

**HYAA MISSION STATEMENT**

***“To encourage and develop the character, discipline, teamwork, athletic fundamentals, and academic achievement of Hooksett youth. In order to broaden their awareness and experience in the future of athletic, scholastic and social endeavors.”***

**In cooperation with; parents, volunteers, local schools, local government and the business community HYAA will strive to accomplish this mission by –**

- Providing access to multiple sports while encouraging and empowering, parents and children to choose to play multiple sports throughout the year
  - Encouraging children of school age (K-12 grade) to participate in these programs regardless of physical ability, ethnic background or financial resources
  - Demonstrating and promoting, through encouragement and praise, the concepts of; team participation, competitiveness and fair play, respect for all, by players, coaches, officials, family and fans alike
- Promoting a positive sports experience that provides children a sense of belonging, self esteem and physical well being
- Promoting the availability, maintenance and construction of suitable and safe playing facilities
  - Seeking the necessary funding as a non profit organization to accomplish these objectives