

Coaldale Minor Hockey Association

PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

All players must sign and return this document to their coach or manager before Oct 5th, to be permitted to play hockey.

I will:

- Respect and adhere to the ideals, policies, and rules determined by Hockey Canada, Hockey Alberta, CAHL, CMHA and my team.
- Respect the rules of the game, opponents, officials and their decisions.
- Maintain self-control at all times.
- Treat everyone fairly regardless of gender, place of origin, colour, sexual orientation, religion, political belief or economic status.
- Respect other athlete's dignity; I acknowledge that verbal or physical behaviors that constitute harassment or abuse are totally unacceptable.
- Refrain from participating in or condoning any actions involving hazing or inappropriate behavior that degrades, demeans or segregates certain players from the team
- Never advocate or condone the use of alcohol, mind altering drugs or other banned performance enhancing substances.
- Consistently display high personal standards and project a favorable image of hockey.
- Refrain from public criticism of athletes, coaches or officials.
- Refrain from the use of profane, insulting, harassing or otherwise offensive language towards teammates, coaches, officials or opponents
- Attend as many games and practices as reasonably possible.
- Participate in a manner that ensures the safety of athletes, coaches and officials also participating in the game.
- Be present before games and practices in a timely manner.
- Notify the coach/manager ahead of time if I will be absent.
- Respect the facilities and other user groups, either home or away, in which I'm privileged to play.
- Refrain from recording audio or video using personal devices within dressing room areas.
- Exhibit a high degree of sportsmanship, teamwork and positive attitude at all times when representing my team and the Association.
- Uphold the rules of the sport, the spirit of such rules and encourage other athletes to do the same.
- Show respect for the decisions, judgment and authority of the officials and timekeepers.

- Treat opponents and officials with due respect both in victory and defeat. Encourage other athletes to act accordingly.
- Direct comments or criticism at the performance rather than the individual.
- Accept the capabilities of other players.
- Accept defeat gracefully love the game above the prize.

I have read and understand this Code of Conduct and agree to abide by the principles and acknowledge that breach of this Code of Conduct will be subject to review by the CMHA Discipline Committee and players face possible disciplinary action including suspension and/or being removed from CMHA entirely.

PRINT:			
NAME			

DATE_____

SIGNATURE:		
PARENT		

TEAM ______