# Fall 2026 Tryout Schedule

NORTH SHORE WINTER CLUB

## U11 Female

| Tues Sept 8 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| 1 | 4:30pm | Small |
| 2 | 5:45pm | Small |

| Thurs Sept 10 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| 1 vs 2 | 4:00pm | Large |

| Fri Sept 11 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| 1 vs 2 | 4:00pm | Large |

**Optional:**

| Fri Sept 11 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| Goalies | 5:45pm | Small |

*Depart for Camp Latona, Sat Sept 12*

*Note: Our U11 (unevaluated) Hockey Canada Pathway skates are open to all U11 female and integrated skaters*

## U11 Hockey Canada Pathway Skates - September 9 & 10

***Please bring your own jersey to wear for these skates - tryout jerseys will not be provided***

| Weds Sept 9 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| Int A, F1 | 4:15pm | HTC |
| Int B, F1 | 5:30pm | HTC |

| Thurs Sept 10 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| Int C, F2 | 5:30pm | HTC |
| Int D, F2 | 5:45pm | Small |

## U11 Integrated

| Fri Sept 11 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| Goalies | 5:45pm | Small |

| Sat Sept 12 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| A | 8:00am | Large |
| B | 9:15am | Large |
| C | 10:30am | Large |
| D | 11:45am | Large |
| A vs B | 1:00pm | Large |
| C vs D | 2:15pm | Large |

| Sun Sept 13 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| A vs C | 8:00am | Large |
| B vs D | 9:15am | Large |
| A vs D | 11:45am | Large |
| B vs C | 1:00pm | Large |
| Goalies | 2:30pm | Small |

| Mon Sept 14 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| R vs W | 4:00pm | Large |
| O vs Bl | 5:15pm | Large |

*Following the conclusion of the tryout process, skaters will be emailed their working group or team assignments within 1-3 days.*

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## U13 Integrated

| Tues Sept 8 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| A | 4:00pm | Large |
| B | 5:15pm | Large |
| C vs. D | 6:30pm | Large |

| Weds Sept 9 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| C | 4:00pm | Large |
| D | 5:15pm | Large |
| A vs. B | 6:30pm | Large |

| Thurs Sept 10 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| Goalies | 4:00pm | HTC |
| B vs D | 5:15pm | Large |
| A vs. C | 6:30pm | Large |

| Fri Sept 11 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Group | Time | Ice |
| Goalies | 4:00pm | HTC |
| B vs C | 5:15pm | Large |
| A vs. D | 6:30pm | Large |

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## U9 Integrated

### Open Hockey

| Sun Sept 13 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| A & B | 9:30am | Small |
| C & D | 10:45am | Small |

### Evaluated Skates

| Mon Sept 14 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| A | 4:00pm | HTC |
| B | 5:00pm | HTC |
| C | 6:00pm | HTC |
| D | 7:00pm | HTC |

| Tues Sept 15 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| A vs B | 4:00pm | HTC |
| C vs D | 5:15pm | HTC |

| Weds Sept 16 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| A vs C | 4:00pm | Large |
| B vs D | 5:15pm | Large |

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## U7 Integrated

**Open Hockey**

| Mon Sept 14 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| All | 4:30pm | Small |
| All | 5:45pm | Small |

**Evaluated Skates**

| Tues Sept 15 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| A | 4:30pm | Small |
| B | 5:30pm | Small |
| C | 6:30pm | HTC |

| Weds Sept 16 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| A vs B | 3:45pm | HTC |
| A vs C | 5:00pm | HTC |
| B vs C | 6:15pm | HTC |

*Following the conclusion of the tryout process, skaters will be emailed their team assignments within 1-3 days.*

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## U7 Female (balancing)

| Thurs Sept 17 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| 1 | 4:30pm | Small |
| 2 | 5:45pm | Small |

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## U15 Hawks (balancing)

| Thurs Sept 17 | | |
|---|---|---|
| Groups | Time | Ice |
| 1 | 4:00pm | Large |
| 2 | 5:15pm | Large |

*Following the conclusion of these balancing sessions, skaters will be emailed their team assignments within 1-3 days.*

## Additional Information

**Phase 1 – Initial Evaluations**

Players will be alphabetically assigned to one of up to four evaluation groups.

During Phase 1, each player will participate in:

- One (1) evaluated skills session
- Up to three (3) evaluated scrimmages

Following the final scrimmage, players may be reorganized into new colour-coded teams based on evaluation results.

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**Phase 2 – Working Groups**

Players will be placed into working groups led by team coaching staffs or members of our extended Hockey Department.

Working groups will include:

- Team practices
- Exhibition games
- Ongoing player evaluations

At the conclusion of the working group process, final team rosters will be announced.

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**Movement Between Working Groups**

Players may be moved between working groups throughout Phase 2 if their performance warrants reassignment.

These decisions will be made collaboratively by:

- Working group coaching staff
- Hockey Department
- Minor Hockey Committee

Working group schedules will be released separately.

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**Goaltender Evaluations**

Goaltenders are evaluated independently throughout the tryout process.

Evaluation includes:

- Goalie-specific evaluation skates
- Exhibition games
- Team practices

Please note:

- Goaltenders are not evaluated during player skills sessions.
- Goalies are welcome and encouraged to participate in all player skills sessions.
- Please refer to your divisional goalie schedule. These sessions are open to both integrated and female goaltenders.

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**U15 & U18 Working Group Model**

The following teams will proceed directly into working groups:

- U13 Hub
- U15 Selects
- U15 A2
- U18 A1

Players will participate in:

- Practices
- Exhibition games
- Ongoing evaluations

Final roster decisions will be made following the working group process.

Several additional teams may also proceed directly to final roster formation without requiring multiple player releases.

Working group schedules will be communicated separately.

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**Teams with Separate Communication**

Schedules, start dates, and logistical information for the following programs will be communicated independently:

- U9 Female
- U11 Hawks
- U13 Female
- U13 Hawks
- U15 Female
- U18 Female
- U18 Hawks

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**Tryout Game Format**

U7, U9, U11 & U13

Game Logistics

- 60-minute ice times
- Running time throughout the game
- Two-minute buzzer line changes

Game Format

- 5-minute warm-up
- Three 17-minute periods
    - If time is limited, the third period may be shortened to use the remaining ice time.
- Goaltender Rotation (where applicable)
    - Goalies will switch halfway through the second period.
    - The clock will be stopped to allow up to one minute for the change, or until both goaltenders are ready to resume play.

Officials

- Officials are coordinated and paid for by the Hockey Department.
- Referees are assigned by the Referee-in-Chief or the Hockey Department.

Game Rules

- Penalties
    - All penalties will result in a penalty shot with chasers.
    - Following the penalty shot, play remains live.
- After Goals
    - Play resumes immediately following a goal.
    - The scoring team must retreat beyond the blue line before re-engaging.
- Offside and Icing
    - Standard offside and icing rules are in effect.
- Faceoffs
    - Players are encouraged to line up promptly following each whistle to maximize game flow and ensure equitable ice time for all participants.

**Purpose**
The objective of the tryout game format is to provide every player with a fair and consistent opportunity to demonstrate their abilities in a game environment while maximizing puck touches, shifts, and evaluation opportunities.