

Springfield Kings Youth Hockey Association

Player Code of Conduct

I _____, acknowledge that I am now a part of the Springfield Kings Youth Hockey Organizations as an ice hockey player. With this acknowledgement, I make a pledge to adhere to the follow "Code of Conduct" expected from all Springfield Kings Ice Hockey Players. I promise to:

- Have fun playing the game of ice hockey.
- Refrain from any use of alcohol, illegal drugs and tobacco products while a member of the Springfield Kings Youth Hockey Association.
- Respect all coaches, they are volunteers with my development as a Hockey Player and a young adult in mind. Disrespect toward any coach associated with the SYHA WILL NOT BE TOLERATED
- Treat every player on my team with the highest level of respect. (Teams operate with a high level of trust between its members. The foundation of trust is built with respect. Respect one another. Treat each other accordingly.) Disrespect, abuse or violence directed at any player associated with the SYHA WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.
- Treat every Official on the ice and off, with the highest level of respect, profanity or any act of aggression towards an official WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.
- Treat every Parent, Guardian or Spectator with the highest level of respect, profanity or any act of aggression towards any Parent, Guardian or Spectator WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.
- Play by the rules of the game, at all times, without deviation.
- Commit to attend every scheduled practice, unless excused by my HEAD COACH.
- Maintain my attitude in a positive manner at all times. Any other approach than a positive attitude could rapidly degrade the integrity of my team.
- Refrain from profanity, vulgarity or offensive language, without exception. It is not needed nor will it be tolerated.
- Refrain from any behavior, whether it be individual or collective, which may reasonably be construed as offensive.
- Respect the Facilities and Equipment of my own organization, and that of other organizations.
- Not use information technology to make or post inappropriate comments against players, clubs, club officials, or the League which is discriminatory or offensive. Information technology includes, but is not limited to, email, instant messaging, text messages, phone messages, digital images, website postings (including social media such as Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat, Instagram and blogs etc. etc.).

Acknowledging the guidelines set forth above but not limited to, I will conduct myself in a manner that is not only becoming of an athlete that plays within the SYHA's organization, but I will bear in mind that my conduct is a direct reflection of the Springfield Kings organization on and off the ice, at home and away.

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I have read, understand, and agree to the player's code of conduct that the SYHA has put forth.

Athlete Signature: _____

Athlete Printed Name: _____