



## PLAYER'S CODE OF CONDUCT

The intention of this code of conduct is to promote fair play and respect for all participants within SMHA. All players must sign this contract stating that they will observe the principles of the Fair Play Code before being allowed to participate in hockey.

- I will play hockey for Fun, because I want to, not because others or coaches want me to.
- I will play by the rules of hockey and in the spirit of the game.
- I will control my temper - fighting or "mouthing off" can spoil the activity of everyone.
- I will respect my teammates and opponents.
- I will do my best to always be a true team player.
- I will acknowledge all good plays and performances - those of my team and my opponents.
- I will be mentally prepared for practices and games, be thinking and understanding of the game, to always ask questions if I do not understand.
- I will ensure I have all of my equipment for practices and games and it is ready for use. This is for my own protection and safety.
- I will leave the locker room in better condition than when I entered. I will not interrupt or speak while my coach is addressing the team prior to or after practices and games.
- I will remember that coaches and officials are there to help me. I will accept their decisions and show them respect.
- I will observe the rules of BC Hockey such as the Zero Tolerance of alcohol and banned substances, which include but are not limited to, tobacco, chewing tobacco, E-Cigs, vaping and marijuana.
- I understand that comments or remarks of an inappropriate nature on social media platforms, group chats/texts, email or in person, which are detrimental to my team, other teams, the association or an individual will not be tolerated and will be subject to disciplinary action.
- I know that if I break this Fair Play Code, I will be subject to governing bodies' disciplinary procedures.

I agree to abide by the principles of the FAIR PLAY CODE as set by Hockey Canada and supported by SMHA. I also agree to abide by the rules, regulations and decisions as set by SMHA.

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM: \_\_\_\_\_

PLAYERS NAME PRINT: \_\_\_\_\_

PLAYERS SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENTS SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_