



## U19 INDOOR SEASON 2020-21

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The RAM Field Hockey Club is a not-for-profit premier club whose mission is to promote the development of high-quality field hockey players who are competitive at any level. Through its practices and tournament travel teams, RAM Field Hockey Club provides youths with first class technical training in a positive, competitive atmosphere so that all athletes can reach their full potential.

- Season:** Nov 10, 2020 – Jan. 30, 2021 (longer if qualify for National Indoor Tournament, NIT.)
- Practices:** Tuesday & Thursday Evenings  
6:15pm – 7:45pm
- Location:** Hanover YWCA  
23 West Chestnut Street  
Hanover PA 17331
- Price:** \$50 Deposit – Due upon registration  
\$600.00 per court player for the season  
\*\$624.00 if paying online by credit card.  
\$150.00 per goalie  
\*\$156.00 if paying online by credit card.  
Fees include all practices, tournament registration fees, coaches' fee, and insurance.  
(Payment options are available.)  
*\*\*These fees do not include NITQ or NIT entry fees*  
*\*\*NITQ fee will be \$100 per player*  
*\*\*NIT fee will be \$380 per player*
- Age:** An athlete's age on December 31st of the given year determines what age group the athlete will be in for the following year. For example if the athlete that turns 16 before December 31st you will play in the U19 division.
- Tournament:** There will be 5 tournaments on either a Saturday or Sunday during the season. If your team qualifies to attend NIT's there will be an additional fee of approx. \$380.00 for this tournament in Richmond, VA on February 26-28, 2021. See full schedule.
- Membership:** Each player must be an active member of USA Field Hockey. Register at [www.usafieldhockey.com](http://www.usafieldhockey.com)
- Registration:** Mail registration form and deposit to RAM Field Hockey, 425 Bulk Plant Rd, Littlestown PA 17340 or register online at [www.ramfieldhockey.com](http://www.ramfieldhockey.com), click on "forms". Make checks payable to RAM or pay online by clicking on the link on our website under "links".

**Registration must be received by October 23, 2020**

For further information/questions contact Candace Reichart (717) 873-8349

\*Date and Times are subject to change.

*PLEASE SEE ADDITIONAL IMPORTANT NOTES BELOW!*

*Due to Covid-19, additional guidelines and measures will be taken to ensure the safety of our participants. At this time, we have reserved all our practice times at YWCA per usual, but we MUST be ready for an abrupt change if schools and/or organizations are to change requirements or shut down. This is a situation that we are in close contact with the YWCA about. Please anticipate protocol changes being made at both training sessions and tournaments. We anticipate that parents will have limited access to spaces that you were typically able to watch your child train or compete in. We appreciate your patience as we continue to navigate all these details.*

*All participants will be required to have a signed waiver.*

Fees are nonrefundable. \*

PLEASE NOTE: Should the season need to be cancelled and/or modified, we will do all possible to get a refund of tournament registrations and practice time so we can pass them along to you.

We are scheduling all tournaments this season, except possibly for the qualifier, to be played at Spooky Nook in Manheim PA. Please see additional attached form for return to tournament guidelines.

USA Field hockey has advised that any decisions regarding the indoor season will be made prior to the first qualifier which is scheduled for 12/19/2020. Should we receive any updates we will pass them along immediately.

NCAA recruiting update:

Due to COVID-19 there are some restrictions on recruiting. Current updates can be found at:

<https://web3.ncaa.org/ecwr3/>

\* Because of the many challenges that COVID-19 presents, we do not know if we will have the normal turnout for the winter indoor season this year. Therefore, we would like to advise that if we do not reach our minimum number of participants required by November 1<sup>st</sup>, a full refund will be given to anyone who had registered.