

AAU Ice Hockey

Oct 1, 2014

Volume 2, Issue 2

124th Annual AAU National Convention Ft. Lauderdale, Florida



The Amateur Athletic Union is welcoming delegates to the 124th Annual AAU National Convention in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. The agenda includes the election of AAU National Officers will occur on Friday October 24th.

ADDITIONAL CONVENTION INFORMATION [click here](#)

FOR COMPLETE AAU SCHEDULE FOR THE AAU CONVENTION
[click here](#)

Please note that the national Ice Hockey and Inline Hockey meetings will be held on Thursday October 23, 2014 at 5:45pm.



Sports for all, Forever



Editor

Keith Kloock
21220 Wellington
Woodhaven, MI 48183
(734) 692-5158

Published monthly for the benefit and interest of AAU Ice Hockey participants.

AAU Leagues, Administrators, as well as Team Coaches and/or Managers are encouraged to submit articles and notices to:

keith@hockey-michigan.org



Contents

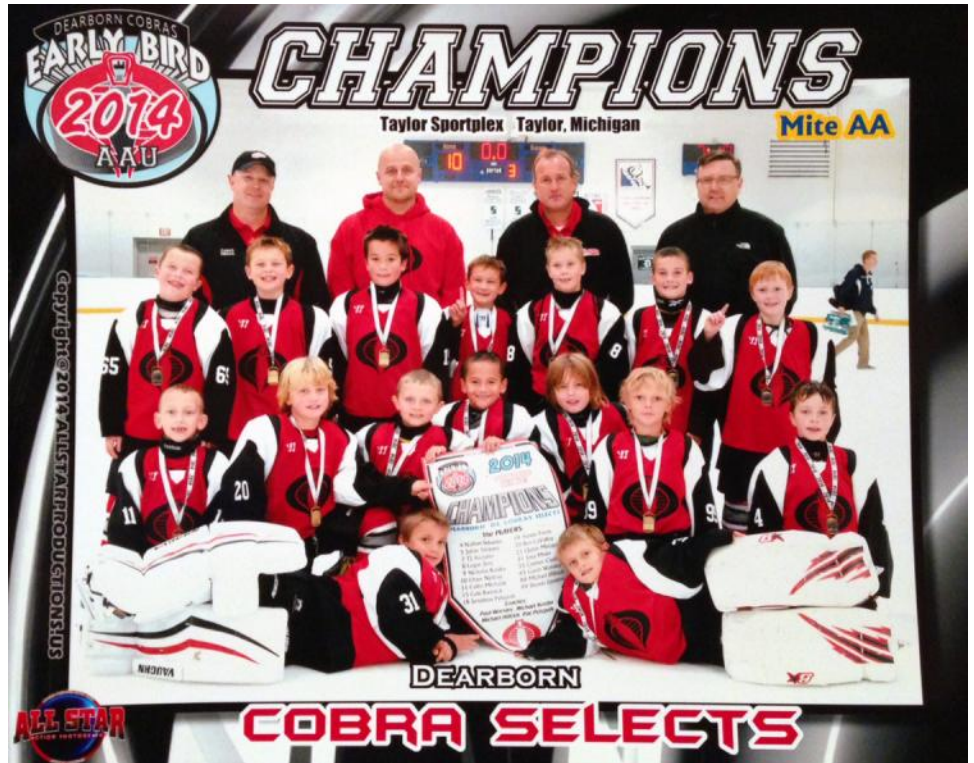
AAU Convention	1
Dearborn Early-Bird	2
#1 Mite Growth	3
Tournaments	4
Youth Leagues	10
Scholastics	12
Junior Leagues	12
AAU Contacts	13

Dearborn Cobras Early-Bird Tournament

Draws 26 AAU Mite full-ice 'REAL HOCKEY' teams from 3 states

On September 12-14, 2014 the Dearborn Cobra Hockey club hosted 26 AAU Mite full-ice 'REAL HOCKEY' teams from Illinois, Michigan and Ohio at the Taylor Sportsplex in suburban Detroit Michigan.

The teams competed within 2 age classifications. With 10 teams at the 7U (2007 birth-year) competing in Gold and Silver divisions, as well as 16 teams at the 8U (2006 birth-year), also competing within Gold and Silver divisions. Clearly the tournament was the first large-scale gathering of the season, providing opportunities for almost 400 Mites and their families.



Sunday Finals

7U Silver:	Bloomfield Blades 07	defeated	Canton Crush 07
7U Gold:	Sylvania Northstars 07	defeated	Livonia Rockets 07
8U Silver:	Canton Crush 06	defeated	OC Ice Dogs 06
8U Gold	Dearborn Cobra Selects 06	defeated	Livonia Rockets 06

The 8U Gold division final came down to a rematch of the 2014 AAU National Championship 2006 classification final game. Mark your calendars for the September of 2015 expanded Early-Bird.



AAU Ice Hockey

Oct 1, 2014

Volume 2, Issue 2

Page 3



#1 in Mite growth

Hockey Illinois (AAU) began operations during the 2013-2014 season, providing full-ice opportunities and a fun REAL HOCKEY experience to a great group of young players and their families. This was another strong start, as AAU Hockey organization continue to spread throughout North America. Yet they still had only a handful of teams, much like Hockey Michigan in 2011 (their first season) and the Greater Niagara Amateur Hockey League (GNAHL) in 2012.

However, following up on their first season and a great showing by their teams at AAU Nationals, our friends at Hockey Illinois have undergone a massive expansion. They are now home to 51 Mite travel teams and a still undetermined number of Mite house teams. With 2 Mite leagues, including the Mite Independent Hockey League (MIHL) and the Chicago United Hockey League (CUHL), Hockey Illinois takes over the distinction of being the #1 location for AAU Mite full-ice REAL HOCKEY.

For 3 straight seasons since the inception of the AAU Mite program, Hockey Michigan (AAU) had enjoyed serving the largest group of AAU Mites in the US. During their first 2011-2012 season, Michigan hosted 1 travel league and 3 house leagues, providing full-ice REAL HOCKEY opportunities to 683 players, which was larger than the rest of the US combined. Hockey Michigan expanded each year, finishing last season with 56 AAU Mite teams and this season will field over 50 as well.

Overall including all age classifications, New York will still lead the US in hockey memberships, thanks to an extremely successful scholastic hockey program for High School Varsity, Junior Varsity and Middle Schools. With Michigan following close behind, due in part to their scholastic programs and also a strong Junior league.



AAU Tournaments

Labor Day

6U, 7U & 8U (2008, 2007 & 2006)

Aug 28 - Sep 1, 2014

\$TBD (4-game min)

, CA
mdunaev@icetown.com

Cobra Early Bird

7U & 8U (2007 & 2006)

Sep 12-14, 2014

\$800 (4-game min)

Taylor, Michigan
worz71@yahoo.com

Stars Early Bird

7U & 8U (2007 & 2006)

Sep 26-28, 2014 (corrected)

\$800 (4-game min)

Hazel Park, Michigan
bjardine@iiccusa.com

Glacier Pointe — Earlybird

7U, 8U (2007 & 2006) Travel & Mite House

Sep 26-28, 2014

\$500

Port Huron, Michigan
glacierpointe@iwarp.net

Glacier Pointe — Halloween Classic

7U, 8U (2007 & 2006) Travel & Mite House

Oct 10-12, 2014

\$500

Port Huron, Michigan
glacierpointe@iwarp.net

Columbus Day Invitational “Qualifier”

8U

Oct 10-12, 2014

Vernon Hills, IL
kjohnson@glacierskate.com

Pekin Flyers Invitational “Qualifier”

8U (2006)

Oct 17-19, 2014

\$1250 (6-game min)

Pekin, Illinois
ryan.hazelwood@csi22.com

Hockey Colorado (major)

8U & 10U (2006 & 2004)

Oct 18-20, 2014

\$650 (5-game min)

Denver, Colorado
vlarchenko@bigbearice.com

Hockey Colorado (minor)

7U & 9U (2007 & 2005)

Oct 24-26, 2014

\$650 (5-game min)

Denver, Colorado
vlarchenko@bigbearice.com

Blue Collar Hockey - Little Dog

8U

Nov 7-9, 2014

Grand Rapids, Michigan
info@mybbt.biz

AAU Tournaments (continued)

Rochester Invitational 7U & 8U (2007 & 2006)	Nov 14-16, 2014 \$1250	Rochester, New York patti@invitationaltournaments.com
Hockey Colorado (major) 8U & 10U (2006 & 2004)	Nov 14-16, 2014 \$650 (5-game min)	Denver, Colorado Vlarchenko@bigbearice.com
Hockey Colorado (minor) 7U & 9U (2007 & 2005)	Nov 21-23, 2014 \$650 (5-game min)	Denver, Colorado Vlarchenko@bigbearice.com
Ultimate Tournaments 8U & 10U (2007-2004)	Nov 21-23, 2014 \$895 (4-game min)	Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin www.ultimatetournaments.net
Northbrook/Winfield Wishbone 8U (AA, A1 & A2)	Nov 25-30, 2014 \$825 (4-game min)	Winnetka, Illinois area rinks tgullen@winpark.org
Pacific Showcase "Qualifier" 6U, 7U & 8U (2008, 2007 & 2006)	Nov 26-30, 2014 \$1500 (4-game min)	Carlsbad, California mdunaev@icetown.com
Oak Park - Turkey Tournament 7U, 8U (2007 & 2006) Travel & Mite House	Nov 28-30, 2014 \$850 (4-game min)	Oak Park, Michigan ziskie05@sbcglobal.net
Barrie Knights (House) Tournament 7U - 14U (House)	Nov 28-30, 2014 \$1250 (4-game min)	Barrie, Ontario info@plcsports.com
Red Circle Raiders (Select) Tournament 8U, 10U & 12U Selects	Dec 12-14, 2014 \$TBD (4-game min)	London, Ontario (519) 453-1413
Glacier Pointe — Christmas Tournament 7U, 8U (2007 & 2006) Travel & Mite House	Dec 19-21, 2014 \$450	Port Huron, Michigan glacierpointe@iwarp.net

AAU Tournaments (continued)

Ultimate Tournaments

8U & 10U (2007-2004)

Dec 19-21, 2014

\$895 (4-game min)

Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin

www.ultimatetournaments.net

Christmas

6U, 7U & 8U (2008, 2007 & 2006)

Dec 26-30, 2014

\$TBD (4-game min)

, CA

mdunaev@icetown.com

Ultimate Tournaments

8U & 10U (2007-2004)

Dec 26-28, 2014

\$895 (4-game min)

Chicago, Illinois

www.ultimatetournaments.net

Clearwater Beach Invasion "Qualifier"

8U (2007-2006) & 10U (2005-2004)

Dec 26-28, 2014

\$1495 (4-game min)

Clearwater, Florida

Dave@myhockeyzone.com

Motown Showcase (major) "Qualifier"

8U (2006) & 10U Mixed (2005-2004)

Dec 27-29, 2014

\$1000 (5-game min)

Hazel Park, Michigan

keith@hockey-michigan.org

Motown Showcase (minor) "Qualifier"

7U & 9U (2007 & 2005)

Jan 2-4, 2015

\$1000 (5-game min)

Detroit area, Michigan

keith@hockey-michigan.org

Ultimate Tournaments

8U & 10U (2007-2004)

Jan 9-11, 2015

\$895 (4-game min)

Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin

www.ultimatetournaments.net

Hockey Colorado (major)

8U & 10U (2006 & 2004)

Jan 9-11, 2015

\$650 (5-game min)

Denver, Colorado

Vlarchenko@bigbearice.com

Original Six (House) Tournament

6U - 14U House

Jan 16-18, 2015

\$1175 (4-game min)

Burlington, Ontario

jbondy@wavehockey.ca

Blue Collar Hockey Urban Legends

8U

Jan 16-19, 2015

Fraser, Michigan

info@mybbt.biz

AAU Tournaments (continued)

Ultimate Tournaments
8U & 10U (2007-2004)

Jan 17-19, 2015
\$895 (4-game min)

Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin
www.ultimatetournaments.net

Ultimate Tournaments
8U & 10U (2007-2004)

Jan 17-19, 2015
\$895 (4-game min)

St. Louis, Missouri
www.ultimatetournaments.net

Pekin Flyers Winter Classic
8U (2006)

Jan 17-19, 2015
\$1250 (6-game min)

Pekin, Illinois
ryan.hazelwood@csi22.com

Hockey Colorado (minor)
7U & 9U (2007 & 2005)

Jan 23-25, 2015
\$650 (5-game min)

Denver, Colorado
Vlarchenko@bigbearice.com

Rochester Invitational
8U (2006)

Jan 23-25, 2015
\$1250

Rochester, New York
patti@invitationaltournaments.com

Hockey Colorado (major)
8U & 10U (2006 & 2004)

Jan 30-Feb 1, 2015
\$650 (5-game min)

Denver, Colorado
Vlarchenko@bigbearice.com

Hockey Colorado (minor)
7U & 9U (2007 & 1005)

Feb 6-8, 2015
\$650 (5-game min)

Denver, Colorado
Vlarchenko@bigbearice.com

Griffin Cup (Select)
8U - 17U (select)

Feb 6-8, 2015
\$1250 (4-game min)

Burlington, ONT
jbondy@wavehockey.ca

Presidents Day Classic
6U, 7U & 8U (2008, 2007 & 2006)

Feb 11-16, 2015
\$1500 (4-game min)

Riverside, California
mdunaev@icetown.com

Ultimate Tournaments
8U & 10U (2007-2004)

Feb 14-16, 2015
\$895 (4-game min)

Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin
www.ultimatetournaments.net

AAU Tournaments (continued)

Michigan State Championships
8U & 10U (House)

Feb 14-16, 2015
\$TBD

Michigan
keith@hockey-michigan.org

Top Tier - Cleveland Shootout
7U & 8 U (2007 & 2006)

Feb 14-16, 2015
\$895 (4-game min)

North Olmstead, OH
TopTierHockey@gmail.com

Red Circle Annual (House) Tournament
8U - 12U (House)

Feb 20-22, 2015

London, ONT
(519) 453-1413

Colorado State Championships
7U, 8U, 9U & 10U (2007-2004)

Feb 20-22, 2015
\$650 (5-game min)

Denver, Colorado
Vlarchenko@bigbearice.com

North American Championships
Mite 7U, 8U & 8U Mixed

Mar 5-8, 2015

Minneapolis, Minnesota
www.aauicehockey.org

AAU Mite Challenge
8U (2006)

March 6-8, 2015
\$850 (3-game min)

Buffalo, New York
markg@holidayrinks.com

Blue Collar Hockey - Ol'Sheleighly
8U

Mar 13-15, 2015

Ann Arbor, Michigan
info@mybbt.biz

North American Championships
Squirt-PeeWee 9U, 10U, 11U & 12U

Mar 27-29, 2015

Buffalo, New York
www.aauicehockey.org

Spring Shoot-Out
6U, 7U & 8U (2008, 2007 & 2006)

Apr 3-5, 2015
\$1500 (4-game min)

Riverside, California
mdunaev@icetown.com

North American Championships
Bantam-Midget (Safe-Rep) 14U, 16U & 17U

Apr 10-12, 2015

Barrie & Alliston, Ontario
info@plcsports.com

AAU Tournaments (continued)

No-Check World Championships

8U - 16U Select/Rep

Apr 10-12, 2015

\$1250 (4-game min)

Barrie & Alliston, Ontario

info@plcsports.com

Blue Collar Hockey - Gale Force

8U

Apr 24-26, 2015

Chicago, Illinois

info@mybbt.biz

Blue Collar Hockey - Aurora Borealis

8U

May 15-17, 2015

Chicago, Illinois

info@mybbt.biz

Summer Showdown

6U, 7U & 8U (2008, 2007 & 2006)

July 3-5, 2015

\$1500 (4-game min)

Carlsbad, California

mdunaev@icetown.com

AAU Ice Hockey - Youth Leagues

This page will continue to be updated as additional league information becomes available.

8U Prep League

8U

MA

www.nsyf.org

Chicago United Hockey League (CUHL)

8U

Northern Illinois

chicagounitedhockey.com

Canadian Independent (CIHF)

6U - 16U

Ontario

www.cihfhockey.com

Empire Hockey League (EHL)

6U - 8U

CA & NV

www.empirehockeyleague.com

Greater Niagara (GNAHL)

6U - 10U

Western NY

www.eteamz.com/greatniagaraamateurhockeyleague

Hockey Colorado

6U - 12U

CO & WY

www.hockeycolorado.org

Hockey Illinois

6U - 8U

IL & WI

www.aauhockeyillinois.org

Michigan Amateur Youth (MAYHL)

6U - 18U

MI & OH

www.mayhl.com

Mid-Atlantic Hockey League

6U - 18U

CT, MD, NJ & PA

midatlantichockey@gmail.com

Minnesota Made

8U - 12U

MN

www.minnesotamadehockey.com



AAU Ice Hockey - Youth Leagues (continued)

This page will continue to be updated as additional league information becomes available.

New England (NEAHL)

6U - 18U

MA, ME & NH

www.neahl.org

Rapid Fire Hockey League

6U - 14U

WI & MN

rapidfirehockey.com

Redline Metros (RLAC)

6U - 18U

MD, VA & greater Washington DC

www.rlacmetros.com



AAU Ice Hockey - Scholastic Leagues

This page will continue to be updated as additional league information becomes available.

**Great Lakes Prep/JV Hockey League
(GLPHL)**

Michigan
www.glphl.com

Herb Brooks XL

Minnesota
www.herbrooksfoundation.com

Long Island, NY

Metropolitan NY
www.longislandhshockey.net

**Western New York High School Club
Hockey League (WNYHSCHL)**

Western NY
www.eteamz.com/wnyhschl

AAU Ice Hockey - UHU (Junior) Leagues

Ron White, UHU (Juniors) Director - (714) 231-2531

This page will continue to be updated as additional league information becomes available.

**Canadian International Hockey League
(CIHL)**

Ontario
www.pointstreaksites.com/view/cihl

Midwest Junior Hockey League (MWJHL)

IL & MI
www.mwjhl.com

Northern States Hockey League (NSHL)

MA, ME, NH, NJ, NY & PA
www.northernstateshockey.com

Western States Hockey League (WSHL)

AZ, CA, CO, ID, KA, MT, NM, OK, OR, TX, UT, WA & WY
www.wshl.org



AAU Ice Hockey

Oct 1, 2014

Volume 2, Issue 2

National Mite-Squirt Committee

AAU National Hockey Chairperson

Keith Noll
2409 Stout Rd., Suite #1
Menomonie, WI 54751
(715) 231-4000
slapshot@wwt.net

Committee Vice-Chair & Michigan

Keith Kloock
21220 Wellington
Woodhaven, MI 48183
(734) 692-5158
keith@hockey-michigan.org

Committee Vice-Chair & Minnesota

Bernie McBain
7300 Bush Lake Rd.
Edina, MN 55439
(952) 746-9033
coachbernie@mnmadehockey.com

AAU Hockey - Pennsylvania

Charlie Sgrillo
nerchockey@yahoo.com

AAU Hockey – National Support Staff

Trevor Hartwig
(407) 934-7200
trevor@aausports.org

Crystal Mannino
(407) 828-2660
crystal@aausports.org

AAU Ice Hockey - Websites & Media

www.aauicehockey.org

on Twitter twitter.com/AAUIce

on YouTube

www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLd3hXZtrsD1R15iU7RgSg39cqmKrb-nvT

Sports for all, Forever



Editor

Keith Kloock
21220 Wellington
Woodhaven, MI 48183
(734) 692-5158

AAU Leagues, Administrators, as well as Team Coaches and/or Managers are encouraged to submit articles and notices to:

keith@hockey-michigan.org

AAU Ice Hockey

Amateur Athletic Union
PO Box 22409
Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830
(407) 934-7200
aausports.org

Keith Noll
National Hockey Chairperson
(715) 231-4000
www.aauicehockey.org

Ron White
Juniors (UHU) Director
(714) 231-2531

Mike Hartman
Hockey Development Director
(704) 752-8101
mikehartman100@gmail.com

Trevor Hartwig
Staff Member
(407) 934-7200
trevor@aausports.org

A single low cost AAU membership will provide benefits and opportunities for events in over 40 sports including:

