



HOCKEY GEELONG SHARKS



2024 Hockey Geelong Sharks Junior Teams U14 and U16 Boys' and Girls' teams

Hockey Geelong Sharks Junior Representative teams in the Hockey Victoria Metropolitan Junior competition which is played on FRIDAY nights at Stead Park and various grounds in the metropolitan region. Note: there is a mid season break for school holidays. The approximate length of the season is 14 weeks which starts on FRIDAY 3rd May 2024.

2024 Sharks Under 14 and Under 16 girls and boys selection trials:

Trial 1: Sunday 11th February 8.30am to 10.30am

Trial 2: Sunday 25th February 8.30am to 10.30am

Selection trials for all teams will be conducted at these times on two pitches.

YOU MUST BRING BOTH A WHITE AND DARK T- SHIRT

Registration opens at **8.00am – 8.15am.**

Group warm up at 8.20am – complete with mouth and shin guards being worn.

PLEASE BE PUNCTUAL

Age groups

U14: players aged under 14 years on January 1, 2024 (i.e. born on or after 1 Jan 2020)

U16: players born on or after 1 Jan. 2008

If you cannot attend a selection trial, please complete an exemption form, available by emailing nwilliams3228@gmail.com

PLEASE EMAIL THE COMPLETED Nomination Forms to nwilliams@gmail.com

NOMINATIONS CLOSE ON WEDNESDAY 7th February 2024



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2024 NOMINATION FORM

Previous team/squad selection does not guarantee future selection in subsequent teams/squads. Players may be cut after the 1st Selection Trial.

Players may only nominate for their nominal age and gender - i.e. girls will play in Girls' teams; U14 players will play in U14 teams.

EXEMPTIONS:

If a nominating player cannot attend a Selection Trial, they must fill in a Exemption Form before the Trials and return the form before the first trial.

TRIAL FEEDBACK

Written feedback will be provided to non-selected players who attend trials

SQUADS

In the event of a Team/squad can be selected after the first trial (due to nominations) there may be no need to a 2nd selection trial for that team. The coach may elect to have a training session on the second trial date but you will be notified.

An interim squad may be asked to train for up to three weeks before announcing the final squad. If necessary, the squad may have additional Train on or rotation train on players (these will be offered a reduced fee rate).

TRAINING

Weekly Tuesday training attendance is compulsory. Training starts **Tuesday 12th March** at 5.45 to 7.00pm

FEES

Playing fees are APPROXIMATELY \$290.00 (GST inclusive) - to be paid by round 4 of 2024 season.

Uniform costs are extra and uniform is ordered "on-line" by the players.

Hockey Victoria registration is additional to the fees (all players pay this registration, which goes to HV and Hockey Australia). Players MUST be registered to compete.

FUNDRAISING

All players and families are required to participate and contribute to TWO fundraising activities for the junior Sharks group for the season.

For more detailed information please read the Hockey Geelong sharks Representation Policy on the GHA website