

# *Fair Play Code*

*... for PARENTS*



I will not force my child to participate in hockey.



I will remember that my child plays hockey for his or her enjoyment, not mine.



I will encourage my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence.



I will teach my child that doing one's best is as important as winning, so that my child will never feel defeated by the outcome of a game / event.



I will make my child feel like a winner every time by offering praise for competing fairly and trying hard.



I will never ridicule or yell at my child for making a mistake or losing a competition.



I will remember that children learn best by example. I will applaud good plays / performances by both my child's team and their opponents.



I will never question the official's judgement or honesty in public.



I will support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from children's hockey activities.



I will respect and show appreciation for the volunteer coaches who give their time to provide hockey experiences for my child.

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_