

**NZ SECONDARY SCHOOL INLINE HOCKEY**  
**2014 NATIONAL**  
**CHAMPIONSHIPS**



**DECEMBER**

**6 & 7**

**HAMILTON**



Hosted By Hamilton Inline Hockey Club  
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# Hamilton Inline Hockey Club

is proud to host the

## New Zealand National Secondary School Inline Hockey Championships 2014

### Tournament Event Notice

#### 1. Organisers

- The organisers are Hamilton Inline Hockey Club.
- Event dates: December 6 and 7.
- Closing date for entries is **October 17, 2014**.
- The competition fee is **\$300**.

#### 2. Rules

- NZIHA rules apply as will the endorsement of the Constitution of NZSSSC Inc.
- Names of all participants must be provided to the tournament organisers in order for them to register all players with the NZIHA.
- All players/teams will comply with the following:
  - Be enrolled, or have been enrolled, full time at a secondary school during 2014
  - Be in Year 9 or above (*N.B.* see **B Grade** rule below)
  - Be under 19 years on 1 Jan 2014
- Up to three grades are proposed:
  - **A Grade Major Championship** is for teams from individual schools (i.e. players on the team must come from one school only). This grade is the main event of the tournament.
  - **A Grade Minor Championship** is for combined teams made up of players from no more than two schools (there must be a minimum of **two** players from each contributing school). The teams will be identified as School X/School Y (e.g. Waihi College/Katikati College). It is expected that schools combining players will do so out of genuine need in order to field a team, rather than to stack their team with elite players. The Organisers reserve the right to refuse entry of any team they believe is not entering into the competition in a spirit of fair play.
  - **B Grade** is for individual/combined teams made up of players in Years 9-11 from no more than two schools. (For combined teams, there must be a minimum of **two** players from each contributing school).
- Teams must provide letters from schools confirming that each player is currently enrolled, or was enrolled during 2014.
- Players must play for one team at the tournament.
- Entries will be accepted from secondary schools throughout New Zealand

- The Organisers reserve the right to make a final decision on whether all or some of the above grades go ahead. Games between teams from different grades may be scheduled, however these will not be for points.
- Schools may request dispensation in regards to the team composition criteria mentioned above, but the Organisers reserve the right to accept or decline such requests.

### **3. Venue**

- The venue will be Hamilton Inline Hockey Club, 34 Old Farm Rd, Hamilton East, Hamilton.
- Web site: <http://www.hamiltondevils.co.nz/>
- The rink complies with the safety standards and rink dimensions set out by the NZIHA Inline Hockey Rule Book.
- The goals are the official size as stipulated in the NZIHA Rulebook.
- An electronic clock/scoreboard will be used for all games.
- Smoking is prohibited in all areas of Hamilton Inline Hockey Club.

### **4. Games**

- Playing rules are those set down in the NZIHA Rulebook.
- The official NZIHA score sheet will be used.
- The official tournament puck will be the IDS puck.
- Warm up period: 2min.
- Game format: two 15 minute periods with 2 min half time. (*N.B.* Organisers reserve the right to alter the game durations depending on how many teams enter)
- Time out: one time out per team per game in semi-finals and finals only.
- There will be no overtime for tied pool games.
- Stop time will apply only for semi-final and final games. Stop time will commence in the final 2 minutes of a game provided that the score is within 1 goal or tied.
- In the event of a draw at fulltime in the final, a sudden death overtime period of 5 minutes will apply. Should the scores be tied at the end of overtime the result will be determined by a shootout.

### **5. Safety**

- A qualified first aid officer will be present at all games.
- Measures are taken to ensure the safety of spectators (e.g. safety netting, crowd control to keep spectators away from the barriers, etc.)
- Each player is personally responsible for wearing the correct protective equipment for all warm-ups and games.

### **6. Uniforms**

- Players must be uniformly dressed in accordance with NZIHA Rules.
- A clash of jersey colours will mean the home team will change their jerseys. Alternate jerseys can be provided by the organisers. (A clash in colours will be determined by the Tournament Director).

### **7. Officials**

#### **Referees**

Two referees will officiate in each game where possible. Referees, where possible, will hold at least a Level One Referee qualification.

### **Scorer/Timekeepers**

The official NZIHA score sheet will be used.

For each game there will be an official scorer, game timekeeper, and penalty timekeeper.

### **Goal Judges**

Goal judges will be appointed for final games only.

## **8. National Championships Disciplinary Committee**

The NZ Secondary School National Championships Disciplinary Committee will deal with all disciplinary matters. The members of this Committee will be appointed by the Tournament Director in association with NZIHA registered officials and will be: The Tournament Director, the Chief Referee, or their nominees, and a senior member from a School not involved in the disciplinary matter. The SS National Championships Disciplinary Committee is empowered to discipline players, teams, and team officials, for their conduct both on and off the rink before, during, and after a game. This Disciplinary Committee may impose disqualification, suspension, fine and/or other measures as deemed appropriate by the Committee. Hearings will be conducted at a time notified to the parties involved by the Tournament Director, and as far as is practical, during the Tournament. Penalties imposed in this Tournament will, if applicable, carry over to NZIHA sanctioned games, NZIHA trials and future SS National Championships.

## **9. Protests**

- Protests must be notified to the game referee verbally by the captain of the protesting team immediately after the game and in writing to the Tournament Director no later than 30 minutes after the completion of the game.
- All protests must be accompanied by a fee of \$100 which is refundable if the protest is upheld.

## **10. Contact**

For any further information please contact Bennett Row, Tournament Director, Ph: **021 992 195**, [tournament@hamiltondevils.co.nz](mailto:tournament@hamiltondevils.co.nz)

## Venue Information

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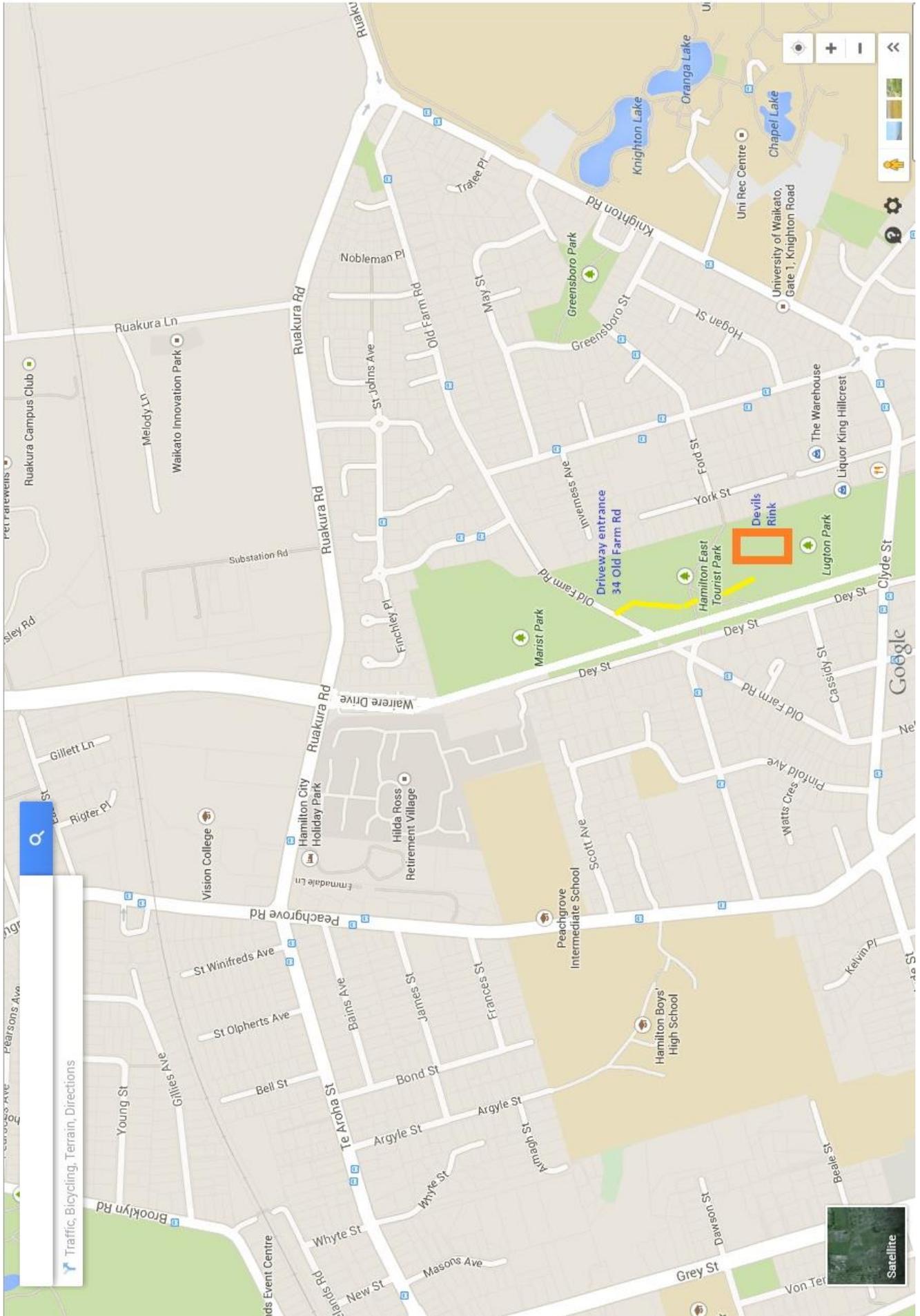
Floor Plan: **attached** Rink dimensions 50 x 25 mt

### Facility:

- electronic scoreboard, score bench
- p.a. system
- first aid room/referees room
- facility and rink surface cleaned daily
- kitchen selling hot and cold food, eftpos available
- eating area with tables and chairs
- spectator seating for **500+** people
- lockable office space
- gear consumables may be available
- public toilets
- home & away changing rooms with showers, toilets, hand basins, paper towels
- free onsite car parks

### Proximity to services:

- Supermarket 10 min drive
- Bakery and takeaway food (pizza, Chinese smorgasbord, fish and chips) 3 min walk
- Westfield Chartwell mall (food hall, cinemas, shopping, supermarket) 10 min drive
- City centre (shops, cinemas, food outlets) 5 min drive



**NZ National Secondary Schools Inline Hockey Championships 2014**  
**Hamilton, 6-7 December**

**Entry Form**

Name of School(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Grade entering:

**A Grade Major** (for individual schools)

**A Grade Minor** (for combined schools)

**B Grade** (for individual/combined schools)

Contact /Sports Coordinator: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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

The person signing this form certifies that prior to any team or player participating in the NZ National Secondary School Championships the following rules have been complied with:

- All players on this form are registered with the NZIHA prior to the tournament starting.
- All players on this form are eligible to play for the secondary school for which they registering.

**Entries Close: October 17, 2014**

	Player First Name, Last Name	Player D.O.B.	School	Current NZIHA Club & grade (if applicable)	Jersey number
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14					
15					
16					
Goalie					
Goalie					
Coach					
Manager					
Official					
Official					
				Team fee:	<b>\$300</b>

Email your entry form to: [tournament@hamiltondevils.co.nz](mailto:tournament@hamiltondevils.co.nz)

Team Entry Fee (**\$300** per team) payable to: Hamilton Inline Hockey Club  
 Bank A/C: 020316 0041458 00



# Risk Management – (Hamilton Inline Hockey Club)

Review Date	Sept. 2014	Legend: H=High, M=Medium, L=Low	Person/Group responsible for review	NZIHA Executive
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Step 1: Risk Identification					Step 2: Risk Assessment					Step 3: Risk Management				
List of Possible Risks	Likelihood H/M/L	Impact H/M/L	What are we already doing about it? (mitigating factors)	What more can we do about it?	Timescale (event dates)	Who is Responsible	Reviewed Level of Risk (date)							
Moisture Build up on rink floor	L	H	We monitor humidity, and have installed heaters and fans to manage moisture levels on the floor	Hire extra heaters. Stop games if the floor becomes slippery	December 6-7, 2014	Hamilton Inline Hockey Club Exec	Sept. 2014							
Power Outage	L	H	Hamilton to have maintenance staff during event.	Check for any known scheduled maintenance during req'd dates.	December 6-7, 2014	Hamilton Inline Hockey Club Exec	Sept. 2014							
Scoreclock Malfunction	L	H	We have an effective back-up system that was checked in July for Oceanias.	Check on backup system again. Ensure bench staff keep paper record of times.	December 6-7, 2014	HIHC	Sept. 2014							
Fire Alarm	L	H	Evacuation required / Call out service and reset required.	Ensure patrons are aware of the call out fee if alarm is false.	December 6-7, 2014	HIHC	Sept. 2014							
Player Injuries	M/L	H	First Aid provider in place rink side	Players reminded to wear safety equipment. Referees reminded to watch for player behaviour that may lead to injury	December 6-7, 2014	HIHC	Sept. 2014							
Spectator Seating	L	L	Large areas of seating are available. Stairways are clearly marked and have non-slip edges. Stair access ways are kept clear.	Maintain clear stairways in the events.	December 6-7, 2014	HIHC	Sept. 2014							
Spectator injuries from pucks	L	M	There are signs warning spectators to stand back from netting to avoid puck injuries	At the event, remind spectators standing too close to the netting to step back.	December 6-7, 2014	HIHC	Sept. 2014							

