# **Ice Hockey**



Register online at CornhuskerStateGames.com

**Ice Hockey accepts TEAM REGISTRATIONS ONLY.** Individual player registrations are not allowed. Complete team rosters must be submitted with payment. See the information below for roster requirements and registration info.

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

DATES: July 26-28, 2019

**SCHEDULES:** Schedules and full tournament rules will be posted at CornhuskerStateGames.com the week of competition.

#### SITES:

Baxter Arena (2425 S 67th St, Omaha)

Ralston Arena (7300 Q St, Omaha)

Tranquility Ice Rink (12550 W Maple Rd, Omaha)

Grover Ice Rink (6171 Grover St, Omaha)

ADMISSION: Admission will be charged daily at all Ice Hockey venues.

Adults: \$5 Students (6-18 Years): \$2 Children (5 & Younger): FREE Admission with Super Pass: FREE

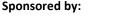
All registered athletes receive a complimentary Super Pass in the athlete packet. Additional Super Passes for spectators and family members can be purchased for \$15 at CornhuskerStateGames.com. The Super Pass gains free admission to all 2019 Cornhusker State Games events and venues, including the Opening Ceremonies.

**AWARDS:** Custom Cornhusker State Games gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to all members of the top three teams in divisions U8 and up. All U6 participants, and U8 participants that do not win a gold, silver or bronze medal, will receive a Cornhusker State Games commemorative medal.

# **EVENTS**

#### **Event Name**

U6 U8 U10 (Gold) U10 (Silver) U12 (Gold) U12 (Silver) U14 (Gold) U14 (Silver)





AGE GROUPS: U6: Born 20012 – 2015 | Cross Ice | Mini Nets U8: Born 20010 – 2012 | ½ Ice | 4v4 w/ Goalie U10: Born 2008 – 2010 | Full Ice U12: Born 2006 – 2008 | Full Ice U14: Born 2004 – 2006 | Full Ice

**NOTE:** Sport Director has the right to combine divisions if less than four teams are registered in a division. All players will be notified if changes are made.

# **ROSTER INFO**

## **ROSTER UPDATES:**

Teams can make roster updates online at CornhuskerStateGames.com/Roster\_Updates.

The deadline to make roster updates is 5 p.m. on TUESDAY, JULY 23. Rosters are considered FINAL after that date.

Teams that register online are able to login and make roster substitutions free of charge. **Teams that register via the paper entry form will be charged a \$10 processing fee to substitute players.** Teams are strongly encouraged to register online to eliminate any roster change fees.

#### **MINIMUM ROSTER SIZES:**

U6 – 6 players
U8 – 9 players
U10 & Older – 11 players

### MAXIMUM ROSTER SIZES:

**U6** – 9 players **U8** – 13 players **U10 & Older** – 20 players

NOTES:. Rosters WILL be checked during tournament. Please make sure your roster is current prior to the July 23 deadline.

**TEAM WAIVER**: The team waiver form must be signed by each team member, or by parent/guardian if the participant is 18 years or younger. If the team is registered online, and the online waiver for each player is clicked as 'Accepted', no printed/signed waiver is needed. All team waivers must be clicked as 'Accepted' or submitted to the Cornhusker State Games office by TUESDAY, JULY 23 to be eligible for competition. Printable waiver forms and further instructions at CornhuskerStateGames.com/Waivers.

# **ATHLETE PACKETS & TEAM BOXES**

**PACKET SHIPPING AVAILABLE FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE:** Save time, avoid hassles and receive your CSG gear more than a week before the Opening Ceremonies by shipping your athlete packet (\$10) or team box (\$15). For more packet pickup information go to http://cornhuskerstategames.com/athlete\_packets.

# JOIN US AT SPORTFEST AND OPENING CEREMONIES ON JULY 19!

Make plans to join us on Friday, July 19 at Lincoln East High and Seacrest Field for SportFest and the Opening Ceremonies!

### SPORTFEST |4:30 - 7 P.M. | LINCOLN EAST HIGH SCHOOL

SportFest is the pre-Opening Ceremonies party for Athletes and their families and includes a free meal for anyone with a Super Pass. Meal is provided by Arby's, Pepsi, Frito-Lay and Hiland Dairy.

## **OPENING CEREMONIES | 8 P.M. | SEACREST FIELD**

Program includes: Parade of Athletes, Skydivers (Lincoln Sport Parachute Club), Introductions, Presentation of Colors (Nebraska National Guard), National Anthem, Oath of Athletes, Mascot Showcase/Shirt Cannons, Featured Entertainment, Torch Lighting Ceremony (Mystery Torchlighter), Fireworks, Photos/Autographs and more.

## **REGISTRATION FEES & DEADLINES**

For pricing and dates, please check the Ice Hockey web page.

**ENTRY FEE INCLUDES:** Competition in the 2019 Cornhusker State Games; White cotton athlete shirt (micro-fiber or soft cotton lightweight tri-blend upgrade available); Pass for free admission to SportFest, the Opening Ceremonies, and all competition venues; Sponsor gifts and coupons.

**TEAM ONLINE REGISTRATION NOTE:** When registering your team online, please note that the system will ask you to enter your team name and roster *prior* to selecting your sport and division. In the INDIVIDUAL Shipping dropdown menu, be sure to select "TEAM" for each team member. **If you wish to have your team packet shipped, you will select that in the TEAM Shipping dropdown menu.** 

**PAPER ENTRY FORMS:** Paper entry forms will be accepted with a \$10 processing fee per team. Registering online at CornhuskerStateGames.com saves time, money and trees. If registering via the paper entry form, please rate your team as being Above Average, Average or Below Average. List this information in the Additional Details/Special Instructions section of the entry form.

**SCHEDULING NOTE:** It is Nebraska Sports Council policy to not release team or divisional information until after the entry deadline. With teams waiting until on or near the deadline to enter, releasing data prior to that day does not provide an accurate picture of the tournament field and serves only to discourage those taking a wait-and-see approach.

All teams are encouraged to take advantage of the early entry discount and enter prior to that deadline, which in turn generates additional interest as teams attract one another. In the rare event that a division does not supply enough teams to warrant a viable tournament, teams will be given the option to move to another division, or be issued a refund. We appreciate the understanding of coaches and parents on this matter and would encourage teams to enter early and trust that there will be adequate competition in all divisions.

## FURTHER INFORMATION

**Sport Specific Questions:** Ice Hockey Director Aimee Guzman-Jones at 402-669-5530 or <u>CSGHockeyDirector@gmail.com</u>. Assistant Director Colleen Arnold at <u>bktcse@cox.net</u>.

**Online Registration/Website Questions:** Contact the Cornhusker State Games office at 402-471-2544 or info@nebraskasportscouncil.com.