



2026-2027 Billet Family Application

Thank you for your interest in housing a Watertown Shamrocks player! Please complete this form below so we can ensure the best possible fit for every billet family/player match. All information will be kept confidential.

If you have any questions, please contact our Billet Coordinator Jenni Wirkus at 605-880-8097 or by email at

billet@watertownshamrocks.com

Primary Contact

First & Last Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Cell phone: _____ Alternate phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Secondary Contact

First & Last Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Cell phone: _____ Alternate phone: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Other Members Living at Home

Name: _____ Age: _____ Gender: _____

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Does anyone other than your family live in your home with you? Yes _____ No _____

*If yes, please explain: _____

*If yes, please provide their name: _____

Cell number: _____

Family Pets

Do you have indoor animals? Yes _____ No _____

If yes*, what type of animals and how many? _____

Other

Why are you interested in becoming a billet family?

Please list family hobbies and activities:

Describe your family's religious denomination or affiliation. How often do you attend? Special practices?

Have you ever hosted an exchange student or player before? Yes _____ No _____

What are your household work schedules? Does it involve travel?

Please list any household rules which you would expect your player to abide by.

What household chores do you expect your player to be responsible for?

Does anyone in the house smoke? If so, where do they smoke (Inside, Outside, Garage)?

Does anyone in the house drink alcohol? If so, how often?

Will you notify the billet coordinator or coach if there are any concerns with your player(s) or if the player(s) is/are involved with drinking, drugs, or violating crime? Yes _____ No _____

Do you have internet access at your home? Yes _____ No _____

Describe the accommodations that will be available for a player.

Do you have a private bedroom and clothing storage available? Yes _____ No _____

Do you have private bathrooms that are available? _____

What local high school would a player who lived in your house attend?

Does your family have sit down meals? Yes _____ No _____

If yes*, how often and at what times?

Would you be interested in housing a season-long Intern (female or male)? _____

How many players are you interested in housing? _____

Do you understand that the player(s) could be traded to another team? Yes _____ No _____

If yes*, would you be interested in housing another player? Yes _____ No _____

USA Hockey requires background checks to be conducted. Would you object to having a background check on you and adult members of your family? Yes _____ No _____

Would you be opposed to having an in-home visit/interview with the Billet Coordinator and/or Coach?

Yes _____ No _____

Please Initial

_____ I consent to having a criminal background check run on myself and all adult members of my family.

_____ I consent to having periodic mid-season home inspections.

_____ I consent to receiving periodic player bed-check calls near curfew.

_____ I hereby consent to adhere to all policies and procedures set forth by the Watertown Shamrocks.

Watertown Shamrocks players report to Watertown in late August and will remain until the end of the season, which could extend into May. Players provide their own transportation and cell phones. The team asks its billet families to provide a separate bedroom for the player(s). The bedroom must be furnished in a manner consistent with a college dormitory room (bed, desk, chair, and internet availability). Players are expected to uphold all house rules, follow team curfew, keep a clean room and do their own laundry. Meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner) are to be eaten with the host family unless other arrangements have been made for the day between the player and the family. Please be aware that many players have a large food requirement due to the physical demands of junior hockey and require a healthy and clean diet. Billet families are compensated for \$450 per player per month (or \$15 per player per day) to assist with grocery expenses as well as two "premium" season tickets or flex pack of 60 single game tickets. Billet families will enjoy the freedom of being able to temporarily leave town during the season, providing arrangements have been made in advance with the Watertown Shamrocks organization.

Primary Signature:

Secondary Signature (if applicable):
