



UWAHC 2015 Codes of Conduct

- **Junior Players Commitment:**
- I will play hockey to enjoy the game, to have fun, and work hard to improve my skills, listening to my coach both during training and at games and accepting their instructions.
- I will always try my hardest, in games and at practice and strive to be a positive influence on my team, both on and off the field.
- I will never argue with the umpire or the opposition, treating them with respect, and will behave in a sporting manner at all times. My language and actions, on and off the field, will reflect respect and sportsmanship. I won't react to comments from spectators.
- I will attend all games that I can, always be on time, wear the Club uniform with pride and support the Club, both my own team and other teams.

- **Signature:** _____

- **Commitment from the Club to Parents;**
- The Club will place your child in a team suited to their skill level, as assessed by the Club. For players up to and including year 5/6 we will endeavour to put your child in a team with some friends.
- The Club will make every effort to manage the relationship with Hockey WA to ensure your child's team is placed in a competitive grade.
- The Club will ensure your child gets fair time on the field over the season.
- The Club will operate a disputes procedure to help you resolve issues quickly and fairly.

- **Commitments from Parents to the Club;**
- Parents will support the Club administrators and coaches.
- Parents will manage any inappropriate behaviour from their children and respond to requests from the team Manager if this occurs in the Parents' absence.
- Parents will encourage their child's whole team, and respect Coaches, Managers, Coordinators, Umpires, opposition team and supporters.
- One Parent from each family will volunteer for the jobs in the Junior Club each year (eg. Running the Club BBQ, helping to organise ball girls/boys for senior games, coordinating team social activities, helping at Bunbury etc) and every 2 or 3 years one Parent commits to taking on a formal role in the Club (coach, coordinator, Manager, umpire mentor, coaches assistant).
- Parents will discuss, in private, any issues or concerns with the person responsible for resolving the issue before they escalate through age group coordinators and the disputes procedure.
- Game day coaching responsibilities lie solely with the team coach. Parents should support their child, the team and the coach and not interrupt coaching discussions.

- **Signature:** _____