

VALLEY FORGE MINUTEMEN

MIDGET MAJOR TIER 1 – AAA

BIRTH YEARS 1992 - 94

HEAD COACH: ROBERT LEWIS: rklewis@mac.com

*The Cost Effective option for Elite High School aged hockey players **LOOKING FOR:***

- Quality Coaching
- Skill Development and Advancement
- Quality Exposure *minus* “extensive travel and expenses”
- Balance between Club and High School schedules
- Value

Team Goal: Be the most competitive team in the Atlantic District and advance to Nationals.

Midget Major Team Structure:

- 3-4 Quality Midget Major AAA Showcase Tournaments
- Spring Skills (April 29 – June 24)
- August Team Mini Camp
- Strength & Conditioning @ Speed Elite
- 2 Practices per week (winter)
- AYHL league schedule
- Competitive Non League Exhibition Schedule
- Estimated 40 Game Schedule
- We Encourage players to play High School Hockey

2008 USA HOCKEY NATIONAL BRONZE MEDAL WINNERS

TEAM FEE: \$ 3,300.00

Coach Lewis' Bio and Philosophy:

- Jr. Flyers Head Coach 1998 Birth Year. 2008-2010
 - Won the Warrior National Showcase Tournament 2008-2009
 - Made the AYHL League Playoffs placing 4th
- Jr. Flyers Head Coach 1996 Birth Year 2009-2010
- Jr. Flyers Head Coach 1994 Birth Year 2006-2009
 - Won bid to Silver Stick Nationals 2006-2007
 - Won AYHL League Playoffs 2007-2008
 - Won 5 Tier I Elite Tournaments including the Little Caesars/Victory Honda Showcase in Detroit.
 - Placed Second in The AYHL League and District 2008-2009
- Jr. Flyers Head Coach 1991 Birth Year 2005-2006
- Valley Forge Minutemen Head Coach 1993 Birth Year 2003-2005
- Valley Forge Minutemen Asst. Coach Jr. B 2003-2005
- Dallas Ice Hawks Mites-Midgets 1995-2002
 - 2 State Championships
- Current USA Hockey coaching level: Master
- Played Pro hockey with Columbus Chill (ECHL), Dallas Freeze & Fort Worth Fire (CHL) and the Fresno Falcons (WCHL). Played youth Hockey in Detroit with Little Caesars, Redford Royals and Compuware. Drafted into the NAHL, Jr. “A” league by Compuware.
- Have job experience as the following: Director of Hockey Operations 7 years. Head Coach Youth Hockey teams 17 yrs. HST hockey School Owner 15 yrs. Director of Rink Operations 5 yrs.

Coaching Philosophy: I will guide and train each of my players to Play Hard, Play to Win and Play to Have Fun. I put my players first as we work together to develop the character and skills of the game. My goal is to afford each individual the best learning & the best information so that they can succeed as an individual and teammate as long as the play competitive hockey. We will learn as a team the speed, agility, concepts and attitude of a winning hockey player.