



## ELK RIVER YOUTH HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

### Player Injury Credit Request Policy

When a player has been injured, it is the responsibility of the parent to inform the ERYHA Registration Director of the player's injury if the player is unable to actively participate for a minimum of 4 consecutive weeks, by recommendation of his or her doctor, due to injury. If the parent is requesting a credit on hockey fees due to the injury a Player Injury Credit Request Form must be completed. Each request will be reviewed by the ERYHA Board to determine if an injury credit should be given.

The injury credit guidelines are as follows:

- Minimum of 4 consecutive weeks of hockey activities missed.
- Payment of ½ of the fees (excluding tryout fees) incurred during the time the player was unable to actively participate.
- The determination of fees credited will not take into account the amount of activity (ie practices, scrimmages, tournaments, games) incurred during the time the player was unable to participate.
- The fees per week will be calculated on the player's total fees for the hockey year (excluding the tryout fee, if applicable) divided by the # of weeks listed below. Fees will be credited in two-week intervals.
- The fees eligible per week will be calculated based on the following average length of the season:
  - Squirts/10U to Bantams/14U= 21 week season
  - Mites=23 week season
  - Jr Gold=15 week season

Examples:

1. Joe breaks his arm in a game and is out for 4 weeks. Joe's on the Bantam A team. Bantam A fees are \$1389, which is \$66.14 per week. Total fees for the 4 weeks would be \$264.56. Joe is credited for ½ of the fees which totals \$132.28.
2. Sarah breaks her leg and is out for 6 weeks. She plays on the 10UA team. 10UA team fees are \$985, which is \$46.90 per week. Total fees for the 6 weeks would be \$281.40. Sarah is credited for ½ of the fees which totals \$140.70.
3. Mike sprains his ankle and is out for 3 weeks. Because he is out less than 4 weeks, he does not qualify for an injury credit.

The following steps must be performed for the request to be considered: The Player Injury Credit Request form must be completed. Missing or incomplete information will delay processing.

Fraudulent information may be cause for corrective action.

1. A copy of the doctor's note must be included with the form
2. Paperwork must be submitted after the return date has been established and signed off on by the head coach
3. Submit the completed paperwork to:

ERYHA  
Attn Registrar  
PO Box 193  
Elk River, MN 55330