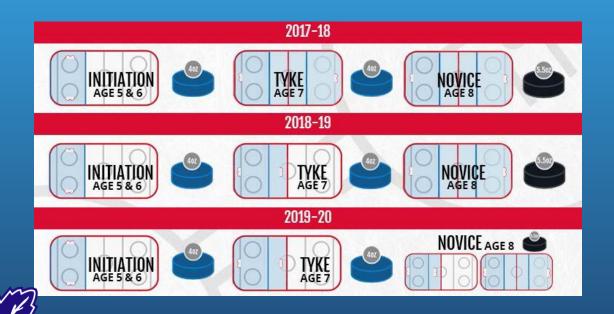
Waxers Minor Novice Select

- Minor Novice Select (formerly Tyke MD/A or Super 7) is a development program for 7-year-old players
- Players do not play house league
- They may participate in up to 3 Jamborees (before January 15th) or Tournaments (after January 15th) per season
- Players must reside in Markham
- This team will play half-ice games in accordance with Hockey Canada Long-Term Player
 Development (LTPD) Model



Programming Novice and Below

Ice surface size



What do the numbers tell us?

2x 5x 1.75 2.75x 10% more puck touches more pass attempts more shot attempts/player more change of direction pivots

more passes received more puck battles

shots/minute vs 0.45 shots/minute playing full ice

more shots on goal per minute

Skating Acceleration Increase



Waxers Rep (AE/MD, A, AA) Includes Minor Novice Select Waxers Rostered Select (RS) Includes Initiation and Minor Novice House League

Do the players play house league?

No

Yes

When are the games played?

During the week—
beginning at 5:00 pm—
and on the weekend—
beginning at 12:00 pm

Either during the week or on the weekend at times scheduled by the team



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Is there body checking?

Yes in A/AA from Minor No Bantam (age 13) and older

How many times are you on the ice per we≰⁄i∖ on average?

Four

No in MD

- two hours of practice
- away game
- home game

Three (maybe four)

- house league practice and game
- RS practice
- Exhibition Game

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How are coaches selected?

How are teams selected?



Through an application and interview process

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Coaches select their team through tryouts that begin in early May. Exception: Initiation tryouts will be in September

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When are teams chosen?

At tryouts

Majority of team selected at May

tryouts. Initiation

House League selected

in September.

Is there a residency rule?

AE players must reside in the City of Markham

All players must reside in the City of Markham unless they have

A, AA, and AAA teams may include non-resident players

participated in Markham Waxers

House League for two consecutive seasons.



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When do teams begin to practice?

This depends on the coach, typically mid to late August

Generally in early
October

When does the season begin?

September

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For Initiation and
Minor Novice House
League teams, starts
December 1st.



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When does the season end?

Season play ends in January and playoffs end at the end of March (exception Minor Novice) Season ends at the end of March

How many tournaments do teams participate in on

Up to 4 tournaments per season

Up to 3 tournaments per season (Novice through Midget)



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May I be rostered to a Waxers AE/A/AA team as an Affiliate Player (AP)?

Yes

- to the age group above (e.g. a Minor Peewee can AP to a Peewee team) or
- to a higher category (e.g. an AE player can AP to an A team)

Yes

- to the same age group or
- to one age group above (e.g. a Minor Peewee can AP to a Peewee team)



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What is the estimated cost per season?

Average of \$3000

Average from \$750 to \$1,000

Each team sets its own budget which varies by category (AE(MD)/A/AA/AAA) and depends on the amount of ice purchased, the number of tournaments attended and the team merchandise purchased, among other things.

House league fees (\$690) plus RS team fees, which range from \$750 to \$1,000 depending on the team budget. Team parents have input into the budget.



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What is included in a team budget?

Ice

Tournament fees
Registration fees
Team uniforms
Referee fees
Timekeeper fees
Team apparel
Private instructors
Meetings
Photos
Team events
Administration costs

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Are there gate fees for games?

No

No when playing OMHA teams, but when playing GTHL teams on GTHL ice \$5 per player/spectator 5 to 65 yrs old

Who are the governing bodies?

OMHA

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OHF

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QUESTIONS?

