



**ROSEMOUNT AREA HOCKEY ASSOCIATION
PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT | 2025 - 2026**

We expect all players to exemplify the highest ideals of sportsmanship (which includes respect, responsibility, fairness, & good citizenship) on-and-off the ice.

1. I agree to conduct myself in a respectable manner while on-and-off the ice during practices, scrimmages, games, and team activities by:

- a. **Respecting my coaches** – I will follow my coach’s rules and leadership, and attend all practices, games and off-ice training sessions within my power.
- b. **Respecting my opponents** – including my opponent’s players, coaches, parents, & spectators.
- c. **Respecting all officials and their decisions** - even if I disagree with a call, I will refrain from verbal disagreements or gestures that imply the same.
- d. **Respecting the game of hockey** – I will play by the rules and never attempt to deliberately injure another player.
- e. **Respecting the building** – I will treat all aspects of the ice arena, business, hotel or other locations with respect; this includes everything from the moment I step onto a property to the moment I leave.

2. I agree to maintain a positive attitude and help achieve our team goals and a successful season, I agree to:

- a. Refrain from using profanity and making derogatory remarks towards others.
- b. Pay attention and follow instructions given by coaches without complaint.
- c. Respect all equipment we use and facilities we play in.
- d. Do things at home to better my game - shoot pucks, stickhandle, watch hockey, etc.
- e. Not intimidate, threaten, make fun of, or disrespect my teammates, referees, and coaches neither on-nor-off the ice (including on social media).
- f. Be modest in victory and gracious in defeat.

Consequences for violating the rules are compounding and subject to the discretion of the Discipline Committee and/or the Board:

1. **First Offense** – results in a meeting between the coach and player and a possible suspension of player for a time to be determined by the team’s coaches.
2. **Second Offense** – results in a meeting between the coach, player and player’s parents and guardians, and a mandatory suspension of ½ of the player’s next game or scrimmage.
3. **Third Offense** – results in an additional meeting between the coach, player and player’s parents and guardians, an additional mandatory suspension to be determined by the Discipline Committee and/or the Board, and the player’s possible removal from the team.
4. **Compounding Offenses** – repeat or multiple violations may be compounding and result in additional consequences as determined by Discipline Committee and/or the Board.

All coaches are to notify the President after a player’s second offense.

I agree to abide by RAHA’s Player Code of Conduct:

PRINTED NAME

TEAM NAME

SIGNATURE

DATE

Coaches have the right to add additional player/team rules, which will be shared at the start of the season.