

Missoula Area Youth Hockey Association

Parent Code of Conduct



I/we, the parents/guardians of a registered MAYHA player, I understand that:

- It is a privilege, not a right, for my/our child to play youth hockey.
- Sportsmanship and fair play are essential to the sport of hockey and are important skills that our children learn from youth hockey.
- Our children learn from our example, and we as parents need to exemplify the highest level of sportsmanship by supporting all players, coaches, team managers, referees and parents.

Therefore, I understand and agree that I/we WILL:

- Encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, fans, volunteers and referees at every game. This includes the use of social media before, during and after the game. If filming/streaming a game, any commentary shall be in-line with MAYHA's Core Values and the Parent Code of Conduct, Responsibilities and Rights.
- Abide by the 24-hour rule which states "For any issues of frustration or anger regarding playing time, position, coaching, or officiating, a 24-hour wait time is required prior to approaching the coach or administrative official".
- Respect and adhere to all rules and Codes of Conduct of MAYHA, MAHA and USA Hockey.
- Abide by MAYHA's Safe Sport and locker room policies.
- Express any concern through proper channels in a respectful manner.

I/we will NOT:

- Use abuse behavior towards anyone involved in youth hockey or rink operations.
- Create a public display of anger toward coaches, players, and/or spectators in any arena or via e-mail, social media, letter, and/or phone calls to the team.
- Drink alcohol, use marijuana, smoke/chew tobacco, vape or use any illegal substance at the rink or around players.

If I/we cannot abide by these rules or violate any of them, I will be subject to disciplinary action as outlined in the MAYHA Guidebook.

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

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Parent(s) Name (Printed): _____