



Yukon U13 Championships

Dawson City, Yukon

February 13-15, 2026

Dear U13 Coaches, caregivers, and players,

Dawson City Minor Hockey Association is excited to be hosting the U13 Yukon Championships February 13-15, 2026 at the Art & Margaret Fry Arena. Please review the following information package.

TOURNAMENT DETAILS:

TEAMS

We are eagerly awaiting news of how many teams will be participating and will need to cap it at 10.

Please email dcminorhockey@outlook.com with your teams' interest by **January 9, 2026**.

If you have a limited number of players, let us know by the deadline above and we will assist with building a community team.

All participants must be registered with their Community Association and BCAHA or their respective provincial, territorial, or state Sport Governing Body for insurance reasons.

GAME SCHEDULE

The game schedule will be confirmed and circulated when we have final team numbers, but plan for games to start at **3pm Friday, February 13, 2026 and end early afternoon on Sunday, February, 15, 2026.**

RULES

The Playing Rules shall be those of Hockey Yukon (YAHA), as applicable to Minor Hockey and will be distributed by Hockey Yukon.

TEAM DONATION TO THE SILENT AUCTION

There is no entry fee for the tournament. In lieu of the entry fee, each team is responsible for a raffle basket/item that will be part of a Silent Auction. The silent auction will be open during the weekend to raise funds to assist in covering the costs of the tournament. The Silent Auction also helps to bolster the off-ice excitement of the tournament weekend.

Each basket/ item should valued between \$100-\$150. In the past, baskets have consisted of hockey sticks, pucks, tape, coolers, camping chairs, and sponsor's items like hats, T-shirts, towels, and other cool items, to make the basket unique for each team.

COACHES MEETING

This meeting will be held Friday night in the official's room after the last game ends, – check the schedule. If the head coach cannot make the meeting, be sure to send an alternate.

OVERAGED PLAYERS

If you need over-aged players to make up a team, you are allowed a maximum of four. They can only be one-year over-age and they must play at the U13 level. If they appear to be ringers, they could be stopped from playing. This would be decided at the Coaches Meeting Friday night after the last game or at a subsequent meeting.

TIMEKEEPING & REFEREES

DCMHA will take care of timekeepers for all games. Referees must be Hockey Canada certified will be organized by Hockey Yukon Referee Coordinator.

FAIR PLAY AWARDS

The fair play award is granted to a player on each team after each game. These players are picked by coaches from the opposing team, to recognize exemplary behaviour that promotes the spirit of Fair Play. No player will receive the award twice.

DRESSING ROOMS

Dressing Rooms will be assigned with the schedule of play. Players/ teams must remove their equipment from the dressing rooms when they are not playing.

PUCKS

Please bring your own supply of pucks for warm-up

DAWSON CITY AMENITIES:

ARENA CONCESSION

La Hock-eria is running the concession at the Art and Margaret Fry Arena this year and will be open to feed hungry players and their families for the duration of the tournament.

FOOD / GROCERIES / SNACKS

Dawson City has two grocery stores. The Dawson City General Store & Bonanza Market have food and grocery items, as well as pre-made/made to order lunch items. North of 60 gas station has a good selection of shelf stable food items and snacks.

RESTAURANTS

Dawson has a selection of dining options in winter; hours can vary, we recommend checking in advance

- Eldorado Hotel Bonanza Dining Room
- BonTon & Company
- Pan of Gold Pub & Grub (19+only dine in; take out available)
- Yukon Spa Cafe
- Aurora Inn Restaurant
- La Hock-eria Arena Concession

ACCOMODATIONS

***We strongly recommend you book rooms ASAP**

- Aurora Inn 867-993-6860 Bonanza Gold Motel 867-993-6789
- Dawson City Guesthouse 867-993-3322 Dawson Lodge 867-993-3332/3529
- Eldorado Hotel 867-993-5451 Juliettes Manor 867-993-2566
- Downtown Hotel 867-993-5346 Triple J Hotel 867-993-5323

EMERGENCY SERVICES

The Dawson City Community Hospital (located behind the museum on 5th avenue) offers 24-hour urgent care services. Telephone 993-4444, or 911 to access ambulance, police, and fire. Art and Margret Fry Arena has an AED and first aid kit on premises if necessary.

If there are any questions, please let us know. We appreciate all parent and volunteer support required to make this weekend a success. Safe travels, and we look forward to seeing you at the tournament!

Sincerely,

Dawson City Minor Hockey Association Board
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