

## **Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct**

Ringette BC is committed to providing its members with a safe and positive environment in which all individuals are treated with respect. All Spectators are expected to conduct themselves appropriately, and in a fair and responsible manner at all times. Ringette BC will uphold all language contained in the British Columbia Universal Code of Conduct (BC UCC). A copy of the code is hosted here.

I,\_\_\_\_\_\_ as a parent/guardian of a registered Ringette player participating in Ringette in the Province of BC agree to the following:

- 1. I will remember that the game is for fun and the game is for the players.
- 2. I (and my guests) will be a positive role model for my child and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect, courtesy and positive support to all athletes, coaches, officials and spectators at games and practices.
- 3. I (and my guests) will not engage in any king of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, athlete, parent or other spectator. Action include booing, taunting or using profane language or gestures.
- 4. I will not encourage any behaviors or practices that would endanger the health and mental well-being of the athletes, officials, coaches or other spectators.
- 5. I will ensure that I treat all players, coaches, officials and spectators with respect regardless of a person's culture, color, ancestry, nationality, age, political beliefs, religion, family status, physical or mental disability, gender or sexual orientation.
- 6. I will not ridicule or yell at my child, other athletes, officials or coaches for making a mistake or losing a game.
- 7. I will promote the emotional and physical well-being of the players ahead of any personal desire I have for my child to win.
- 8. I will respect the officials and their authority during games and will never question, discuss or confront officials and/or coaches during or immediately following a game. I (and my guests) will never enter the field of play.
- 9. I will arrange through the Team Manager for a meeting with the Coach(es) at an agreed upon time and place, after an initial 24 hour cool down period.
- 10. I will ensure a sports environment for my child that is free of drugs and alcohol and, I will refrain from the use of them at events.
- 11. I will follow all team policies related to social media and will adhere to the Ringette BC social media guidelines and policies.
- 12. I will adhere to all COVID-19 protocols, guidelines, restrictions and best practices.

Parent/Guardian Signature		
Athlete	Date	