



FSIN

FSIN YOUTH HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIPS

April 18 – 21, 2024

Saskatoon, SK

Canlan Sports (Jemini/Agriplace)

Technical Package

1.0 SPORT: HOCKEY

2.0 LOCATIONS: Canlan Sports (Jemini/Agriplace)
Saskatoon, SK

3.0 DATES: April 18-21, 2024

4.0 SANCTIONED: YES

4.1 COACHES MEETING

- 6:00pm – Thursday, April 17, 2024, Location Ramada Hotel

5.0 NUMBER OF REGISTERED PLAYERS PER TEAM:

5.1 U9	19 Skaters, 2 Goalies (Born 2015-2016)
U11	19 Skaters, 2 Goalies (Born 2013-2014)
U13	19 Skaters, 2 Goalies (Born 2011-2012)
U15	19 Skaters, 2 Goalies (Born 2009-2010)
U18	19 Skaters, 2 Goalies (Born 2006-2008)
<i>Female U11/U13</i>	<i>19 Skaters, 2 Goalies (Born 2011-2014)</i>
<i>Female U15/U18</i>	<i>19 Skaters, 2 Goalies (Born 2006-2010)</i>

5.2 Teams can only dress 17 skaters and 2 goalies in a game.

5.3 Only Manager, Coaches and Trainer listed on the game sheet are allowed on the bench.

5.4 Female team must have a minimum of 1 female coach on the bench

5.5 **Players can only play in one division.**

6.0 CLASSIFICATION

6.1 Age Categories as of December 31st of current season

U9	9 years of age and under
U11	11 years of age and under
U13	13 years of age and under
U15	15 years of age and under
U18	18 years of age and under
Female (U11-U13)	10-13 years of age
Female (U15-U18)	14-18 years of age

(Teams can enter as a Tribal Council in the Female Divisions but if the First Nation is entered female player must play for First Nation team. Females can't move down from U15/U18 to U11/U13 in the Female Division)

7.0 ELIGIBILITY

- 7.1 The FSIN Youth Hockey Championships shall be open to Saskatchewan First Nations who are of Status Indian Ancestry. Players must provide Certificate of Indian Status cards as proof.
- 7.2 Transfers in progress will not be accepted.
- 7.3 All Players must play with their respective First Nation in the male division, the female U9/U11 & U15/U18 female division can play with there respective Tribal/Grand Council. There are NO Transfer to other Tribal/Grand Councils teams in the female division. Please see updated appendix and work with your Tribal Council Coordinator.
- 7.4 All players must be a member of a First Nation within the Federation of Sovereign Indigenous Nations.
- 7.5 Players who are suspended under Hockey Sask cannot participate.
- 7.6 Players who are suspended from the Tony Cote Winter/Summer Games or any FSIN Youth Championships cannot participate.
- 7.7 18-year-olds can play Youth and Adult.

8.0 EXCEPTIONS FOR PLAYERS

- 8.1 Teams can dress a player from a lower division only second year, but he/she must stay in that division for the tournament and be listed on the Team Certification. Players born in **2017** may play in the tournament.
- 8.2 All league or HS concessions for 2023/24 season will be recognized. Evidence of concession from league or Hockey Sask must be provided.
- 8.3 1st year Female players can play at a division lower than their age group.

9.0 ENTRY FEE

U9	\$500.00 + \$200.00 HS Fee = \$700.00
U11	\$500.00 + \$20.00 HS Fee = \$700.00
U13	\$500.00 + \$200.00 HS Fee = \$700.00
U15	\$850.00 + \$200.00 HS Fee = \$1,050.00
U18	\$850.00 + \$200.00 HS Fee = \$1,050.00
Female U11/U13	\$500.00 + \$200.00 HS Fee = \$700.00
Female U15/U18	\$850.00 + \$200.00 HS Fee = \$1,050.00

9.1 **ROSTER/BAND VERIFICATION FORM AND ENTRY FEES ARE DUE MARCH 15, 2024 – 12:00pm**

Each First Nation, Tribal/ Grand Council is responsible to send completed online registration and submit Band Verification Form and payment directly to.

#10-134 Kahkewistahaw Crescent

Saskatoon, SK S7R 0M9

Payments are made payable to; FSIN SCRY

10.0 COACH CERTIFICATION

Each coach or trainer must be registered with the proper coaching certification:

- A maximum of **4** team officials will be allowed on the bench
- All team officials must have completed **Respect in Sport** (online) must be renewed every 5 years
- The Head coach must be certified with **Level Coach**
- The Assistant coach must be certified with **Level Coach**
- 1 of the 3 team officials must be certified with **HU Safety (Hockey Canada Safety Program)**
- **For female teams a requirement of 1 female coaching staff must be on the team and bench at all times.**
- Aboriginal Coaching Module certifications.

11.0 COMPETITION

11.1 TYPE OF COMPETITION

The tournament will be a Modified Double Knockout with a **one game final** in all divisions.

- All games and final game will run with 2 – 25 straight time periods. The last 2 minutes of the 2nd period will be stop time, IF THERE IS AN3 GOAL SPREAD.

Ice will be cleaned every 2nd period.

Mercy Rule - Should a team become 7 goals ahead after the 1st period the game will be over.

If two teams are tied at the end of a game:

- Each team shall pick 3 shooters for a shoot-out. Visiting team shooting 1st.
- Should the teams still remain tied after the 3 player shootout, the teams will engage in a sudden death shoot out using shooters who did not participate in the first shoot out. Teams must use all shooters before a player can shoot twice.
- “Short Bench” rule is in effect for the shoot out
- Penalties are 3min in straight time. 2min in stop time.

U9 Basic Rules of Half-Ice Games

- 3-minute warmup.
- Officials will draw a dot in the middle of the game zone for all face-offs.
- Shifts are 2 minutes.
- For sixty (60) minute ice sessions, use the model of two twenty-four (24) minute halves with two (2) minute shifts

- A face-off will take place at the start of every shift.
- There are no icing or off-side calls.
- Score will be kept; however, goals and assists will NOT be recorded.
- Goalies may not be pulled at any time.
- Line matching must take place. The more advanced players from each team being matched against the more advanced players from the opposing team.

LATE ARRIVALS

Teams should arrive at the rink in time to be prepared to play games at their scheduled time.

If a team is not present at the scheduled time, clock will start. The team that is late will be penalized 1 goal every 5 minutes, to a maximum of 3 goals.

If a team has not arrived within 15 minutes of the scheduled time they will forfeit the game.

11.0 PROTEST PROCEDURE

11.1 Sport Jury

No Protest of the Referees decision will be allowed.

The Sport Jury will be comprised of the following members: Host/Chairperson, Head Official, FSIN SCRY Board Representative (2)

11.2 Eligibility Protests

The FSIN Sport, Culture, Recreation and Youth Board will act as the Jury for all protests dealing with the eligibility of Athletes.

All protests must be concisely written and presented to the FSIN Host Coordinator **immediately after the end of the game**. The time and date must be submitted in writing.

Protests must be signed by the Team Manager and/or Head Coach of the participating team. All protests will be accepted with no explanation from the Committee. **All protests must be dealt with within 15 minutes of the game ending** or game stands as posted.

A fee of **\$500.00** cash will be in place for all protests. This fee will be given directly to the FSIN Host Coordinator. ***This fee will be non-refundable.***

12.0 EQUIPMENT/ COMPETITIVE UNIFORM

12.1 Competitive Uniform

Each team will be required to provide a Home/ Away jersey for listed roster. ***If teams have only have 1 set of jerseys Visiting team must make arrangements for different jerseys if colors are the same.***

13.0 OFFICIATING

- 1 official for U9
- 2 Officials U11, U13, U11/U13 Female, U15/U18 Female
- 3 officials for U15 and U18
- All officials are registered with Hockey Sask.

14.0 SUSPENSION GUIDELINES

Hockey Sask Suspension Guidelines will be observed. These guidelines are outlined in the Constitution/Bylaws /Regulations manual. A copy of this manual can be found on the Hockey Sask web site under the Handbook tab. The following web address can be used to access the manual:

<https://hockeysask.ca/members/handbook>

15.0 Provincial Sport Governing Body & Host

15.1 SASKATCHEWAN HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

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