



**2026 USA Hockey Pacific District Player Development Camp Information
City National Arena - Las Vegas, Nevada
May 14-17, 2026**

On behalf of the Pacific District and USA Hockey, we would like to congratulate your son on being selected to participate in the USA Hockey Pacific District Player Development Camp. This camp serves as both a selection process and an excellent exposure opportunity, as a highly competitive event, with evaluators and scouts from the NAHL, USHL, NTDP, Collegiate Hockey, and the NHL. While furthering your player's development, our expectation is for all players to bring a high compete level, striving to be selected to move on to USA Hockey's National Festival Camps later this summer. Below is some basic information to answer any questions you may have.

Airport Information

Players are responsible for their air travel and ground transportation while attending camp. McCarran International Airport serves all airlines, so travel in and out of Las Vegas is easy. No USA Hockey personnel will be at the airport to provide assistance.

Camp Registration

Goaltenders should arrive on Thursday, May 14 in time to check in at City National Arena at 3:00 pm for a Goaltending Skate at 4:00 pm. Players can check in between 4:00 and 6:00 pm, also at City National Arena.

At registration, all participants will receive team information/ schedule, credentials, jerseys, socks, and camp swag. **Credentials are to be worn by participants at all times during the camp.** The camp staff would also ask that players not bring valuable items into the rink during the camp. Players are responsible for their valuable items so please keep them in a secure location.

Players need to be sure to allow sufficient time to travel to/from City National Arena throughout the weekend, ensuring they are timely for all their scheduled events and keeping continuity with their warm-up and routines. Additionally, this allows them to be a cordial and present teammate.

On Sunday, May 17th the camp will conclude mid-afternoon; players can schedule their ground transportation to McCarran and flights home accordingly.

Opening Night Event

On Thursday, May 14th the Pacific District will host an Opening Night Event from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm with more details to come.

Camp Apparel

Camp Apparel will be for sale throughout the weekend. We will be set up at City National Arena, as well as at the Opening Night Event.

Hotel Accommodations - Walking Distance to City National Arena

The Pacific District has partnered with the Red Rock Casino Resort & Spa for this event, and players attending the camp who live outside a 100 mile radius of Las Vegas are expected to stay at this hotel. Below is the address and online link to make your reservation.

Red Rock Casino Resort & Spa
11011 W. Charleston Blvd.
Las Vegas, Nevada, 89135
<https://book.passkey.com/e/51037725>

Parents please note – the hotel property requires a person 21 or older for all hotel reservations/check-in. An unaccompanied minor will NOT be allowed to check-in and stay at the Red Rock. Room types available under the Camp rate are Double Queen based on a two-person room occupancy.

At a Glance:

Inspired by the natural beauty of the neighboring mountains, Red Rock Casino Resort & Spa pays homage to the elegant mid-century modern resorts that made Las Vegas famous. The design is classic, cool Las Vegas, reinvented for the 21st century. A recipient of the AAA Four Diamond Award since opening and named one of the world's best new hotels by Conde Nast Traveler magazine, Red Rock redefines casino resort architecture by incorporating natural light, a convenient lay out and the comforts of a modern lifestyle, making for the perfect Las Vegas hotel rooms & Las Vegas suites.

Meals:

Players will be on their own for food and drink Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. Please stay hydrated throughout the week as temperatures in the Las Vegas area could exceed 90 degrees outside.

Ice Facilities:

City National Arena
Home of the Las Vegas Golden Knights
1500 S. Pavilion Center Drive
Las Vegas, NV 89135
<https://www.citynationalarena.com>
Telephone: (702) 902-4904

At A Glance:

City National Arena is the practice facility and team headquarters of the Vegas Golden Knights of the National Hockey League. City National Arena opened on

September 18, 2017, and is located in the Summerlin suburb of Las Vegas, Nevada. It contains the headquarters for the team, a team store and MacKenzie River Pizza Grill & Pub restaurant among other features. The arena is also the home arena for the UNLV Rebels hockey program, the Las Vegas Cavalry of the Mountain West Hockey League, and the Junior Golden Knights. The Vegas Silver Knights of the American Hockey League are out of America First Center in Henderson, Nevada

Camp Fee:

To cover costs of evaluators, college & junior coaches, camp staff, ice time, banquet, medical support, the USA Hockey Pacific District provides a non-profit atmosphere at a reasonable cost to camp participants. **Player fees are required to be paid in full at the time of registration.** *If you are not registered and paid in full, the Pacific District reserves the right to select participants on the Pacific District's alternate list of candidates or as recommended by USA Hockey's National Staff.*

Daily Routine:

Players can expect to be at the arena for multiple hours throughout a day. The staff would recommend players plan accordingly with their families to plan meals, sleep, and logistics to/from City National Arena. The proximity of the Red Rock Casino Resort & Spa to the arena will allow for players to return to the hotel should they have a sufficient break in activities.

What to Bring:

- Required USA Hockey Equipment (including mouthpiece and neck guard)
- Extra Hockey Sticks - Pro Shop available at ice arena for skate sharpening
- Dry Land Gear - including running shoes
- Toiletries - including sunscreen and towel to keep for City National Arena
- Extra Cash for snacks, energy drinks, or food delivery

Summary:

We look forward to providing a great opportunity for the elite level players in the Pacific District. Our expectations are high for both on & off ice competition. This is an opportunity for our Pacific District Players to showcase their talent and competitive attitude in front of a robust group of hockey coaches from all levels. We expect a professional atmosphere from our players and staff as this opportunity is for serious athletes that wish to take their game to a higher level. Best of luck and we look forward to seeing you in Las Vegas.

“I get better when the pressure is higher.” – Matthew Tkachuk

Question is, do you?