

Girls Hockey Co-op Agreement

Aitkin, Crosby Ironton, Pequot Lakes, Pine River Backus, Walker Hackensack Akeley

Listed below are the components of the Co-op agreement for Northern Lakes girls' hockey regarding their co-op sponsorship of hockey during the 2024-2025 school years and years beyond the co-op's existence.

- 1- The cost for the program will be divided by the percentage of kids in the program based on the total cost of the program (i.e., coach's wages, transportation, officials, ice rental, supplies, equipment, entry fees, trainer, and any other relevant expenses of the hockey program)
- 2- Each district is not responsible for transporting participants to practices. Pequot Lakes will schedule transportation to the events.
- 3- Each school will pay the registration fee for hockey for their school to the MSHSL yearly.
- 4- Each school will handle eligibility and collect it's participants' athletic fees and sports-related paperwork. The Northern Lakes hockey fee is \$200 per participant for the 24-25 school year.
- 5- Pequot Lakes is the host school. It will file all necessary paperwork with the MSHSL regarding eligibility, schedules, and any other pertinent materials for the co-op.
- 6- Pequot Lakes will make any arrangements (transportation, housing, meal costs, MSHSL paperwork, etc.) regarding participation in the season and the state tournament for individuals or the team.
- 7- School closures will be handled by the superintendents independently of each school regarding the ability to practice or play. If the host school can practice or play and there are enough players, keeping the event or practice on makes sense.
- 8- As the host school, Pequot Lakes reserves the right to change the co-op agreement with a minimum of 90 days' notice.
- 9- The ADs of the co-op schools will handle any other issues that arise or that need immediate attention.

School official signature for the coop agreement

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