

2024/25 Important Dates (SMHA version)

	Date	Note
Development Season	September to October 18th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Team announcements -U7 to U13 in Late September -U15 & U18 early October *Practice schedule only, no assigned Hockey Calgary games *Tournaments: opportunity for Teams to host in town, host out of town, travel to attend (no scheduling window required) or host SMHA assigned home tournament *All U11 SMHA teams will host a home tournament
Seeding Round	October 19th- November 17th	<p><u>NO SCHEDULE WINDOW</u>; teams will not be permitted to travel due to the shortening of the seeding round. Nor be allowed to host or attend in city tournaments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Seeding game schedule is released Oct 11th *Practice schedule released 72 hours later (for this entire period including Season Break)
Seasonal Break	November 18th - December 1st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *two week period off from Hockey Calgary game play *Practice schedule continues from above release date *Tournaments: opportunity for Teams to host in town, host out of town, travel to attend (no scheduling window required) or host SMHA assigned home tournament *All U13 SMHA teams will host a home tournaments
Regular Season	December 2nd - February 23rd	<p>Schedule window allowed <u>DEADLINE NOVEMBER 11th</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Regular game schedule is released Nov 20th; U7 games are now in this round *Practice schedule released 72 hours later (for this entire period including Winter break) *Tournaments: opportunity for Teams to travel for a tournament out of the city-<u>Scheduling window required</u>
Winter Break	December 23rd - January 2nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *week off from Hockey Calgary game play *Practice schedule continues *Tournaments: opportunity for Teams to host in town, host out of town, travel to attend (no scheduling window required) or host SMHA assigned home tournament *Game play resumes Jan 3rd
ESSO Minor Hockey Week	January 10th - 18th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Teams from U9 to U21 are scheduled in one of the largest Tournaments in North America *U9 only attends the first weekend *EMHW schedule released Dec 6th *Practice schedule is released 72 hours later and is threaded around a possible A Vs B prediction
City Championships	February 25th - March 19th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *City Championship schedule is released Feb 1st *Practice schedule is released 72 hours later and is threaded around a possible A Vs B prediction *No Travel is permitted *U9 are not involved in City Championships and are free to host or travel to tournaments (no scheduling window required) *All U9 SMHA teams will host a home tournament
SMHA Season End	March 20th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Teams can continue to Practice/play games but must secure their own practice
Provincials	<p>U13 & U15: March 20th - March 23rd</p> <p>U18: March 27th - March 30th * teams that qualify for provincials can secure practice ice via SMHA operations</p> <p>U21: March 28th - March 30th * teams that qualify for provincials can secure practice ice via SMHA operations</p>	