



Under 11 - 18 Summer Hockey Information Pack 2018

Welcome to Term 4 (summer) at Footscray Hockey Club - we have a lot going on!

There are several options and opportunities for hockey in term 4:

- U11, U13, U15, U18 Pennant Hockey Victoria Indoor (at Vic Uni)
- U11, U15 Shield (at MSAC)
- Junior Indoor Club Championships
- Hockeyroos Clinic @ FHC Wed 17th October
- U10 Hockey 6's (at FHC) Wednesday evenings starts 24th Oct

Age qualification is calculated on the age of the participant at **31/12/2017**

Children can participate in both HV Indoor and Hockey 6's

We are looking for volunteers to be team managers/coaches. If you are interested, please email Caroline juniors@footscrayhockey.com.au

Hockeyroos Clinic @ FHC

Coaches Rachael Lynch (GK), Krissy Bates, Lily Brazel & Madi Ratcliffe
Open for boys and girls.

When: Wednesday 17th October 4.00 – 5.30pm (10-15 years) 5.30-6.30pm (16+) @ Footscray

Cost: \$20/field player. \$40/goal keeper

How to register? Send your child's name, age and position (field/GK) to lilykbrazel@gmail.com

Payment will be due 1 week before via bank transfer (and organised by the coaches).

Watch this space: Term 4 Development Sessions.

Likely to be Tuesday or Wednesday evenings but will confirm by asap

U13 – U18 Indoor Club Championships @ Monash Uni

We are also entering teams into the following Club Championships (where clubs from around Victoria have a round robin competition followed by final play-offs). It is a terrific weekend, and kids generally play 5-6 games over that time. Club fees for this are \$120.

Under 13 girls	17 th and 18 th November
Under 15 boys	1 st and 2 nd December
Under 15 girls	1 st and 2 nd December
Under 18 boys	8 th and 9 th December
Under 18 girls	8 th and 9 th December

Please let Caroline know if you are interested in playing one of these, or if you have any questions just send it to: juniors@footscrayhockey.com.au

U11 – U18’s Hockey Victoria Indoor Competition

Register your child by **Sunday 30th September** juniors@footscrayhockey.com.au

Child’s Name:

DOB:

Friendship Requests:

FHC Registration/Fees Link (\$100 - 8 rounds) Due 30th September

<https://footscrayhockeyclub.wufoo.eu/forms/z1hzah0l11ypq8z/>

HV Indoor Membership Link (\$10) Due 30th September

<http://membership.hockeyvictoria.org.au/Membership/Indoor-Players>

Games start the week of October 6th and finish by December 16th. There are no games on Melbourne Cup Weekend or during Melb Cup Week. You can play in more than one team, and there is no training.

At Victoria University (Footscray), season lasts 8 rounds (no finals):

Age group	Time		Club fees
Under 11 Mixed Pennant	Saturday	Afternoon	100.00
Under 13 Mixed Pennant	Saturday	Afternoon	100.00
Under 15 Mixed Pennant	Sunday	Afternoon	110.00
Under 18 Mixed Pennant	Thursday	Evening	110.00

At Melbourne Sports and Aquatic Centre (MSAC), Albert Park, season lasts 7 rounds + finals

Age group	Time		Club fees
Under 11 Mixed Shield	Saturday	Morning	100.00
Under 15 Girls Shield	Saturday	Morning (late)	110.00
Under 18 Mixed Shield	Monday	Evening	120.00

All players must wear a protective glove on their left hand, cloth strapping tape under the stick and each team needs a dedicated goal keeper (but this can be rotated). FHC uniform.

Indoor is fast-paced, and every player gets involved in the game- especially the GKs. We will be running a training/introduction session prior to the start of the season for all those that are interested in playing - likely the last weekend of school holidays.

Hockey Victoria Indoor – what is it all about?

Indoor Hockey is a version of hockey which is played indoors in a sports hall or similar hard flat surface.

- there are only six (or 5) players per team
- each team must have a goal keeper
- the playing area is much smaller
- the goals are slightly smaller
- the duration of a game is shorter
- the ball may only be pushed and not hit
- the ball may only be played along the ground except for a shot at goal which can be raised
- there are long corners
- Penalty Corners: defenders outside posts
- indoor hockey pitches have side-boards along both side-lines which keep the ball in play

HV is running some indoor development programs, more information can be found here:
<http://www.hockeyvictoria.org.au/NEWS/further-indoor-development-programs-launching>

There are also lots of indoor games on You Tube if you want to see what the fuss is all about!

OTHER INFORMATION

Junior Come n Try - Hockey 6's (4 – 12 years old)

FHC are holding 2 come and try nights for **NEW JUNIOR INTERESTED PLAYERS** to Footscray so please invite any children who you know are interested in giving hockey a go. We will teach them basic hockey skills and the rules. **(NOT FOR EXISTING MEMBERS)**

Wednesday 10th October 5.30pm – 6.30pm

Wednesday 17th October 5.30pm – 6.30pm

Come n Try Information come-and-try@footscrayhockey.com.au

Play Hockey 6's for Adults

There opportunities for adults to play J-Ball on a Thursday evening @ FHC.

Hockey Victoria have developed two brand new versions of hockey – J-Ball and Hockey Sixers – which are played on small fields (43m x 22m), with modified rules to suit anyone, whether a seasoned player or a beginner.

These formats of the game are perfect for adults who have never given hockey a go, or played a little previously or would like to play socially. All you need is a team, a pair of runners and comfortable clothes.

Come and Try Nights for Adults Wednesday 10th October 6 – 7pm

More information can be found on www.socialhockey.com.au or contact FHC's Hockey 6's Contact come-and-try@footscrayhockey.com.au for further inquiries

Links

FHC Website

www.footscrayhockey.com.au

FHC Facebook

www.web.facebook.com/footscrayhockeyclub

Junior Facebook Group

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/962920810505030/>