

Frequently Asked Questions:

How do I access my online account?

When you registered for hockey camp, you set up an online account with the Active Network's Camp and Class Manager (the company which handles your registration and payments). You created a user name (your email address) and a password (only known to you). Upon completing your registration process, you were sent a confirmation email with the link to that account. Below is also the link to that page. This is where you can update or manage your information (medical updates, roommate requests, make a payment etc..).

<https://campself.active.com/BGHockeySchool>

Note: You do not go to the BG Hockey School web site registration page to update or manage your account. You only go to the BGHS registration page when registering/signing up someone for a camp.

What Should I bring to camp if I am a resident camper?

The dorm we use is air conditioned (no need for a fan) and each room has a refrigerator. There are no linens, towels, blankets, pillows provided. The bathrooms are in a common area on each floor. There may be some weeks that the dorm being used has private bathrooms.

We recommend you bring a sheet to place on the mattress then use a sleeping bag on top of. You must also provide your own pillow. The following is a list of what to bring:

- Towels (for use in the shower and at the pool in the Rec Center)
- Blanket or sleeping bag
- Sheet(s)
- Pillow
- Soap, shampoo and toiletries

Each participant will be given a swipe card for their room. We will provide a lanyard so the card can be hung around the neck and not be lost.

You are allowed to bring drinks and snacks with you but we recommend not bringing too many. The days may be hot and it is important they drink a lot of fluids (preferably water or sports drinks) and limit the intake of unhealthy foods. Also, the more they have in their room, the more people will hang around wanting to eat their food.

Each evening, they will have the chance to order Gatorade and pizza by the slice. This comes out of their camp bank account.

Can I request a roommate?

Yes, you can. We will honor all roommate requests. When you register, you just need to list who you want to room with. There are two people to a room. For groups of more than two, we will put the rooms next to each other.

What if the group has an odd number?

It is important that in the notes section right below the roommate preference question on the application form, you put down everyone who is in the group. This way we know to keep the rooms next to each other. We will assign one person in the group to a single. This way they will be next to each other but not assigned a random roommate.

Can I add or change a roommate after I initially sign up?

Yes you can. You just go back into your household account (see first FAQ above) and update the information. We normally do the rooming list about 10 days before the camp starts.

What is the camp bank and how does it work:

Campers are encouraged to check spending money into the camp bank. You will do this at the time of registration. Checks and cash are accepted. From your bank account you can buy snacks, tape, drinks and get your skates sharpened. Also, rock climbing and other activities at the Recreation and Wellness Center will be taken out of the camp bank. Campers will be informed by the middle of the week the week of their balance. Parents will receive the balance remaining in the account at the end of the week. There will be a \$3.50 service charge for the camp bank which will be deducted from your beginning balance.

The main question we get asked is How much should I leave in the account? The average amount spent during the week is around \$40. We do not recommend putting more than \$75 in the account.

What clothing should I bring?

The following is a recommended list of what clothes (non-hockey equipment) to bring to camp:

- Socks, underwear and t shirts for the number of days they will be at camp
- Running shoes
- Slippers and/or flip flops to wear in the dorm and bathrooms
- Sweat shirt (the dorm is air conditioned and sometimes the weather can be cool outside)
- Pajamas or sweat pants to wear at night
- Shorts (one pair for each day)
- At least one pair of long pants in case the weather is cooler than normal
- A light jacket (if it is cool in the evening)
- Swim Suit

There is a washer and dryer in the dorm that can be used in an emergency situation. the Dorm Director would be the one responsible for overseeing this.

Can I bring or use electronic devices and cell Phones:

Campers are allowed to have cell phones but they must keep them in the dorm room at all times. They are only allowed to use them in the evening when the group returns to the dorm.

We would prefer the campers not have a cell phone. If they do not have one, they can use one of the Dorm Director's starting on the second evening of camp (normally Tuesday evening) to call home.

Small electronic devices such as cell phones are allowed but they must be left in the room during the day. Other devices such as Laptops, TV's, refrigerators, gaming consoles are not allowed. The BG Hockey School is not responsible for any devices that are stolen or misplaced while at camp.

Because this is a camp which involves a lot of social interaction we would prefer the campers have as few devices as possible. However, we do realize that some devices are helpful in young people being able to fall asleep and this is the routine they are used to at bed time.

Hockey Equipment:

Players need to bring all their own hockey equipment. They will leave the equipment in the locker rooms for the entire week. They will not have to carry it back and forth from the dorm. We recommend that you bring extra undergarments such as T shirts, underwear, socks etc... since they will be on the ice up to 3 times per day.

Day Campers can also leave their equipment in the locker rooms for the week.