

Initiation: The IP group is not part of the formal evaluation process. DMHA will work with the IP Level Coordinator and coaches to split the players into 3 teams. This will be done over the weekend of September 23rd and 24th.

Novice:

- The players have been divided into 3 teams for evaluations.
- Each team will have 1 Skills session and 2 Scrimmages between Friday, September 8th and Sunday, September 10th.
- These sessions will allow our Evaluators to rank the players from 1 - 41. Specific positions are **NOT** considered at this age.
- A coach for Novice 1 will be selected on Sunday evening. This roster will consist of 13 skaters.
- Players ranked 1 - 20 will skate again on Monday, September 11th and Wednesday, September 13th. Players 1 - 10 will be on the team based on the weekend evaluations. Novice 1 Head Coach will select the final 3 players for their roster. Novice 1 is now complete and the process repeats with the remaining 27 players to make Novice 2.
- A coach for Novice 2 will be selected Wednesday, September 13th. This roster will consist of 14 skaters.
- The remaining 27 players will skate again on Thursday, September 14th and Saturday, September 16th. The top 11 remaining skaters based on the weekend evaluations will be on Novice 2 and the Novice 2 coach will select 3 skaters to fill their roster. Novice 2 complete.
- This leaves 14 skaters to make up Novice 3 and a coach can be picked.

NOTE: Atom has 59 players and 4 teams. This will take time to sort out so players ending up on Atom 3 or Atom 4 will not skate again until the weekend of September 16th - 17th.

Atom:

- The players have been divided into 4 teams for evaluations.
- Each team will have 1 Skills session and 3 Scrimmages between Friday, September 8th and Sunday, September 10th.
- These sessions will allow our Evaluators to rank the players. Goalies (hybrid and full time) 1 - 7, defence 1 -20, and forwards 1 - 39. (*Hybrid players will be evaluated as a goalie and a skater.)
- It is preferred to have 2 goalies on each of the 4 teams. We have 7 hybrid goalies which means one team will end up with 1 goalie. This will be Atom 4 as it is usually easier to rotate players in as goalie at this level.
- A coach for Atom 1 will be selected on Sunday evening. This roster will consist of 14 skaters. The exact breakdown of Forwards and Defence will not be known until the Goalies can be factored in because it depends where the full time and hybrid goalies place.
- 24 players will skate again on Monday, September 11th and Tuesday, September 12th. This will be Goalies 1 - 4, Defence 1 - 8, and Forwards 1 - 12. This will allow Atom 1 Head Coach to select the final 3 players for their roster. Players 1 - 11 will be on the team based on the weekend evaluations. The breakdown of the top 11 will vary depending on the placement and secondary position of the hybrid goalies but will likely be 1 Goalie, 3 Defence, and 7 Forwards. Atom 1 is now complete and the process repeats with the next 24 players to make Atom 2.
- A coach for Atom 2 will be selected Tuesday, September 12th. This roster will consist of 15 players. The exact breakdown of Forwards and Defence will not be known until the Goalies can be factored in because it depends where the full time and hybrid goalies place.
- The remaining top 24 players will skate again on Thursday, September 14th and Saturday, September 16th. This will be Goalies 1 - 4, Defence 1 - 8, and Forwards 1 - 12. This will allow Atom 2 Head Coach to select the final 3 players for their roster. Players 1 - 12 will be on the team based on the weekend evaluations. The breakdown of the top 12 will vary depending on the placement and secondary position of the hybrid goalies but will likely be 1 Goalie, 4 Defence, and 7 Forwards. Atom 2 is now complete and the process repeats for Atom 3.
- A coach for Atom 3 will be selected on Saturday, September 16th. This roster will consist of 15 players. The exact breakdown of Forwards and Defence will not be known until the Goalies can be factored in because it depends where the full time and hybrid goalies place.
- The remaining 30 Atom players will skate on Sunday, September 17th and Monday, September 18th. Players 1 - 12 will be on Atom 3 based on the evaluation scores from the previous weekend. Atom 3 Head Coach will select 3 players to complete the roster.
- The players that remain will make up Atom 4 and a head coach can be selected.

Pee Wee: (*team size and numbers will change if/when players make AA teams outside of DMHA)

- The players have been divided into 3 teams for evaluations.
- Each team will have 1 Skills session and 2 Scrimmages between Friday, September 8th and Sunday, September 10th.
- These sessions will allow our Evaluators to rank the players. Goalies 1 - 3, Defence 1 - 9, Forwards 1 - 29
- A coach for Pee Wee 1 will be selected on Sunday evening. This roster will consist of 1 Goalie and 12 skaters. The exact breakdown of skaters is not known due to the low number of defence at this level. It will likely be 4 Defence and 8 Forwards.
- All 3 Goalies and skaters ranked 1 - 20 will skate on Tuesday, September 12th and Wednesday, September 13th. Players 1 - 10 will be placed on the team based on the weekend evaluations. Pee Wee 1 Head Coach will select the final 3 players to complete the roster.
- A coach for Pee Wee 2 will be selected on Wednesday, September 13th. This roster will consist of 14 players. 1 Goalie and 13 skaters.
- All remaining Pee Wee players will skate on Saturday, September 16th and Sunday, September 17th. Players 1 - 11 will be placed on the team based on evaluation scores and the Pee Wee 2 Head coach will select the final 3 players.
- Remaining players will form Pee Wee 3 and a coach can be selected.

NOTE: Bantam and Midget Evaluations start the weekend after the Novice, Atom, and Pee Wees. Ice slots are available for those wishing to skate leading up to Evaluations. Please check the DMHA ice schedule as these times will be listed as Bantam Conditioning and Midget Conditioning.

Bantam: (*team size and numbers will change if/when players make AAA or AA teams outside of DMHA)

- The players have been divided into 3 teams for evaluations. Each team will have 1 Skills session and 2 Scrimmages between Friday, September 15th and Saturday, September 16th.
- These sessions will allow our Evaluators to rank the players. Goalies 1 - 3, Defence 1 - 15, Forwards 1 - 27.
- A coach for Bantam 1 will be selected on Saturday (16th) evening. This roster will consist of 19 players. 2 Goalies, 6 Defence, and 11 Forwards.
- All players will skate again on Sunday, September 17th and Monday, September 18th. 16 players will be placed on the roster based on evaluation scores from the weekend (Goalie 1, Defence 1 - 5, and Forwards 1 - 10). Bantam 1 Head Coach will select 3 players to fill out the roster.
- The remaining players will make up Bantam 2 and a head coach will be selected on Monday, September 18th.

Midget: (*team size and numbers will change if/when players make AAA or AA teams outside of DMHA)

- The players have been divided into 2 teams for evaluations.
- Each team will have 1 Skills session and 2 Scrimmages between Saturday, September 16th and Sunday, September 17th.
- These sessions will allow our Evaluators to rank the players. Goalies 1 - 4, Defence 1 - 13, Forwards 1 - 15.
- A coach for Midget 1 will be selected on Sunday (17th) evening. This roster will consist of 2 Goalies and 14 skaters.
- All players will skate again on Monday, September 18th and Wednesday, September 20th. Players ranked 1 - 13 will be placed on the team based on evaluation scores. Midget 1 Head Coach will fill the final 3 spots on their roster.
- Remaining players will form Midget 2 and a coach will be picked once Midget 1 is finalized.