

# STJ Hockey House League Coach Contract

The St. James House Hockey program relies on competent, enthusiastic, and dependable parent volunteers to assist our STJ Staff coaches in executing on-ice practice plans and managing a season of competitive games. Coaches must have proficient skating skills and a strong playing background.

Volunteer coaches are chosen through a selection process. To be considered for a house coaching position, please review the information below and email a signed copy of this agreement to [hockey@thestjames.com](mailto:hockey@thestjames.com). Coaching positions will be announced after evaluations in September.

## Evaluation Schedule

- **6U and 8U House Coach Evaluations:**
  - Date: Saturday, September 14th
  - Time: 8:00 AM - 8:30 AM South Rink
- **10U and 12U House Coach Evaluations:**
  - Date: Saturday, September 14th
  - Time: 10:50 AM - 11:20 AM South Rink

## Evaluation Equipment Requirements

- Coaches must bring the following equipment to evaluations:
  - Helmet
  - Skates
  - Stick
  - Gloves

## Benefits for Selected Coaches

- Coaches selected to join our House Staff will receive a 20% discount off their player's registration fee.
  - Membership discounts and coaching discounts cannot be combined.
- Interested coaches must register and pay the full deposit for their player.
- The coaching discount will be applied to the remaining invoice balance prior to the final due date of October 1st.

## Coaching Requirements

- **Attendance**

- Coaches must attend at least 90% of their team's scheduled practices and games.
  - **Equipment & Apparel**
    - Coaches must bring a helmet, skates, stick, and gloves for all practices and games.
    - Coaches must wear athletic clothing (no jeans) and STJ-issued gear while on the ice.
  - **Coaching Ethics Code**
    - Coaches must abide and follow the USA Hockey Coaching Ethics Code
      - [USA Hockey Coaching Ethics Code PDF](#)
  - **USA Hockey Certifications:** All coaches must be USA Hockey registered with an up-to-date Coaches Education Program Course (CEP), complete age-specific coaching modules, SafeSport certification, and background check.
    - Links for all necessary certifications can be found here:  
*To be completed by October 1<sup>st</sup>:*
      - USA Hockey Number: [www.usahockeyregistration.com](http://www.usahockeyregistration.com)
      - Age-Specific Modules: [www.usahockey.com/agespecificmodules](http://www.usahockey.com/agespecificmodules)
      - SafeSport: [www.usahockey.com/safesporttraining](http://www.usahockey.com/safesporttraining)
      - Background Checks: [www.usahockey.com/backgroundscreen](http://www.usahockey.com/backgroundscreen)  
*To be completed by December 31<sup>st</sup>:*
      - CEP Coaching Clinics: [www.usahockey.com/coachingclinics](http://www.usahockey.com/coachingclinics)
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## Acknowledgment

By signing below, you acknowledge that you have read, understood, and agree to comply with the procedures and requirements outlined in this contract. If you fail to comply with our coaching requirements, the discount will be revoked, and the difference will be automatically charged to the payment method on file.

Coach Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_