

MEMORANDUM FOR

Team Captains (TC)

Adult Hockey League

SUBJECT: Fort Bragg Adult Hockey League 2019

1. The Adult Hockey League will be a **co-ed league**.

Each team roster is to have a minimum of 8 players a maximum of 16 players. All league participants must be at least 18 years old. The only exceptions to this rule will be active duty military who are underage.

This is a non-USA Hockey sanctioned league.

This league is **NON-CHECKING**.

FULL EQUIPMENT IS REQUIRED (including helmets with cage, shield, or half-shield minimum). Each player must have a number on their jersey.

Participants can sign up as a team or as an individual and be placed on a team.

If a team does not have a goaltender present at the start of a game a 10-minute waiting period shall be granted. After the 10-minute grace period expires the game shall be forfeited. (The opposing team has the option to allow the team without a goalie to use a goalie trainer)

2. General.

a. The entry deadline is 1 June by close of business. PLEASE NOTE: Team names must be in good taste and require the approval of Cleland Ice Rink Manager. They must not contain profanity, sexual innuendo, inappropriate misspellings, or a play on words which could be deemed disrespectful/offensive to any gender, religion, or ethnic background. Additionally, uniforms which are determined to be offensive in any way will not be permitted and any cost for those uniforms will be the sole responsibility of the team.

b. A pre-Season meeting will be held on 3 June, 1830, Cleland Ice Rink. Each team is encouraged to have one team member present at this meeting.

c. Each team will receive 2 points for a win, 1 point for an overtime shootout loss and no points for a regulation game loss.

If the score is tied at the end of regulation time an overtime shootout will be played. Each team will choose 5 players to take penalty shots. Five rounds of alternating penalty shots will be taken with the

visiting team shooting first. No player on a team may shoot twice until every teammate has shot. Players serving a penalty at the end of regulation time are ineligible to participate in the shootout.

d. If a protest results from the alleged use of an illegal player, and the protest is upheld, the offending team will forfeit the game.

e. Once a player starts with a team, he/she must remain with that team during the entire tournament. (Goal Tenders may play for another team if it is approved through Cleland Management)

f. Protests.

Eligibility protests must be brought to the attention of game officials and/or the site supervisor prior to the conclusion of the game in question and be annotated in the official scorebook. Game officials and/or the site supervisor will then gather pertinent data from the player or players in question (check ID card and confirm the person is on the roster). All eligibility protests will be reviewed and ruled upon by Morale, Welfare, and Recreation (MWR) staff.

A Committee, selected by MWR staff and the TC, will adjudicate any situations requiring due process. The Committee will be comprised of TC's not directly involved with the circumstance in question. Committee decisions will be considered final.

A team or teams not present at the scheduled game time will forfeit that game.

3. Team rosters.

In order to participate, personnel must be identified on the team roster. Use of a non-listed player will be considered use of an illegal player and therefore constitute team forfeit from the game.

Team rosters must be submitted when registering and rosters are limited to 16 members. Teams will be allowed to revise their roster throughout the tournament due to injury or special circumstances. Team rosters are to be submitted to the Official Scorer 10-minutes prior to game time

Schedule of 2019 Hockey League Games will be published prior to the start of the tournament.

4. Rules. USA Hockey Rules and Interpretations and local rule amendments will govern all play. A summary of those amendments are as follows:

a. The game will consist of three 18 minute periods with a running clock except for the last 2-minutes of the third period. During the last 2-minutes of the game, the clock will operate in accordance with official rules. During running time, the clock will be stopped exclusively for officials' time-outs and team time-outs.

b. Teams will be allowed one time-out per game. Time-outs will be 60-seconds in duration.

c. Teams will be allowed to begin a game with 8 players.

d.. Consumption of alcoholic beverages is prohibited before or during games.

e.. Any player or coach who is ejected from a game, will be suspended for one game and thus be ineligible to participate in the next game which his/her team plays. If a player or coach is ejected a second time during the course of the tournament, that player/coach will be suspended for the next two games in which his/her team plays. On a third ejection, that player/coach will be ineligible to participate for the remainder of the tournament.

5. Awards.

Cleland will provide awards to members of the first and second place teams. First place team will also have their names engraved on the Cleland cup.

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