



**HOCKEY EDUCATION PROGRAM**

## **2006-07 FAIR PLAY**

Fair Play is one component of the Minnesota Hockey's Hockey Education Program (HEP). For additional information on HEP and its other components go to [www.minnesotahockey.org](http://www.minnesotahockey.org). Fair Play holds all stakeholders in youth hockey accountable for their actions. Proper behavior is rewarded and improper behavior is penalized.

Fair Play will be implemented for all league games. Fair Play points will count in league standings and will be used to determine final league standings. Fair Play is an option for invitational tournaments this season.

A team will lose it's Fair Play point if total Fair Play equivalent PIM exceed the threshold established for the level of play, a coach is assessed a Game Misconduct or Match Penalty, or per Minnesota Hockey Conduct Rule XIV.C.2 a spectator is requested to leave the arena by an official.

<b>Performance</b>	<b>+</b>	<b>Fair Play</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>Winner in all Aspects</b>
Win = 2 pts		Earn add'l point		3 points
Tie = 1 point		by meeting		maximum earned
Loss = 0 points		Fair Play criteria		per game

To earn a Fair Play point:

- a team's PIM must not exceed Fair Play equivalent PIM threshold:
 

Squirts = 10 min	Girls 10U = 8 min
Pee Wees = 12 min	Girls 12U = 10 min
Bantams = 14 min	Girls 14U = 12 min
Youth 16U = 16 min	Girls 16U = 14 min
Jr. Gold = 16 min	Girls 19U = 14 min
- proper coaches conduct
- proper parent/fan conduct.

### HEP Fair Play PIM Equivalent Chart

<b>Penalty Classification</b>	<b>HEP Fair Play PIM Equivalent</b>
Minor or Bench Minor Penalty	2 minutes
Major Penalty	5 minutes
Check from behind (2 & 10)	12 minutes
Misconduct Penalty (10 min)	10 minutes
Mouthguard Misconduct	2 minutes
Game or Gross Misconduct Pen.	10 minutes
Match Penalty	10 minutes

HEP scorebooks are available - contact your district director. The game scorekeeper will total HEP PIM equivalents at end of game and circle on scoresheet whether each team earned their Fair Play point. Fair Play points will be reported through the normal league reporting process in each district/league.

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