



International Silver Stick Finals

1814 10th Street
Port Huron, MI 48060



Dear Regional Champion:

Welcome to the Pee Wee/Bantam Silver Stick Finals and congratulations on your Silver Stick Regional Championship! All tournament information can be found at

www.phhockey.com/silverstick

The following point system will be used to determine team seeding:

Points per Game:

Win=2 points

Tie= 1 point

Loss= 0 points

When there are two or more teams with the same amount of points, the following format will be used to determine team seeding (All ties need to be settled on the same step):

1. Head to head
2. Goals for and goals against differential.
3. Quotient- dividing the goals scored in these games by the goals scored against, the positions being determined in order of the greatest quotient. A quotient involving dividing by zero has higher standing than a quotient from dividing by any number other than zero.
4. Most Periods won.
5. Quickest first goal scored in the tournament.

The tournament committee must receive your completed registration form within seven (7) days of your regional tournament. Payment must be made with a Visa or MasterCard. Contact Linda Taylor at the Hockey Office for payment. There will be no refund of tournament entrance fee.

Yours in Sportsmanship,

Patrick H. Hills
Tournament Director

Tournament Director
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•US teams are required to furnish a copy their USA Hockey certified roster and team membership form. Canadian teams are required to furnish a copy of team member cards and/or certified rosters. Rosters must be signed and completed properly.

•Tournament will be held as follows:

Pee Wee and Bantam AAA and Bantam AA- January 11-14, 2007

Pee Wee and Bantam A & B and Pee Wee AA- January 25-28, 2007

•**Tournament Information-** www.phhockey.com/silverstick

• **Running time-** shall be instituted in the third period when the goal differential is five (5) goals or more. If the goal differential drops below five (5) goals, stop time resumes. Eight (8) goals will be the maximum number of goal differential that will be calculated in the seeding rounds. Running time excludes the championship game.

•**Schedule-** All teams will adhere to the game schedule. The tournament starts on Thursday. Schedule will be published and updated on the website.

•**Game Misconduct-** Any player or coach receiving a game misconduct will not be allowed to play or coach the next game.

•**Playing rules-** All games will be played according to USA Hockey current rules.

•**Time out-** There will be one time out allowed in the championship round.

•All players shall wear safety equipment as required by their governing bodies.

•**Eligible players-** Only players properly registered/carded on the team rosters will be eligible to play. Canadian teams, please include your AP players. No player born before January 1, 1994 is eligible to participate in our Pee Wee tournament. No player born before January 1, 1992 is eligible to participate in our Bantam tournament.

•**Credentials-** You must bring your team's approved registrar stamped roster and team membership application/cards (originals only, no photocopies). They must be presented to tournament officials before every game. Players and coaches are required to sign in before every game.

•You will need to be at the game site 1 hour before each game and report to the Tournament Marshall's office for dressing room assignment and other information. Games could start up to 30 minutes prior to posted game time.

•**TOURNAMENT PASSES WILL BE GIVEN TO ROSTERED PLAYERS AND COACHES ONLY.**

•A parade of teams will be held as part of Opening Ceremonies on Friday evening. Particulars will be given to the team representative at the Tournament Marshall's office at initial registration.

•**Transportation-** Silver Stick does not provide transportation for teams. Arrangements for travel are to be made by the individual teams at their expense.

•**Motel Accommodations-** A list of hotels/motels are on the website. Reservations are to be made directly with the motel selected.

•**Customs and Immigration-** May require birth certificates and picture ID or Passport.



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Port Huron Silver Stick Rules

All USA Hockey rules apply, plus the following Silver Stick Rules:

- Fighting**- Automatic ejection from the tournament.
- Match**- Automatic ejection from the tournament.
- Game Misconduct**- Any team member receiving a game misconduct will be suspended for the next game.
- Length of games**-
 - AAA and Bantam AA- 15-15-15 Stop Time
 - B, A and Pee Wee AA- 12-12-12 Stop Time
- Overtime**- No overtime will be used in seeding rounds.
- Championship rounds**- Overtime of 10 minute periods until there is a winner
- Running time**- When there is a five (5) goal difference, in the third period. Stop time when less than five (5) goal difference in the third period.
- Tournament Fee**- AAA and Bantam AA- \$775 USD
B, A and Pee Wee AA- \$750 USD

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**Team Contact Information
During Tournament**

Team Name: _____

Division: _____

List Team Contact, Local Numbers:

Coach: _____ Manager: _____

Local ph: _____ Local ph: _____

Cell ph: _____ Cell ph: _____

Hotel: _____ Hotel: _____

Please fill out this information so that we may contact you in the event there is any change in the tournament. This information needs to be completed with your roster.

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Notice to team coaches

It is imperative that you check all teams participating in your tournament to verify that only USA Hockey teams, CAHA registered teams or IIHF approved teams are allowed to enter your tournament. You must obtain (prior to the first tournament game) a copy of the roster form, which has been signed and sealed by a USA Hockey or CAHA registrar or associate registrar.

If any team fails to comply with this rule, that team will forfeit all games until the form is presented to the tournament director. Tournaments that fail to comply with this rule will not receive future tournament sanctions.

Please return all forms together.

Tournament Director,

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Entry Form and Information

- Finals roster shall be the same as that registered in the Silver Stick Regional Tournament. Any changes must be accompanied by a written explanation signed by a team official. Rosters must conform to USA Hockey or CAHA rules. Please bring player credentials for examination by Tournament Marshall. Birth Certificates may also be required in the event of a challenge. Rosters must be approved by Tournament Director.
- Tournament will be governed by MAHA and USA Rules and Regulations.
- Equipment will be governed by USA or CAHA approval. Proof of approval will be required if local rules differ from standard. If in the opinion of the Tournament Director, an approved Local Rule creates an unfair advantage, the standard rule will be imposed.
- The International Silver Stick Hockey Association does not carry insurance to cover tournament injuries. Participating teams must make the necessary arrangements for payment of medical expenses incurred. It is mandatory that the parent or team representative accompany the injured player to the hospital. A properly signed medical treatment authorization should be available in the absence of a player's parent or guardian. Team Official will make the request for medical assistance.
- Your tentative game noted on the internet will be firm, if you have not heard otherwise.
- Home team will wear light colored jersey. Visiting team will wear dark colored jersey.
- Tournament officials will determine Home and Visiting teams.
- Please fill out all forms completely via the internet.
- The Chamber of Commerce (810) 985-7101 will be happy to assist you in arranging local accommodations for team officials and parents in both Canada and the US.

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