

CALGARY FIRE PROUDLY PRESENTS

2024



Showcase

ALBERTA'S PREMIER AAA/AA FEMALE HOCKEY
TOURNAMENT SHOWCASING OVER 600 ATHLETES



This year's tournament consists of over 600 U18AAA, U18AA, and U15AA female hockey players from throughout Alberta and Western Canada and as far as California. The tournaments will be held from September 12th - October 6th at the Great Plains Recreation Facility in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

The Calgary Fire Elite Hockey Program is dedicated to building a foundation of development for athletes both on and off the ice. We strive to create a positive and fun environment within the framework of respect, team work, and work ethic. Our program works closely with our athletes to help them achieve their many aspirations.

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BE A PART OF THE ACTION SHOWCASING ELITE FEMALE HOCKEY IN WESTERN CANADA

The Calgary Fire AAA/AA Female Program and its volunteer members created the Calgary Firestarter Tournament in 2016. A tournament of this size raises the profile of AAA/AA female hockey in Western Canada, and provides an opportunity for our athletes to diversify their competition pool. Its preseason timing also informs player selection for club teams.

Many of the athletes who compete in the Firestarter have committed to university or college teams in Canada and the United States. Our teams are a representation of the highest level of amateur female hockey in Western Canada. This event is attended by over 40 North American Universities!

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Post-secondary team representatives who register in advance to attend the Calgary Firestarter will receive pre-tournament online access to rosters/player-details for all sixteen teams.

RSVP to Email: firestarter@girlshockeycalgary.com

www.firestartertournament.ca

U18AAA TEAMS

SEPTEMBER 12 - 14, 2024

POOL A

Calgary Fire Red, AB

Northern Alberta Xtreme, AB

Sherwood Park Reign, AB

Notre Dame Hounds, SK

Saskatoon Stars, SK

Calgary Fire Black, AB

Edmonton Junior Oilers White, AB

Westman Wildcats, MB

St Albert Slash, AB

Thompson Okanagan Lakers, BC

Prince Albert Northern Bears, SK

St Mary's High School, USA

Battlefords Sharks, SK

Rocky Mountain Raiders, AB

Fraser Valley Rush, BC

Lloydminster PWM Steelers, AB

POOL B

POOL C

POOL D

U18AAA GAME SCHEDULE

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U18AAA Tournament Schedule

Pool	Date	Visiting	GF Home	GF Venue	Time
A	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Notre Dame Hounds	Sherwood Park Reign	Great Plains 1	8:30 AM
B	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Saskatoon Stars	Westman Wildcats	Great Plains 2	8:45 AM
A	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Calgary Fire Red	NAX	Great Plains 1	10:45 AM
B	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Calgary Fire Black	Junior Oilers White U18 AAA	Great Plains 2	11:00 AM
C	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Thompson Okanagan Lakers	Prince Albert Northern Bears	Great Plains 1	1:00 PM
D	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Lloydminster PWM Steelers	Battlefords Sharks	Great Plains 2	1:15 PM
C	Thu Sep 12, 2024	St Albert Slash	St Mary's Girls Varsity	Great Plains 1	3:15 PM
D	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Fraser Valley Rush	Rocky Mountain Raiders	Great Plains 2	3:30 PM
A	Thu Sep 12, 2024	NAX	Notre Dame Hounds	Great Plains 1	5:30 PM
B	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Junior Oilers White U18 AAA	Saskatoon Stars	Great Plains 2	5:45 PM
A	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Sherwood Park Reign	Calgary Fire Red	Great Plains 1	7:45 PM
B	Thu Sep 12, 2024	Westman Wildcats	Calgary Fire Black	Great Plains 2	8:00 PM
C	Fri Sep 13, 2024	St Mary's Girls Varsity	Thompson Okanagan Lakers	Great Plains 1	8:30 AM
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PLAYOFFS					
A1/C2	Sat Sep 14, 2024			Great Plains 1	10:00 AM
B1/D2	Sat Sep 14, 2024			Great Plains 2	10:15 AM
A2/C1	Sat Sep 14, 2024			Great Plains 1	12:15 PM
B2/D1	Sat Sep 14, 2024			Great Plains 2	12:30 PM
A3/C3	Sat Sep 14, 2024			Great Plains 1	2:30 PM
B3/D3	Sat Sep 14, 2024			Great Plains 2	2:45 PM
A4/C4	Sat Sep 14, 2024			Great Plains 1	4:45 PM
B4/D4	Sat Sep 14, 2024			Great Plains 2	5:00 PM
Gold	Sun Sep 15, 2024			Great Plains 1	9:30 AM
Bronze	Sun Sep 15, 2024			Great Plains 2	9:45 AM

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Game Format

1. Tournament will be a 4 game guarantee, with elimination games among the top 8 teams on Saturday and the 4 top-point teams playing in the Bronze and Gold final, on Sunday.
2. All games consist of 3 (20-20-20) stop time periods. Ice flood after every second period. Due to time restrictions, the national anthem will not be played before games.
3. 5 minute warm up begins immediately following ice cleaning. At conclusion of warm up teams must line up to play immediately or risk a delay of game penalty.
4. Designated home teams will wear light-coloured jerseys and visiting teams will wear dark-coloured jerseys.
5. Timeouts are allowed in Bronze and Gold games only; each team is allowed one 30 sec time out.

Standings Will Be Determined By

- 3 Points for a Win
- 1 Point for a Tie
- 0 Point for a Loss

For the U18AAA Tournament

- Points will be calculated at the end of Friday's games to determine games and opponents for Saturday's games.
- Aggregate tournament points will again be calculated among the winners of Saturday's #1 vs. #2 games to determine the placement of those 4 winners in the Bronze and Gold games.

TRAVEL PLANS

YOUR ARENA DESTINATION IS:

GREAT PLAINS ARENA

5749 76 Ave. S.E. Calgary AB

SUGGESTED TOURNAMENT ACCOMMODATION:

DEERFOOT INN & CASINO

Contact the Front Desk either by:

Tel. #: 587-894-7041

Book your group rate for Firestarter Scouts Sept 2024

Group Rate:

\$155 + GST - One King Bed Room

Group/Team Name: Calgary Firestarter Tournament

FOOD & BEVERAGE:

A scout hospitality room with refreshments, snacks and light meals will be available during tournament hours.

There are many fast food options within the area ranging from Tim Hortons to Edo Japan and Big Rock Brewery not far from the arena.