



Elite Council

Governing Elite Hockey for Hockey Calgary

Spring Tryouts – ID Camps

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Hockey Alberta recently announced a change to regulations permitting AAA and AA Teams to host full tryouts and/or ID Camps between April 1 and June 1.

- Camps can be open or invitation only
- Only players from the resident draw zone are permitted to participate
- Teams can 'Commit' to players for the 2025-26 season following these camps
- All players who have secured commitments must be shared publicly by August 1

The 4 Elite Clubs in Calgary have agreed to follow the same operating standards for the spring and fall tryouts:

- All Elite programs will operate Spring ID Camps for U15 and U18 (details of the U13AAA program were not available at the time of the decision, therefore there will not be ID camps for U13 AAA, all evaluations will take place in the fall for this level of play).
- All Elite programs will maintain 'Open Fall Tryouts' (beginning in late August).
- Elite programs will have the ability to commit players to their U15AAA teams, U17 AAA teams and the U18 AAA teams.
- 2nd Tryouts are not accessible in the spring
- Players who reside in one of the Calgary Draw zones and did not participate in a 'Sanctioned Program' in the 2024-25 season are eligible to participate in spring ID camps but must secure Hockey Canada insurance through Hockey Alberta prior to participation.

Details and registration for Spring ID camps will begin soon, please contact your resident association if you have any further questions.