

Monument Hockey Club

Parent Code of Conduct

2025-2026



This Code of Conduct identifies the expected behavior standards of all Monument Hockey Club members. The Monument Hockey Club aims to ensure a respectful sport environment for all.

Members of the Monument Hockey Club shall conduct themselves at all times in a fair and responsible manner. Members shall refrain from comments or behaviors that are disrespectful, offensive, abusive, racist, or sexist. The Club will not tolerate harassing or abusive behavior.

- I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials and opposing players, coaches and teams.
- I will communicate only POSITIVE comments during games/practices/team events to Referees, Players, Coaches, Managers and other parents.
- I will emphasize good sportsmanship, playing by the rules, and improving practice skills. I will never force my child to play or verbally/physically abuse my child at practice or post-game.
- I will provide support for coaches, trainers and officials who are working with my child to provide a positive, enjoyable experience for all.
- I will not approach the trainers or coaches with an impending issue before; during or after a training and/or practice session and games.
- I will not coach any player or interfere with any coaching activities during the training/practice sessions or games; this includes telling any player what to do when they have the puck (pass, shoot, etc.)
- I agree not to criticize Monument Hockey Club coaches and organization in a public forum or on social media.
- I understand that profanity, swearing, or abusive language is NOT tolerated at events or in communication with coaches, referees, or officials. I will NOT boo or taunt officials, opponents or other fans. I will refrain from questioning or hassling officials during or post-game. I will allow coaches to handle all officiating matters.
- I understand that fighting will NOT be tolerated.
- I understand at Pee wee and above, league policy prohibits parents in locker rooms except for SafeSport trained monitors.
- I am also responsible for the behavior of any guest that I may bring to any team activity.
- I will also encourage my player to first discuss any concerns with the Coach. Conflict resolution is an important learned skill, and parents should provide player support necessary to resolve their own issues particularly to discuss playing time, systems, or issues with a teammate.

24 Hour Rule-Conflict Resolution

If a conflict emerges between the parent/player and a coaching staff member of our team, the opposing team, or an official at any time:

- I will allow a minimum of 24 hours between parent/player and coach contact. This allows time for emotions to calm down. I will first contact the Team Manager either verbally or in writing, during reasonable hours (9am to 9pm) to facilitate a meeting with the Coach, if desired. I will NEVER contact another organization directly about player/parent behavior.
 - If I am NOT satisfied with results, a joint meeting with the Head Coach and player may be scheduled.
 - If no resolution, a meeting with the Coach and Hockey Director may be scheduled.

Parents or Guardians registering their players with Monument Hockey Club agree to the above Parent Code of Conduct and understand that failure to uphold any of these statements may result in disciplinary action by the Coaches or Hockey Operations Committee which may include, but is not limited to verbal warning, corrective action meeting, letter of counseling, parent/player suspension or dismissal, monetary sanctions and/or the forfeiture of the opportunity to attend and watch my/our child participate in any training, practice sessions, game, tournament, or any other Club function or event.

Mother/Guardian Name: _____ **Signature:** _____

Father/Guardian Name: _____ **Signature:** _____

Player's name: _____ **Date:** _____