

CARLSBAD UNITED HOCKEY

2026–27 Season Plan
ADHSHL High School Hockey

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SEASON PLAN
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ABOUT THIS DOCUMENT

This Season Plan is provided to every player and family at the time of commitment. It outlines the complete 2026–27 season — practices, league games, and the Tournament & Team Events Package — all included in your seasonal fees. Please read carefully before signing your Player Agreement.

**All plans are a tentative guide subject to adjustment as schedules and rosters are finalized. Core program elements are fixed and will not change without notice.*

PROGRAM LEADERSHIP

NAME	ROLE
Christian Gerritts	Program Coordinator & Head Coach
Jenny Gehringer	Club Registrar
Kristine Gilman	Club Treasurer

SEASON AT A GLANCE

Home Rink	Ice Realm Carlsbad
Season Start	August 17, 2026
Season End	February 28, 2027
Season Length	24 weeks of programming
Teams	Varsity JV Junior High
League	ADHSHL — Anaheim Ducks High School Hockey League
League Website	www.adhshl.com

ELIGIBLE SCHOOLS & DISTRICTS

Players must attend or reside within the district of one of the following eligible schools to participate with Carlsbad United. Proof of residency is required at tryout check-in.

ELIGIBLE SCHOOLS & DISTRICTS	
Army and Navy Academy	San Dieguito High School Academy
Carlsbad Unified SD	Santa Fe Christian Schools
La Costa Canyon HS	Tri-City Christian Academy
Oceanside Unified SD	Vista Unified SD

**For smaller unrepresented school districts, please contact us for approval and waiver requests.*

TEAMS — 2026-27

The following teams will be fielded for the 2026–27 season. Roster spots are confirmed upon completion of your signed Player Agreement and deposit.

- **Varsity**
- **JV**
- **Junior High**

Roster: 13–20 skaters, 1–2 goalies per team.

**Dual roster players may be added at a slightly higher fee that includes games with both rosters until roster lock.*

ON-ICE PRACTICES

- Varsity & JV: 2 on-ice practices per week
- Junior High: TBA
- Off-ice programming may include strength & conditioning, team video, and team bonding, based on head coach's direction

LEAGUE GAMES

- Varsity & JV: approximately 18 league games per season — ADHSHL
- Junior High: TBA

All games are local within Southern California. Game rink locations available at www.adhshl.com.

TOURNAMENT & TEAM EVENTS — WHAT'S INCLUDED

All packaged events below are pre-planned and fixed. The Club registers teams directly in coordination with the head coach. These costs are included in your seasonal fees and will not be billed separately.

Varsity — Events Schedule

- Labor Day Tournament — Local/SoCal
- Thanksgiving Tournament — Local/SoCal
- MLK Weekend Tournament — Local/SoCal

JV — Events Schedule

- Labor Day Tournament — Local/SoCal
- Thanksgiving Tournament — Local/SoCal
- MLK Weekend Tournament — Local/SoCal

Junior High — Events Schedule

TBA

Season-End Banquet — All Teams

All teams — Varsity, JV, and Junior High — participate in a season-end banquet included in the Tournament & Team Events Package. Details will be communicated by team management during the season.

**Specific tournament selections may vary by local availability. The Club registers teams directly in coordination with the head coach. The scheduled tournament weekends are fixed.*

OPTIONAL TEAM ADD-ON EVENTS

From time to time, a coaching staff and team may wish to organize events beyond the fixed season package. These optional events are strictly voluntary and are NOT included in Club Membership Fees or the Tournament & Team Events Package. No player or family may be required to participate or pay.

1. All optional add-on events require prior written approval from the Program Director before any commitment is made.
2. Participation is strictly voluntary — never mandatory.
3. Costs are split evenly only among participating players and collected separately from club fees.
4. The head coach must maintain itemized accounting of all income and expenses, available to the Club Treasurer upon request.
5. A final accounting summary must be submitted to the Club Treasurer at season end to formally close out the account.
6. Any surplus funds must be returned to participating families or donated to the Quest Foundation — not carried over.

NOT INCLUDED IN SEASON FEES

7. Post-season playoff games, practices, and coaching fees — assessed if team advances
 8. Team uniforms and apparel (ordered separately)
 9. Player travel, lodging, and personal expenses to all events
 10. Optional team add-on events (see above)
 11. Private lessons or specialty clinics
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MANDATORY FUNDRAISER PARTICIPATION

Each team participates in two mandatory fundraisers during the season:

12. Player Fundraiser — Funds raised may be applied toward season fees and/or training programs, while also supporting the Quest Foundation (501c3).
13. Quest Foundation Fundraiser — Exclusively supports the Quest Foundation, dedicated to helping hockey families in financial need.

ADHSHL LEAGUE REGISTRATION

The ADHSHL will provide detailed information on how to register at www.adhshl.com. The following information is needed to complete player registration:

14. 2026–27 USA Hockey Membership Confirmation Number
15. Name of school the player attends
16. Grade the player is in
17. Carlsbad United Team Code: To be provided upon confirmation of league registration.

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Program Director: Christian Gerrits | Questions? Contact us through our website.