



Tauranga Intermediate School \*30 18th Avenue \*PO Box 2141 Tauranga  
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## TAURANGA INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Your child has indicated that they would like to play hockey for Tauranga Intermediate this year.

In order to be placed in a team, three online forms must be filled in:

- [Hockey Registration Form](#)
- [Players Code of Behaviour](#) (only needs to be filled in ONCE, no matter the number of sports your child is playing throughout the year)
- [PlayHQ](#) This is required by the Hockey Assn. If you played last year you just need to re-log into your account through this link. If you are new to hockey you will need to create an account.

If you do not have access to the Internet, please get your child to pick up a paper copy of this registration form from the Sports Office. All teams in this competition will be 7-side with the top Girls, Boys and Mixed Teams will have 6 field players plus one goalie. The lower grades can include a goalie but this will be optional.

Trials will be held for those students who wish to showcase their skills for the top Girls, Boys and Mixed 7-side teams. If your child wishes to play hockey at a social level, they are not required to trial. However, they still must be registered via the above registration form.

The 2024 hockey fees are set at a total of \$200 per player. **All registrations must be accompanied by a non-refundable deposit of \$60 per player which must be paid by Friday 8 March.** If this is not possible for your whānau at this time please contact Karen Hampton ([karenh@tauranga-int.school.nz](mailto:karenh@tauranga-int.school.nz)) to make alternative arrangements. The owing balance of \$140 is to be paid prior to the end of the term. A total of \$200 for the 2024 Hockey Season.

### Bank Details for Tauranga Intermediate

**Account Name:** Tauranga Intermediate School

**Account Number:** 12-3194-0050500-00

**Bank:** ASB Bank Limited

**Reference:** Student name / room number / hockey

Students playing Hockey will be expected to undertake the following commitments:

- Turn up to every practice on time in P.E. uniform and with suitable footwear, shin pads, mouth guards and stick without excuse. The school top turf is booked for hockey trainings on a Monday and Wednesday.
- If unable to make a practice because you are absent from school the coach must be notified prior to practise.
- Be available to play every Friday night at **Blake Park Mt Maunganui, Bethlehem College, or Tauranga Boys' College** commencing week 1 of term 2.
- Turn up at least half an hour before each game. Individual coaches may set their own time requirements.
- Have a means of transport organised to the turf where their game is (it is not up to the coach or manager to have to worry about transport for players other than their own child).
- Be respectful to their coach and do what they are told.
- Take excellent care of their uniform and team gear.
- To pay hockey subs in total, on or before the end of term 1. (Unless prior arrangement made with the school office). You will be issued a uniform when you have paid your full fees.

Unless students are keen and able to make the above commitments, please do not complete their registration form (online or paper copy). On completion of the registration form, trials will begin as follows:

Only students who wish to trial for a competitive team will be required for the trialling process. All students will be placed into squads for management purposes and given a number to write on their arm or leg. It is essential that students have their **shoes, mouth guard, hockey stick and PE gear for trials on our school turf.**

**Girls Trials will be held in week 7 Monday 11 March 3.00 - 4.30pm Top Turf and week 9 Tuesday 26 March 3.00 - 4.30pm.**

**Boys Trials will be held week 8 Wednesday 20th March 3.00 - 4.30pm Top Turf and week 9 Wednesday 27th March 3 - 4.30pm**

Every year our Hockey season is very successful and that is because of parental support. Teams will be required to have a coach, manager and umpire. Please add your name to the registration form if you would like to help in any way. Unfortunately, a team cannot be registered without a coach being named.

We will be having a parent/player meeting prior to the season in our school hall where we will go over our expectations for the season, finalise coaches/managers and there will be an opportunity for you to ask any questions. This date is to be confirmed.

We look forward to having a great season. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us through the school office or email as below.

Kind Regards,

Reuben Potaka  
Head of Sport