

Hockey Year 1-6 (Summer, 2023)

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

Registrations are now being taken for Year 1-6 Winter Hockey.

We welcome children new to the sport, as well as those experienced in Hockey.

Pinehurst Hockey teams will play against other school teams in a weekly competition on a Monday afterschool at North Harbour Hockey.

There are 3 Competitions:

- Year 5/6 Kiwi Sticks is for anyone in this year group. No experience is required.
- Year 3/4 Mini Sticks is an introductory module that is intended to familiarise players that are new to hockey or those who have completed the Yr. 1/2 Fun Sticks programme.
- Year 1/2 Fun Sticks which aims to give children the opportunity to play hockey in a fun, friendly, and inclusive environment. The objective is to introduce players to the game of hockey and to help them develop basic individual skills. There is maximum of 4 players plus one adult on 1/8 turf. There will be 13 minutes of basic skills training and then 13-minute game. An NHA coach will support each team coach during the 13 min skill training. A parent will need to be present for the game and actively involved in the skills training however NO hockey knowledge or experience is required by the team coach. The skill training element allows each child to learn basic skills to feel more confident during the game.

Game Location:	North Harbour Hockey Stadium (Bush Road, Albany)
Day:	Monday
Time:	(varies) between 4:00pm -6:00pm (approximately)
Dates:	8 games commencing Monday 16 th October to Monday 11 th December. (No play on Labour Day and the last game is during Pinehurst school holidays.)
Game Duration:	30 minutes
Uniform:	Attire - Pinehurst Navy PE shirt and shorts. Suitable sports footwear (sneakers / turf shoes) Hockey Stick (please contact Mrs Clark if you need to borrow a school one) Mouthguard Shin pads
Fees:	\$25
Team Manager:	Each team will require a parent coach/manager (no experience required) Please indicate your interest on the registration form
Registration:	Registrations close 3pm, Thursday 21st September. Click here to register <i>Late registrations only taken if where team numbers allow</i>

Kind Regards,

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