

Please forward this form to the MVHA Secretary within 7 days of team selection



Manning Valley Hockey Association Inc

Code of Conduct

THE FOLLOWING CODE OF CONDUCT HAS BEEN GUIDED BY THE AUSTRALIAN SPORTS COMMISSION. EVERY PLAYER REPRESENTING THE MANNING VALLEY HOCKEY ASSOCIATION MUST ABIDE BY THIS CODE.

As a member of a Manning Valley Hockey Association Representative Team I will observe the following code of conduct:

- Play by the rules.
- Never argue with an official. If I disagree, have your captain, coach or manager approach the official during a break or after the competition.
- Control my temper. Verbal abuse of officials and sledging of other players, deliberately distracting or provoking an opponent are not acceptable or permitted behaviours in any sports.
- Work equally hard for myself and my team. My team's performance will benefit, and so will I.
- Be a good sport. Applaud all good plays whether they are made by my team or the opposition.
- Treat all participants in my sport as I like to be treated. Do not bully or take unfair advantage of another competitor.
- Cooperate with my Coach, Manager, team-mates and opponents. Without them there would be no competition.
- Participate for my own enjoyment and benefit, not just to please parents and coaches
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion
- Not keep hours which will detract from my own and team performance.
- Whilst representing MVHA take part in social activities only that are organised or approved by my Team Manager.
- Be responsibly aware that you are representing your family, your club, your association, your home town or city.

I understand that breaches of this Code of Conduct will jeopardise my position in the team and result in my being prohibited from participation in the Championships and possibly result in formal MVHA Judiciary Procedures against me.

I understand I will be liable for any costs associated with damage caused, (for example, to other people's or organisations property).

Players signature: _____ Name: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Name: _____

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