



**CANTON/AKRON HOCKEY ASSOCIATION  
PARENTS CODE OF CONDUCT**

1. I will recognize the importance of volunteer coaches. They are important to the development of my child and the sport of ice hockey.
2. I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, and officials at every game, practice, or other association event.
3. I will place the emotional and physical well being of my and any child, ahead of any personal desire I have to win.
4. I will try to know and study the rules of hockey.
5. I will provide support for coaches and officials working with my child to provide a positive, enjoyable experience for all.
6. I will emphasize skill development and how it will help my child. I will de-emphasize games and competition in the lower age groups.
7. I will demand a drug and alcohol-free sports environment for my child.
8. I will remember that the game is for the children and not for the adults.
9. I will do my very best to make hockey fun for my child.
10. I will ask my child to treat other players, coaches, fans, and officials with respect regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability.
11. I will never enter the playing surface at any time unless requested to do so.
12. I will not enter the dressing room 15 minutes before or after each game or practice without the coach's permission.
13. I will never confront in anger a coach, official, player, spectator, or league official before, during, or after a game. Wait 24 hours to cool down and then have the discussion.
14. I will at no time call or contact an official to dispute any infraction of any game.
15. I will never use objectionable language or behavior that is detrimental to the game of the association, especially when playing out of town.
16. I will require that my child's coach be trained in the responsibilities of being a youth hockey coach.
17. I will encourage my child to play by the rules of hockey, and applaud good plays of both teams.
18. I will strive to get my child to every on ice and off ice team event including all games, practices, skills sessions, home and away tournament functions.

**ALL** members of the Canton Akron Hockey Association, players, parents, managers, coaches, and booster club members, are expected to exhibit good behavior such as sportsmanship, team values, common human decency, and to generally uphold the principles and objectives of Center Ice Sports Complex, CAHA, the CSHL, and USA Hockey. Any person associated with Canton Akron Hockey is expected to exhibit behavior as described above and is subject to disciplinary action up to and including suspension or expulsion from the association at the sole discretion of the Director of Ice Hockey.

**I have read and agree to abide by the above Code of Conduct.**

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Parent's Name (please print)

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Parent's Signature

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Date

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