



Grand Valley Minor Hockey

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2024-25 SEASON IS NOW OPEN!

Please read this document as it contains important information about registration, wait lists and mandatory processes to ensure your registration is complete and received. Registration closes September 1st, 2024.

Registration Tips and Notes:

- Hockey Canada strongly recommends registering on a laptop or PC.
- **New Registrations:** Those who have **NEVER** played organized hockey under the Hockey Canada umbrella: Please click [here](#) for instructions and the link to the RIS (Respect In Sport): Parent Course. Once the course below is complete, you will be able to log in through our registration link to register your child(ren).
- **IMPORTANT:** if we receive an influx in registrations, registrations will be accepted on a first come first serve basis. We will make our best efforts to place all players on a team if we are able to secure enough coaches and bench staff.
- Multi-player discounts require all players to be registered in the same transaction.
- Note that Grand Valley Minor Hockey and Hockey Canada are obligated to obtain proof of birthdate (birth certificate) and proof of address (parent driver's license) for all new registrations. Please upload these documents ASAP on your HCR Spordle account. Your child will not be able to start hockey without your Spordle Account in good standing.

How does the registration process work?

- Registration is done completely (and only) online.
- Payments will be made online with a credit card.
- Your registration needs to be confirmed by Grand Valley Minor Hockey.
 - A confirmation email will be sent once:
 - ✓ reviewed by Grand Valley Minor Hockey
 - ✓ your first payment has been made
 - ✓ the one-time Mandatory Parent Respect in Sport online course has been completed.

RESPECT IN SPORT - PARENT

New Participants: You must complete Respect in Sport prior to registration. Please click [here](#) for instructions and the link to the RIS (Respect in Sport): Parent Course.

Returning Participants: If you are registering a child but have completed this course for other children in your care, **DO NOT** complete it again. Refer to instructions in the document to add more children to your profile. You must ensure that your player(s) are linked to your account before you register. When you log into your account, click on “My Dashboard” and then click on “Link Members”. Add your participant and then go back to the Registration button.

Adding a Child to your Respect In Sport account: [Click Here to Learn How](#)

New to Grand Valley but have played hockey in another center?

In order to register with Grand Valley Minor Hockey, we will need access to your Hockey Canada Player Profile. Please complete the appropriate Player Transfer Form by contacting grandvalleymh@gmail.com as soon as possible.

REGISTRATION FEES FOR THE 2024/2025 SEASON:

U5-\$300.00
U7- \$350.00
U8- \$550.00
U9-\$725.00

U11-\$725.00
U13- \$725.00
U15- \$850.00
U18- \$850.00

Please note: \$25.00 administration fee applies to any player that requests a refund.

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

1. Full payment at the time of registration
2. 8 monthly payments Starting May 1st, 2024-December 1st, 2024

Please connect with our Registrar if you require a different payment method by emailing grandvalleymh@gmail.com

Volunteer Bond Hours:

What are Bond Hours? Grand Valley Minor Hockey relies on our players and their families to volunteer during events that our Association hosts to support our organization. This season, we will be reintroducing the Volunteer Bond Hours Program. There will be many opportunities to volunteer during the season, from the bottle drive, Hockey Day in Grand Valley, The Duck Race, Fundraiser Distributions, Valentines Dance, Skate-a-Thon and more! Please understand we are all volunteers, and we need your help too!

How does this work? Prior to the season start, each player parent/caregiver is required to provide Grand Valley Minor Hockey with a post-dated cheque dated March 1st, 2025. Each family is asked to complete 10 bond hours during the season and ensure that your time is logged with the Volunteer Bond Coordinator.

What happens if I choose not to volunteer? At the end of the season, if your Bond Hours are not complete, your cheque will be cashed.

TENTATIVE FUNDRAISING INITIATIVES FOR 2024/2025 SEASON:

All fundraising efforts go to keeping the cost of hockey down in Grand Valley. We fundraise so our players get extra skill sessions, goalie coaching and ice time.

- ✓ Duck Race - May 25, 2024
- ✓ Bottle Drive - September 28th, 2024
- ✓ Hockey Day - November 9th, 2024
- ✓ Summer Skates/Apparel Fundraiser - November 9th, 2024
- ✓ Skate-A-Thon - January 4th, 2025.
- ✓ Valentines Dance - February 8th, 2025
- ✓ Meat Fundraiser – October/November 2024

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:

- CSA approved helmet with face protector.
- Athletic support with cup/Jill strap
- Mouth guard (must be coloured, not clear)
- Hockey pants
- Neck guard
- Shin guards
- Shoulder Pads
- Skates
- Elbow Pads
- Hockey Stick
- Hockey Gloves
- Equipment bag

EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED

Team Jersey and socks

HEAD COACH APPLICATIONS:

We are now accepting applications for the Head Coach positions for the 2024-25 Season. Please submit Head Coach Applications no later than June 1st, 2024. At this time, we are only seeking to fill Head Coach positions and bench staff will be selected at a later time.

Please visit the OMHA Coaching Education [website](#) for more information on Coach Certifications.

Please submit your Head Coach application [here](#).

Jersey fitting day is June 8th from 9:00am-3:00pm.

Please note, not everyone will receive a new jersey this year, if you are a returning player and you are sized the same as last fitting, then you can reuse your same jersey from the 2024-25 season. We will need to collect your jersey and get a new sponsor name put on jerseys for next season.

VMF Clothing Line for Grand Valley Twisters!

Our new clothing line will be available this date to order.

Check out the online store at: [VMF Sportswear New Line](#)

If you have any questions or concerns regarding Registration, please contact grandvalleymh@gmail.com

[REGISTER NOW!](#)