



### **Parent Code of Conduct - 2025**

MWFHA does not tolerate any disrespectful, abusive or bullying behaviour, whether physical, emotional or sexual, by any participant in any of its programs.

Upon registration of your player(s), you have agreed to the following MWFHA Parent Code of Conduct.

- I will maintain my self control at all times.
- I will remember that my child plays hockey for her enjoyment, not mine.
- I will encourage my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflict without resorting to hostility or violence.
- I will never ridicule or yell at my child for making a mistake or losing a game.
- I will respect, show appreciation for, and give the benefit of the doubt to the volunteer coaches who give their time to coach my child. I will communicate with them in good faith and, where necessary, support their decisions.
- I will not embarrass my child or myself by yelling at players, coaches or officials. By showing a positive attitude toward the game and all its participants, my child will learn, model and benefit.
- I will applaud a good effort in victory and in defeat and enforce the positive points of the game.
- I will make sure that my child's equipment is safe, matches their size and ability and is properly maintained.
- I will respect the officials' decisions.
- I will show respect for my team's opponents, because without them there would be no game.
- I will respect the facilities and the rink staff.
- I will not conduct myself in a disrespectful manner. Disrespectful is defined as action or words deemed rude, unpleasant, inappropriate, or unprofessional and found to be offensive to others.
- I will not conduct myself in a way that would be deemed a travesty to the game by using profane or threatening abusive language, gestures or actions towards any



person. Such actions may also be described as verbal or physical taunts or gestures that intend to humiliate, demean, belittle, cause offense to or harm the reputation of the person or group targeted.

- Should I have a complaint about something, I will utilize the MWFHA Complaint Resolution Policy
- I will cooperate and not obstruct MWFHA should an incident take place and the Complaint Resolution Policy be utilized. This will be for the betterment of the Association, its players and the spirit of the game.