

**ANSWERS TO “FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS”  
REGARDING RIAHA’s NEW “AA” INITIATIVE  
(INCLUDING TRYOUT DATES AND INFO!)**

- There will be two teams at each age level (except Bantams):
  - One comprised of players from the North, and the other with players from the South. Each Bantam team will be a combination of both.
- “North” will include: Burrillville, Woonsocket, NRI, Pawtucket and Providence;  
“South” will include: CLCF, West Bay, Edgewood, Warwick, SRI and Newport.
- Teams will consist of North and South at each of the following levels (except Bantams):
  - Mite Major North 2002/2003
  - Mite Major South 2002/2003
  - Squirt Minor North 2001
  - Squirt Minor South 2001
  - Squirt Major North 2000
  - Squirt Major South 2000
  - Pee Wee Minor North 1999
  - Pee Wee Minor South 1999
  - Pee Wee Major North 1998
  - Pee Wee Major South 1998
  
  - Bantam Minor 1997 (ONE TEAM NORTH/SOUTH COMBINED)
  - Bantam Major 1996 (ONE TEAM NORTH/SOUTH COMBINED)
- All these teams will play GAMES ONLY.
- All players on these AA teams will be required to play on an RIAHA state team at every level in 2010-2011. This will be mandatory.
- There will be a 15-20 game schedule, including two tournaments.
- In order to eliminate game conflicts, all AA games will be scheduled on Sunday afternoons, a time during which State league games will not be scheduled.
- The approximate cost is expected to be between \$300 and \$350. Once selected, all players will have until May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2010 to submit full payment as confirmation of a roster spot.
- Tryout dates/times are Saturday and Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> and will be held at Lynch Arena, Pawtucket, RI – SAME BOTH DAYS:
  - 9:00 am - 10:00 am 2002/2003
  - 10:10 am - 11:10 am 2001
  - 11:20am - 12:20 pm 2000
  - 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm 1996
  - 1:40 pm - 2:40 pm 1997
  - 2:50 pm - 3:50 pm 1999
  - 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm 1998

- The tryout fee will be \$25.00 (non-refundable) and will be collected on the day of tryouts (CASH or CHECK ONLY). There will be two tryouts at each level (by birth year, North & South combined). Although we recommend each player attend both, you must attend at least one to be considered for placement on one of the teams. The fee remains the same whether you participate in one or both sessions.
- Please fill out the registration form, print and bring to tryouts along with the tryout fee.
- Players who are not selected for one of the AAA Tier 1 teams must still participate in the AA tryout process.
- Each team will carry a maximum of 17 skaters and 2 goalies (no alternates).
- The league we will be playing in (Mite Major to Pee Wee Major) will consist of 5-7 teams at each level from Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.
- The two Bantam teams (one 1997, one 1996) will play in the Mass Select league.
- Home games for all RI teams will be played at various locations within the Rhode Island state league territory. Efforts will be made to accommodate the regional teams by their respective territories. Away games will obviously be played based on opponent location.

***Any questions not answered above can be directed to:  
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