

## RI Sports Center, Inc.

# “Over 35” Adult Hockey League Rules

- *Any team or player that does not play according to these guidelines will be removed from the league without refund of payment.*
- If a game ends in a tie a **shootout** will proceed to determine a winner. It will be a 3 player shootout from each team (alternating shots), if no winner is determined it will proceed to a 1 player shootout until a winner is determined. All players must shoot once before any player is allowed to shoot twice.
- Players **must** be 35 years old before December 31 of this year. A player must have a picture ID available, if requested by the league. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of that game.
- Full equipment (including helmets) is required.
- Any player with three penalties in one game will automatically be out for the rest of the game.
- Any player involved in a fight will automatically sit out the remainder of the season. The game clock automatically runs during any fight or misconduct incident.
- Any player with a misconduct or intent to injure penalty may be subject to ejection from the league at the league’s discretion.
- Automatic icing at red line. No two line off-sides with red line. No slapshots (stick above the knee = whistle and face-off at opposite end of ice).
- In order for a player to be eligible for the play-offs, he must play in at least 1/2 of the regular season games (scorers discretion). No stacking teams for the play-offs will be allowed!
- If needed, the league reserves the right to run the clock in the last five minutes of a game if there is a five goal or more scoring difference, if the game is running late.
- Each team is required to wear a full set of jerseys.
- Alcohol is not permitted anywhere on the RI Sports Center property. Violators may be subject to ejection from the league at the leagues discretion.
- The league reserves the right to make any changes or add to these rules at any time in order to maintain a safe, fun and competitive league.
- **Any team that is late in payments to the league will be forced to forfeit each game and will not be allowed on the ice until payment is received in full.** The opposing team will receive a win from the forfeit and there will be no game rescheduled.