



**SPHC Player Fee Agreement
2026-2027 Season**

1. I acknowledge and agree that at the time of registration, an initial payment of \$700 will be charged. This initial payment consists of:
 - \$200 non-refundable tryout fee; and
 - \$500 commitment fee.
2. I acknowledge and agree that certain teams may require an additional \$100 Birth Year tryout fee. If applicable, this fee will be applied to my player's total season balance and is non-refundable under any circumstances.
3. I acknowledge and agree that the \$200 tryout fee is non-refundable under any circumstances.
4. I acknowledge and agree that if my player is offered a roster position on an SPHC team for the 2026–2027 season, I must decline the roster position in writing within 24 hours of the team being posted. Failure to decline in writing within 24 hours constitutes acceptance of the roster position and a binding financial commitment.
5. I acknowledge and agree that if I decline the roster position in writing within 24 hours of the team posting, the \$500 commitment fee portion of the initial payment will be refunded. The \$200 tryout fee remains non-refundable. If a Birth Year tryout fee was applied, that \$100 fee remains non-refundable. Accordingly, the total refund amount will be:
 - \$500 if no Birth Year tryout fee was applied; or
 - \$400 if a Birth Year tryout fee was applied.
6. I acknowledge and agree that if my player declines, vacates, withdraws from, transfers from, or requests release from the roster position at any time after the 24-hour acceptance period and on or before April 30, 2026, I will forfeit the tryout fee, commitment fee, and Birth Year tryout fee (if applicable), and will not owe any additional season fees.
7. I acknowledge and agree that if my player declines, vacates, withdraws from, transfers from, or requests release from the roster position between May 1, 2026 and May 31, 2026, I will forfeit the tryout fee, commitment fee, and Birth Year tryout fee (if applicable), and I will owe one-third (1/3) of the remaining season fee.

8. I acknowledge and agree that if my player declines, vacates, withdraws from, transfers from, or requests release from the roster position between June 1, 2026 and June 30, 2026, I will forfeit the tryout fee, commitment fee, and Birth Year tryout fee (if applicable), and I will owe two-thirds (2/3) of the remaining season fee.
9. I acknowledge and agree that if my player declines, vacates, withdraws from, transfers from, or requests release from the roster position between July 1, 2026 and July 31, 2026, or at any time thereafter, I will forfeit the tryout fee, commitment fee, and Birth Year tryout fee (if applicable), and I will owe the full remaining season fee.
10. I acknowledge and agree that “remaining season fee” means the total published season fee for the applicable team (including the skater or goalie rate), plus any applicable Birth Year tryout fee, minus any payments already made at the time of withdrawal.
11. I acknowledge and agree that monthly installment payments will be automatically charged according to the published payment schedule unless the season fee is paid in full in advance. Failure to make scheduled payments when due does not relieve me of my financial obligation under this Agreement.
12. I acknowledge and agree that financial obligations under this Agreement are not reduced or waived due to injury, illness, playing time, dissatisfaction with team placement, coaching decisions, suspension, voluntary withdrawal, or transfer to another organization.
13. I acknowledge and agree that if my player is not offered a roster position, the \$500 commitment fee portion of the initial payment will be refunded. The \$200 tryout fee remains non-refundable. If a Birth Year tryout fee was applied, that \$100 fee remains non-refundable. Accordingly, the total refund amount will be:
 - \$500 if no Birth Year tryout fee was applied; or
 - \$400 if a Birth Year tryout fee was applied.
14. I acknowledge and agree that by registering for tryouts and/or accepting a roster position—whether expressly or by failure to decline within 24 hours—I am entering into a binding financial agreement with SPHC for the 2026–2027 season.

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Be advised that participation in tryouts with the South Pittsburgh Rebellion does not guarantee placement on any associated team. Team selection is determined by a range of factors, including but not limited to skill level, performance during the tryout process, team requirements, and decisions made by coaching staffs, tryout evaluators, and the board of directors of the South Pittsburgh Rebellion.

While every effort is made to ensure a fair and unbiased evaluation process, and to provide as many placements as possible, it is essential to acknowledge that not all participants may be offered a team placement. The final decisions are made by the aforementioned personnel, and once determined are deemed final; there is no appeal process available for team placement decisions.

In conjunction with the standard fees including the general fee, tryout fee, and commitment fee, players may be required to contribute to a supplementary slush fund. This fund is intended to cover expenses related to tournaments, showcases, and associated team fees, which can vary between \$300 and \$800 depending on the age level and the number of scheduled events.

For teams participating at higher competitive levels and employing paid coaches, an additional coaches fee will be assessed. This fee typically ranges from \$500 to \$800 per player.

These additional fees are essential to sustain the team's operational costs and ensure participation in various competitive events. They are calculated based on the specific needs and commitments associated with each team's competitive program.

☐ I have reviewed the above Player Fee Agreement and agrees to follow.