

CODE OF CONDUCT

For Coaches, Managers, Parents & Supporters

- Insist that children play within the rules.
- Respect and acknowledge children's efforts, regardless of whether they have won or lost.
- Encourage children in their efforts and skill development in hockey.
- Be a positive role model. Never shout at or ridicule players or officials.
- Support and applaud the efforts of children in both teams.
- Respect the decisions of officials and coaches.
- Show appreciation to people who volunteer their time to the game of hockey.
- Ensure children understand their responsibility to the team. For example, to attend training regularly and to inform coaches in advance if they cannot attend training or a game.
- Make an effort to understand the rules of hockey.
- Ensure the correct use of safety equipment, particularly mouth guard and shin pads.
- Treat children as children and not little adults.
- Remember that children play Junior Hockey primarily for their benefit rather than yours.

For Player's

- Play to the best of your ability.
- Recognise the efforts of your team mates and opponents.
- Remember to thank your coach, umpires, the opposition and supporters.
- Learn the rules of hockey and play by the rules.
- Respect and accept the decisions of umpires and coaches.