



**Spirit River Minor Hockey Association
Positive Participation Program
Appendix B - Player Code of Conduct**

Membership in SRMHA is not a right - it is a privilege. Members must abide by the Bylaws, Policies and Procedures, and their behavior is expected to mirror the spirit of this code. All players must sign this form before being allowed to participate in SRMHA.

- I will respect and adhere to all ideals, policies and rules determined by the C.H.A., the A.A.H.A., the Spirit River Minor Hockey Association, the League in which the Association operates and my Coaches.
- I will play hockey because I want to not because others want me to.
- I will attend all games and practices on time or contact the coach ahead of time.
- I will respect the arena facilities and staff, either home or away, in which I am privileged to play. I will behave myself at all times in all public places, including hotel rooms and restaurants, etc., during minor hockey events. I will leave a positive impression of SRMHA.
- I will exhibit a high degree of sportsmanship, respect for others, teamwork and self control at all times when representing my team and the SRMHA.
- I will refrain from using foul language towards team-mates, coaches, officials and opponents.
- I will control temper - fighting and mouthing off will not be tolerated.
- I will respect the decisions, judgments and authority of the officials and coaches. I will remember that coaches and officials are there to help me.
- I will listen to my coach's instructions.
- I will show respect for the feelings and abilities of my team-mates and opponents.
- I will not be critical of team mates and never discuss their abilities except to encourage good team play.
- I will remember that winning isn't everything - that having fun, improving skills, making friends, and doing my best are also important.
- I will ensure that my equipment is complete, safe and in good condition.

Love the game above the prize!

SRMHA may suspend or expel any team, member of team or parent refusing to accept and abide by the Code of Conduct.