

# Hockey Stream Comparison

	House League	Community
<b>Player Placement</b>	Balanced teams will be created within each league	Players are tiered based on skill.
<b>Set Days/Schedules</b>	Yes. Twice per week. Set days.	No. 2-4 times per week. Random days. (exception - U7 & U9 is somewhat consistent)
<b>Cash Calls</b>	No	Yes
<b>Volunteer Bond</b>	Yes - Volunteer Bonds are determined by each Association	Yes - Volunteer Bonds are determined by each Association
<b>Travel</b>	Quadrant based league	U13 & down - North/South League U15 & up - City-wide League
<b>Practices</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>Practice to Game Ratio</b>	1:1	2:1
<b>Full Ice Games</b>	U9 - No U11 and up - Yes	
<b>Fundraising</b>	No	Yes - Fundraising guidelines are set by each Association.
<b>Purchasing of additional ice</b>	Not permitted	Yes
<b>Participate in Exhibition Games</b>	No	Yes
<b>Participate in Esso Minor Hockey Week</b>	No	Yes
<b>Participate in Playoffs</b>	No	U9 - No U11 and up - Yes
<b>Participate in Additional Tournaments</b>	No	Yes. At additional cost.
<b>Police Checks for Volunteers</b>	Mandatory	
<b>Coaching Requirements</b>	All Coaches require: RIS Activity Leader (Coach).	
	Safety is strongly recommended for ALL coaches (on person on the roster must hold valid certificate)	
	Head Coaches must have Coach 1 (U9) or Coach 2 (U11)	
	Additional requirements are required for some divisions in the community league.	