

Portland Trail Blazers – NBA Basketball

Known throughout the league for their ardent hometown support, the Portland Trail Blazers moved into the Rose Garden arena in 1995. The arena has a basketball seating capacity of 20,580. Season runs mid-October through June.

Rose Quarter, One Center Court, Suite 200, Portland, OR 97232; 503.234.9291; www.nba.com/blazers

Portland Beavers – Baseball

The name was resurrected in 2001 for a brand new Triple-A baseball team. Members of the Pacific Coast League, the Portland Beavers are an affiliate of the San Diego Padres. The Beavers play in historic PGE Park (formerly Civic Stadium).

PGE Park, Southwest 18th Avenue at Morrison Street, Portland, OR 97204; 503.553.5400; www.pgepark.com/beavers

Portland Winter Hawks – Hockey

The Winter Hawks are one of the most successful teams in the Western Hockey League, having earned six division titles. The team also won the Memorial Cup in 1983. The Winter Hawks' success is evidenced by the number of players who have gone on to play in the National Hockey League, including four-time All-Star Cam Neely. The Winter Hawks' season runs October through March. Games are played in both the Memorial Coliseum and the Rose Garden arena.

P.O. Box 3009, Portland, OR 97208; 503.238.6366; www.winterhawks.com

Portland Timbers – Soccer

The Portland Timbers are an expansion franchise of the United Soccer Leagues' A-League. The return of the Portland Timbers in 2001 marked the first time in nearly 10 years that men's professional soccer was played at PGE Park (formerly Civic Stadium). The Timbers' 28-game regular season kicks off in early May and runs through late August, culminating with an exciting A-League championship game in mid October.

PGE Park, Southwest 18th Avenue at Morrison Street, Portland, OR 97204; 503.553.5400; www.pgepark.com/timbers

Portland International Raceway (PIR)

Home of the famous "Festival Curves," PIR has more than 500 events each year, including the Champ Car World Series event during the Portland Rose Festival in June.

West Delta Park, 1940 N. Victory Blvd., Portland, OR 97217; 503.823.7223; www.portlandraceway.com