

# HIGHLAND STORM CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PLAYERS, PARENTS AND TEAM OFFICIALS

**Agreement:** It is the intention of this pledge to promote proper behaviour and respect for all participants within the Association. All players, parents and team officials will have to sign this pledge before being allowed to participate in this hockey season and must continue to observe the principles of FAIR PLAY throughout the course of the season.

## Players Code of Conduct:

- 1) I will be a good sport and applaud all good play for my team and the opposing team.
- 2) I will control my temper and remember that verbal abuse of officials or other players, and deliberately distracting or picking on opponents will not be tolerated.
- 3) I will value safety, fair play and set an example for my team.
- 4) I will represent Highland Storm Minor Hockey with pride.

## Parents Code of Conduct:

- 1) I will be a positive role model to my child by showing respect to the coaching staff, game officials and other players and parents and will encourage my child to play by the rules.
- 2) I will never ridicule or yell at my child, or anyone else's child for making a mistake.
- 3) I will remember that children learn by example. I will applaud good play and performances by both my child's team and their opponents.
- 4) I will support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from Highland Storm games and other games I am attending.
- 5) I will respect and show appreciation for the volunteers who donate their personal time for the benefit of my child.
- 6) I will not use the social media to cause any harassment towards other members of the HSMHA.

## Team Officials Code of Conduct:

- 1) I will make every effort to consistently display high personal standards in regards to the sport of hockey and coaching.
- 2) I will refrain from the use of profanity, insulting, harassing or otherwise offensive language while in the duty as a team official.
- 3) I will treat opponents and officials with due respect in victory and defeat and encourage athletes to act accordingly.
- 4) I will not come to the arena under the influence of alcohol or illegal substances.
- 5) I will actively encourage athletes to uphold the rules of their sport and the spirit of such rules.
- 6) I will follow the Team Officials Guidelines set out by the HSMHA executive and will ask for assistance when needed.

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Player Signature

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Parent Signature

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Team Officials Name

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