



# Garden Hockey Club Youth Hockey Overview 2024-2025

	<b>Garden Wolves House Tier 3</b> <b>Learn to Play, 8U, 10U, 12U, 14U, 16U</b>	<b>Garden Wolves Adray Tier 3</b> <b>12U, 14U, 16U</b>	<b>Garden Wolves Travel Tier 2</b> <b>10U, 12U, 14U</b>
<i>Season</i>	18 - 20 weeks Mid October - March  2 Week Holiday Break	20 - 22 weeks October - March  2 week Holiday Break	30 weeks September 1 - March 19  If MAHA approves, the season could extend to late March
<i>Ice Time</i>	3 hours/week on the ice with age group  2 practices during the week & 1 practice or game on weekend* **  <i>*Additional games possible for 10U players wanting to join the Tournament Team</i> <i>**Additional games possible against Girls Teams for 8U-14U girls wanting to join She-Wolves</i>	3 hours/week on the ice with age group  2 practices during the week, 2 - 3 shared ice practices per month & 1 - 2 weekend games	1-2 days/week shared ice skills practice 1-2 days/week shared ice team practice 3-5 total practices/week  Games 1-3 days most weekends
<i>Ice Touches</i>	LTP & 8U**: 42 total ice touches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 32 practices</li> <li>• 10 games</li> </ul> 10U* ** - 12U**: 50 total ice touches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 36 practices</li> <li>• 14 games</li> </ul> 14U** - 16U: 50 total ice touches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 36 practices</li> <li>• 14 games</li> </ul> <i>*Additional ice touches possible for 10U players wanting to join the Tournament Team</i> <i>**Additional ice touches possible for 8U-14U girls wanting to join She-Wolves</i>	12U: 68-72 total ice touches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 48 practices</li> <li>• 20-24 games</li> </ul> 14U-16U: 68-72 total ice touches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 48 practices</li> <li>• 20-24 games</li> </ul>	10U : 105-120 total ice touches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 70-80 practices</li> <li>• 20-30 game days</li> <li>• LCAHL, Tournaments, Independent games</li> </ul> 12U : 105-120 total ice touches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 80-90 practices</li> <li>• 30-40 game days</li> <li>• LCAHL, Tournaments, Independent games</li> </ul> 14U : 120-130 total ice touches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 85-95 practices</li> <li>• 35-45 game days</li> <li>• LCAHL, Tournaments, Independent games</li> </ul>
<i># of Tournaments</i>	1 House league end of season tournament * **  <i>*2-3 additional tournaments possible for 10U players wanting to join the Tournament Team</i> <i>**Additional tournaments possible against Girls Teams for 8U-14U girls wanting to join She-Wolves</i>	2 tournaments, including Adray playoffs	2 - 3 away tournaments
<i>Amount of Travel</i>	Most games are played at the Garden.  Optional 1-2 games played within reasonable driving distance* **  <i>*Additional away games possible for 10U players wanting to join the Tournament Team</i> <i>**Additional away games possible against Girls Teams for 8U-14U girls wanting to join She-Wolves</i>	Half home, and half away games mostly west side of MI	Half of the games are at the Garden  Half the games played in Michigan, Indiana, and Northern Ohio  All tournaments REQUIRE hotel stays
<i>Approximate Cost</i>	\$475-700* ** depending on age group <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jersey included (to be returned at the end of the season)</li> </ul> <i>*Additional cost for 10U Tournament Team</i> <i>** Additional cost for She-Wolves</i>	\$1200-\$1400 depending on team size <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jersey included (to be returned at the end of the season)</li> <li>• Tournament cost included</li> </ul>	\$2300-\$2800 depending on the age group and the # of players <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• jerseys/warmups and other required team gear NOT included</li> <li>• Tournament cost included</li> </ul>
<i>Team Formation</i>	Open registration; all who register will be placed on a team	Open registration; all who register will be placed on a team	Tryouts Maximum roster  10U: 14 skaters, 2 goalies 12U: 14 skaters, 2 goalies 14U: 15 skaters, 2 goalies