



What to Expect after Tryouts:

- You will receive an email following tryouts on Wednesday 7/31, extending a position on a travel team, an alternate on a travel team, or an invitation to join our in-house programs.
- Follow the directions in the offer email within 48 hours of the time it was sent in order to accept your position.
- Once you accept an offer, Pittsburgh Elite will send you further instructions on the next steps including a Meet&Greet event in August, the first official practice, athlete and parent contracts, and enrollment paperwork.

Cost & Fundraising:

- Specific team costs are on the reverse of this handout.
- All athletes on Elite, Premier, or Regional teams are expected to participate in two fundraisers. Sales exceeding the amount below will be credited in part toward the athlete's tuition.

- Night at the Races - sell 2 tickets at \$30 each
- Calendar lotto - sell 4 calendars at \$30 each

Other fundraising opportunities include:

- Aramark - help sell concessions at major sporting events and concerts
- Volunteer with Pittsburgh Elite at home events
- Pittsburgh Pierogies Truck
- Serve-A-Thon
- For families with demonstrated financial need, financial assistance may be available.

Team Composition:

- Two coaches per team at practices and select competitions.
- 9 to 10 athletes per team

Practices:

- Practices in Pittsburgh Elite's own facility with multiple age and skill comparable teams.
- Qualified Director and Lead Coaches overseeing day-to-day practices and training, in addition to your team's own dedicated staff.
- Strength and conditioning training by Dan Knorr (BB Sports Performance) and qualified staff.
- No team practice on the day that immediately follows a competition/tournament.

Tournaments and Travel:

- Travel tournaments requiring an overnight stay as part of registration at a qualifying hotel booked through a specific travel group are listed as *Stay to Play* on your team's webpage. You must fulfill this obligation to be eligible to compete in the tournament.
- Tournaments noted as having *team block* hotels do not require you to fulfill a specific hotel obligation.
- Some tournaments are single day and nearby and do not require any hotel stay. You are welcome to stay overnight if you so choose.

Included in Season Tuition	Not Included
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adidas Uniform package • Required fundraiser participation • Practice costs (Dec-May) • Strength and conditioning (Dec-April) • HUDL package (17B) • Building use fee and staff costs • Team registrations and insurance • Tournament registrations • Staff tournament travel and lodging • Postseason costs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • KRVA membership • AAU membership • Athlete/Family travel, lodging, meals • Additional items ordered through the online Team Store

	17 BLACK	16 BLACK	16 GOLD	15 BLACK	15 Regional (GOLD, SILVER)
Season Basics					
Season runs:	December - May	December - May	December - May	December - May	December - May
First practice:	Mon 12/2	Mon 12/2	Mon 12/2	Mon 12/2	Mon 12/2
Practice days:	Mon, Wed, Sat	Mon, Wed, Sat	Mon, Wed, Sat	Mon, Wed, Sat	Mon, Wed, Sat
S&C days:	Sat (during practice)	Sat (during practice)	Sat (during practice)	Sat (during practice)	Sat (during practice)
Practice hours:	120+ hours	120+ hours	120+ hours	120+ hours	120+ hours
Regular Season Competitions					
Competitions:	7 tournaments	7 tournaments	7 tournaments	7 tournaments	7 tournaments
Example Schedule: <i>*qualifier</i>	1/18-1/19 Frozen Lake Festival 2/1-2/2 Nike Steel City Freeze TBD Single day event 3/16 SRU-Spring Break Slam 4/18-4/20 NEQ 3 5/3-5/4 OVA Championships 5/24-5/26 ECC	1/18-1/19 Frozen Lake Festival 2/1-2/2 Nike Steel City Freeze TBD Single day event 3/16 SRU-Spring Break Slam 4/18-4/20 NEQ 3 5/3-5/4 OVA Championships 5/24-5/26 ECC	1/18-1/19 Frozen Lake Festival 2/1-2/2 Nike Steel City Freeze TBD Single day event TBD Single day event 4/5-4/6 2025 April Fools Fallout 5/3-5/4 OVA Championships 5/24-5/26 ECC	1/18-1/19 Frozen Lake Festival 2/1-2/2 Nike Steel City Freeze TBD Single day event TBD Single day event 4/18-4/20 NEQ 3 5/3-5/4 OVA Championships 5/24-5/26 ECC	1/18-1/19 Frozen Lake Festival 2/1-2/2 Nike Steel City Freeze TBD Single day event TBD Single day event 4/5-4/6 2025 April Fools Fallout 5/3-5/4 OVA Championships 5/24-5/26 ECC
Cost					
Regular Season:	Tuition: \$3,400	Tuition: \$3,400	Tuition: \$3,000	Tuition: \$3,400	Tuition: \$3,000
Travel:	Athlete travel, lodging, and meals not included	Athlete travel, lodging, and meals not included	Athlete travel, lodging, and meals not included	Athlete travel, lodging, and meals not included	Athlete travel, lodging, and meals not included
Fundraisers:	Total: \$180 Calendars: 4 at \$30 each NATR: 4 tickets at \$30 each	Total: \$180 Calendars: 4 at \$30 each NATR: 4 tickets at \$30 each	Total: \$180 Calendars: 4 at \$30 each NATR: 4 tickets at \$30 each	Total: \$180 Calendars: 4 at \$30 each NATR: 4 tickets at \$30 each	Total: \$180 Calendars: 4 at \$30 each NATR: 4 tickets at \$30 each
Membership:	KRVA/USAV: \$55	KRVA/USAV: \$55	KRVA/USAV: \$55	KRVA/USAV: \$55	KRVA/USAV: \$55
Payment Options					
Regular Season:	\$1,020 deposit due upon accepting offer (Aug) \$1,190 due 2/7/25 \$1,190 due 3/7/25	\$1,020 deposit due upon accepting offer (Aug) \$1,190 due 2/7/25 \$1,190 due 3/7/25	\$900 deposit due upon accepting offer (Aug) \$1,050 due 2/7/25 \$1,050 due 3/7/25	\$1,020 deposit due upon accepting offer (Aug) \$1,190 due 2/7/25 \$1,190 due 3/7/25	\$900 deposit due upon accepting offer (Aug) \$1,050 due 2/7/25 \$1,050 due 3/7/25
Please contact us to make other payment arrangements. See financial assistance information on the website. Competition schedule provided is an example only and subject to change.					

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