

Montgomery Cheetahs Year 2 Vol. 18

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Web site: www.usahockey.com/montgomery_spe

Good Morning,

The deadline is looming. If you are interested in attending the USA Disabled Hockey festival April 4-6 in Marlborough, Mass., please email me with your name. The deadline to decide is this weekend. The team needs 10 players to commit. So far I have the following families expressing an interest: Simmons, Twombly, Kania, Rothstein, Astrove. If you would like to attend with the Cheetahs, please email me.

Thanks to those teammates who attended the MYHA practice last week. The Cheetahs conducted drills and played in a scrimmage that ended in a shootout with the MYHA 12- and 13-year old athletes. We've got two more practices like this one scheduled in January.

Additional announcements appear below. Thank you,

Practice runs from 12 noon to 1:10 pm on Saturday, December 15.

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I. Roster

Attached is an excel document with our team roster information. Please check this roster for your athlete's information. If there is something that needs to be added, email Cheetah mom Linda Harris at harrislinda@mac.com with the corrections/additions.

II. Pictures

Team and individual pictures will be taken during practice this Saturday.

III. Capitals Tickets

Cheetah athlete Scott Astrove rode the zamboni in between periods during Monday night's Capitals game. Way to go Scott! Athletes and mentors receive an Olie All-Stars t-shirt during the game. Want to join in on the fun? There are a few tickets remaining.

Please email me (kcthackston@hotmail.com) with your ticket request (game date and number of tickets) and I will pass them along to Steve. These will be given to those who

first request them. We are trying to include a mix of mentors and athletes for each game.

Games are held at the Verizon Center in Chinatown in Washington, DC
<http://capitals.nhl.com/team/app/?service=page&page=NHLPage&id=8845>

Date	Time	(tickets available)
Thursday 1/17	7pm	(6)

IV. Special Hockey in the News

Check out the American Special Hockey Association Web site: (www.americanspecialhockey.org) for the latest news on all things Special Hockey. The link below will take you to a story about a team in Connecticut.

http://www.americanspecialhockey.org/asha_7193_14662.html

V. Schedule

Practices are held at the ARC Rockville Ice Arena
50 Southlawn Court
Rockville, MD 20850
301-294-8101
(<http://www.rockvilleicearena.com>)

12/15/07 Saturday 12:00 pm to 1:10 pm
12/22/07 Saturday 12:00 pm to 1:05 pm
01/05/08 Saturday 12:00 pm to 1:10 pm
01/07/08 Monday 6:15 pm to 7:30 pm
01/10/08 Thursday 8:50 pm to 10:00 pm*
01/12/08 Saturday 12:00 pm to 1:10 pm
01/19/08 Saturday 12:00 pm to 1:10 pm
01/26/08 Saturday 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm
02/02/08 Saturday 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm
02/09/08 Saturday 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm
02/16/08 Saturday 1:10 pm to 2:20 pm
02/23/08 Saturday 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm
03/01/08 Saturday 8:45 am to 10:00 am
03/08/08 Saturday 8:00 am to 9:00 am

*This is a co-practice with an MYHA team at our usual rink, the Rockville Ice Arena

*** This is a co-practice with an MYHA team at the CABINJOHN ICE RINK in Potomac, MD.

VI. Contacts

Please visit our web site listed at the top of the page for contact info.