

LUVERNE HOCKEY ASSOCIATION TOURNAMENT RULES – MITE JAMBOREE

1. Only USA Hockey registered referees will be used.
2. A physician, certified athletic trainer, or emergency medical technician will be present at each game.
3. All games will be played under USA Hockey rules as modified by MN Hockey.
4. A credentials committee composed of the Tournament Director, and the Association Registrar, or their designee, shall check each teams proof of USA Hockey registration and insurance, and USA Hockey roster signed by all participants and approved by a USA Hockey Registrar of his/her designee, prior to playing any of their games.
5. Game times shall be 3 (three) 12 (twelve) minute stop time periods, with one minute rests between periods, and 5 minute warm-ups before the game. The clock will be stopped every 2 minutes for line changes.
6. Resurfacing of ice will be done in between games.
7. Each team will be allowed a single 1 (one) minute time-out per game.
8. Fighting penalty warrants expulsion from the tournament. Spearing, butt ending, or intent to injure, will be a double minor penalty and/or tournament disqualification at the referees discretion.
9. All decisions of the referees will be final, no protests will be allowed.
10. All minor penalties will be 1 1/2 minutes in length. All major penalties will be 4 minutes, and misconduct penalties 10 minutes.
11. The top team in brackets is the home team and will wear light colored jerseys. Visiting teams will wear pullovers if necessary.
12. All players must wear approved helmets, facemasks and mouth guards. No persons other than rostered coaches or players are allowed on the player bench. Any player not suited for the game must wear an approved helmet while on the player bench.
13. Games involving the older mites will be called according to normal hockey rules. Games played with the younger mites will be given leniency for calls such as icing and offsides.
14. Unsportsmanlike conduct will not be tolerated. Any player, coach, or fan exhibiting unsportsmanlike behavior may be ejected from the game or the tournament by the

officials, the Tournament Director, or any member of the LHA Board of Directors. In all other matters not covered above, the Tournament Director decision will be final.