

WETASKIWIN MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

R.E.S.P.E.C.T **Code of Conduct**

COACHES PLEDGE

It is the intention of this pledge to promote proper behaviour and respect for all participants within the Association. **"All coaches" must sign this pledge** before being allowed to participate in hockey and must continue to observe the principles of Fair Play.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR COACHES

1. I will be reasonable when scheduling games and practices remembering that young athletes have other interests and obligations.
2. I will teach my athletes to play fairly and to respect the rules, officials, opponents and teammates.
3. I will ensure that all athletes receive equal instruction, discipline, support and appropriate fair playing time.
4. I will not ridicule or yell at my athletes for making mistakes or for performing poorly. I will remember that children play to have fun and must be encouraged to have confidence in themselves.
5. I will make sure that equipment and facilities are safe and match the athletes age, size and abilities.
6. I will remember that children need a coach they can respect. I will be generous with praise and set a good example.
7. I will obtain proper training and continue to upgrade my coaching skills.

I agree to abide by the principles of this CODE as set and supported by Wetaskiwin Minor Hockey Association.

I also agree to abide by the rules, regulations and decisions as set forth by this Association.

COACHES NAME:

PRINT:

SIGNATURE:

Team Name:

DATE:
