

# 2025-26 NOVICE HOCKEY LEAGUE SHARKS 7-9 YEARS OLD

### SUNDAYS – 5:45-6:45PM SEPTEMBER 14 – MARCH 8

#### SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER

**Key Skill: Skating** 

- Proper stance
- Strides & Balance
- Stopping
- Turning & Crossovers
- Backwards Skating

GAME NIGHT
Oct. 5

#### **NOVEMBER - DECEMBER**

**Key Skills: Puck Skills** 

- Stick Handling
- Passing
- Shooting
- Skating Review
- Puck Skills Review

## GAME NIGHT/<u>PARENTS</u> NIGHT

OCT. 26/NOV. 23/DEC. 21

CANCELLED CLASSES DEC. 28 / JAN. 4

#### JANUARY - FEBRUARY

Key Skills: Strategy and Gameplay

- Skating Review
- Puck Skills Review
- Passing & Shooting
- Offensive Play
- Defensive Play
- \* Team Play

#### **GAME NIGHT**

JAN. 25/FEB. 22/

MAR. 8

#### TIPS TO WORK ON AT HOME

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- Use tennis balls to work on puck control
- Set up a net at home to practice various shots – Slap shots, wrist shots and backhand
- Plav nass of a wall

#### TIPS TO WORK ON AT HOME

- Play organized games with friends/family
- Watch professional hockey games – pay close attention to players positioning

- - Work on proper technique using roller blades
  - Balancing Drills
  - Sprints
  - Relay Races