



Dual Rostering Policy

Effective October 22, 2024

BC Hockey Policy and Hockey Canada Regulations allow and promote female players to dual roster on two teams. The dual rostering provisions of BC Hockey and Hockey Canada are intended to allow female players additional playing and practice time to support the development and growth of female players. Dual rostering must be managed by the WVMHA to integrate it into the broader minor hockey programs in the association. The implementation of dual rostering within WVMHA is up to the discretion of WVMHA board.

For players interested in dual rostering a Dual Roster Consent Form must be completed and submitted to the WVMHA female coordinator by September 20th each season.

All players who are dual rostered must declare a primary team and may not change their priority team without consent of the WVMHA Female Board Representative. The primary team's practices and league games will take precedence over the secondary team.

WVMHA players who are dual rostered must pay the full registration fee for their primary team and a \$75.00 registration fee for the secondary team. If a player plays any tournaments with both teams, tournament fees must be paid for both teams, and reimbursement will be granted for tournaments the player did not attend at the end of the season by the team treasurer as per the Team Budget and Tournament Reporting Policy.

Players dual rostering for the purpose of assisting teams will follow the AP policy.

No player will be denied a roster spot by virtue of another player being dual rostered.

Dual rostered players must follow the extra practice time policy of the WVMHA. Players can attend all practices with their primary team but may only practice with their secondary team in the week before they play a game(s) with that team.

Dual rostered players must consistently communicate their availability to coaches for both primary and secondary teams.

The scheduling of games and leagues cannot be built or adjusted to accommodate players playing on multiple teams.

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