



The California Titans are proud members of the California Amateur Hockey Association (CAHA) and the North American Prospects Hockey League (PHL). The Titans Tier 1 program was established in 2006, to provide Tier 1 hockey in the North Los Angeles and Ventura Counties. The Titans are the Tier I and Tier II programs of the Ventura Mariners Hockey Association, which is one of the longest tenured operating youth hockey associations in California (more than 25 years). Together the Titans/Mariners consistently field thirteen to fourteen youth travel ice hockey teams per season, ranging from Mites to Midget 18's, at the Tier 1, Tier 2, A, and B levels; and forms the second largest membership in Southern California.



Titans Commitment

Create, maintain and develop an elite Tier hockey program that houses the most committed hockey players both on and off the ice; to develop the "total" hockey player by providing quality coaching and a healthy and positive hockey environment; and maintain a reputation of excellence in the developing the hockey player.

Keeping in mind the previously stated Mission and the overall goals of the California Titans Hockey Club, the program must be an educational program for players, parents, and coaching officials. The process of adding, refining and deleting will shape the Titans as those involved strive to meet the highest standards and the highest level of play. Our program is practical and effective in meeting the program's philosophy and objectives. The main underlying fact that will guide our program is almost without exception our staff. To create a competitive environment that pushes athletes to the highest level; to put together a product both on and off the ice that will become the only place a player wants to play; and to develop, expose, and advance our players to the next level of hockey.

The Titans offer the opportunity to play for a nationally recognized program in a fully scouted league with other dedicated athletes and highly qualified coaches. The Titans put player development and advancement at the top of our priorities. We offer a practice and game schedule that will allow you, as a player, to continue in your improvement and regularly showcase your abilities for top Junior A and College hockey programs.

- Expose players and team personnel to local, national and international high-level hockey.
- Expose players and team personnel to competitive events that stimulate each individual to succeed within in a high performance environment.
- Teach and expose players in creating a career plan to meet all players' needs both in life and in the game of hockey.
- Teach and persist in the discipline of maintaining the highest standard of academic achievement.

Home Rink

Iceoplex
131 W. Easy Street
Simi Valley, CA 93065

Website

www.californiatitans.com

California Titans

2011-2012 Tier II Program

Midget 18AA
Midget 16AA
Bantam AA



"If Junior or College hockey is your goal, the Titans can help you achieve it through a committed organization, superior coaching, outstanding on and off-ice training, and clear no nonsense career guidance."

Coaching Staff

Barry Bartholomay - 16AA

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Barry Bartholomay has over thirty years of hockey experience, including over 15 years of coaching at all levels and divisions within youth hockey. He was born and raised in North Dakota where he played his youth hockey in the North Dakota Amateur Hockey Association.

Barry has gone on to coach youth hockey in North Dakota, Alaska and California. Barry is currently a Major Junior A scout for the Kamloops Blazers of the Western States Hockey League. The list of players Barry has coached who are playing at Prep School, Major Juniors, Junior A and Division 1 College continues to grow.

Barry is married and has three children.



Eddie Doty- Bantam AA

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Eddie has successfully coached both boys and girls youth hockey for the past 13 years at all levels from A/B to AAA. His teams have brought home several Championships and advanced to playoffs within their respective divisions consistently.

As a Certified Personal Fitness Trainer, Eddie knows the importance of developing the muscular fitness and maintaining the nutritional requirements for the rigors of an ice hockey season. He has been the off-ice conditioning coach for the Mariners for the past 10 years. He knows how to develop specialized programs for both young players and adolescents necessary to facilitate toughness, both physically and mentally.

Eddie is known for his disciplined, structured approach in coaching. He is focused on helping players reach their goals of advancing within the sport of hockey, as well as, personal responsibility and growth.

Program Costs - Tier II (AA)

Within the Tier II (AA) Division there are (3) sets of fees – Club Dues, Team Dues, and a Tax-deductible donation to the Titans/Mariners Scholarship Fund.

Club Dues - \$3495 per player

Fee includes:

- Approx. 35-40 games (20 SCAHA, 12-24 "CAHA weekend" games)
- 3- On-ice team practices weekly
- 1- group skills clinic weekly
- Off-ice conditioning training at the Titans on-site weight training facility with your team coach
- Coaching/ Team skill development and strategies
- Use of Iceoplex locker rooms and facility

AA Team Dues - \$1000-\$1400 per player

Note: *Team dues are estimates only* as CAHA weekends and tournament locations vary team to team and each team may roster up to 20 players.

Included estimated expenses are:

- 3-6 CAHA Tournament Weekends
- 2 "local" driving distance tournaments (which may include Phoenix and/or San Jose)
- 1 "fly-away" tournament

Not included – post-season tournaments/ playoffs, additional tournaments, player travel expenses, and apparel.

Mariners/Titans Scholarship Fund - \$60 per player

All players are required to purchase (2) 50/50 raffle tickets at \$30 each. The winner will be drawn at the first 18AAA home game, with 50% of the proceeds benefiting the scholarship fund.

All Mariners/Titans players are eligible to apply for a "need based" partial scholarship. Support for these scholarships come from a variety of club fundraisers.

Tier II (AA) Tryout Schedule

Friday, June 10, 2011 - Sunday, June 12, 2011
(See website for times and online registration)

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Coaching Staff

Chris Gkeivelopoulos – 18AA Co-Head Coach

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Chris grew up in Montreal, Canada where he played youth hockey. An all around athlete, Chris also played baseball, football, soccer and basketball at the highest levels. However, his passion has always been hockey. Chris started coaching in Montreal at Delta Laval where he coached for 5 years before his work took him to Maryland. There, he got involved with the Montgomery Youth Hockey Association (MYHA) where he coached for 6 seasons.

Last year, Chris was the head coach of the 18AA Titans and the assistant coach for the PeeWee A team. He also co-ran the weekly skills clinics for all travel levels the Titans/Mariners organization. Chris has a Level 4 advanced coaching certification by U.S.A. hockey. His beliefs are simple. Teamwork and discipline make for a successful hockey team. Having coached at every level from pre-mite to midget, Chris is constantly studying the changing trends in the game. Skill development remains a top priority on every team he's ever coached. Chris is married with two children that play for the Titans/Mariners.

Mike Thompson – 18AA Co-Head Coach

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Mike has been coaching youth hockey for nearly eleven seasons, beginning as an in-house Mite and Squirt coach and progressing to a seasoned travel hockey coach. Mike believes that individual skill development and attention to basic fundamentals is essential at all levels of youth hockey. By reinforcing fundamentals and skill development inside a team concept, his players will improve their individual skill and understanding of the game, resulting in a fun and rewarding hockey experience.

During his time as an in-house coach, Mike's teams have won several championships and tournaments. In the 2003-04 season, Mike served as an assistant coach for the North Valley Tigers Squirt BB team that made the SCAHA playoffs. In the 2004-05 season, Mike served as an assistant coach for the Valencia Express Squirt teams that made the SCAHA playoffs. In the 2005-06 season, Mike served as an assistant coach for the Channel Islands Riptide Bantam A team that made the SCAHA playoffs. In the 2006-07 season, Mike served as the Mariner Pee Wee A Head Coach. In 2007-08, Mike coached the Mariner Bantam A team into the SCAHA playoffs.

Mike is married and has two sons playing hockey.