

Photographic Device Policy

District 10 strictly prohibits the possession and/or use of cell phones and/or any type of <u>photographic device(s)</u> in locker rooms. Effective with the start of the 2019-2020 Hockey Season, use of phones, cameras or any device that has the ability to take pictures or videos in a locker room <u>is prohibited</u>.

Any **player**(s), **locker room monitor**(s), **coach**(s), **parent**(s), or **person**(s) caught using phones or photographic devices inside a locker room or has taken pictures or video from within a locker room and posted on social media, the following will be accessed:

Athletes/Players:

- 1. 1st Violation: After confirmation, the player shall be suspended from all team activities including "practice, games, scrimmages" for the next two (2) consecutive games or two (2) weeks of a season, whichever is greater. Player may not be in the locker room or bench for games or practices during this time period. Player and Parents will meet with the Association President, Association Level Director to discuss future repercussions if it happens again.
- 2. 2nd Violation: After confirmation, the player shall be suspended from all team activities including "practice, games, scrimmages" for the next four (4) consecutive games or three (3) weeks of a season, whichever is greater. Player many not be in the locker room or bench for games or practices during this time period. Player and Parents will meet with the Association President, Association Level Director, District 10 Director and District Level Coordinator to discuss future repercussions.
- 3. 3rd Violation: After confirmation, the player shall be suspended from all team activities for a period of sixty (60) days, with the same requirements as outlined in the Number 2, 2nd Violation.

Coaches/Parents/Locker Room Monitors "Adult(s)".

- 1. 1st Violation: After confirmation, the "Adult(s)" shall be suspended for the next two (2) consecutive games or two (2) weeks of the season, whichever is greater and assessed a \$ 500.00 fine. Will meet with the Association President and Association Level Coordinator to discuss future repercussions if it happens again.
- 2. 2nd Violation: After confirmation, the "Adult(s)" shall be suspended for the next four (4) consecutive games or three (3) weeks of a season, whichever is greater and assessed a\$ 750.00 fine. Will meet with the Association President, Association Level Coordinator, District Director and District Level Coordinator to discuss future repercussions.
- 3. 3rd Violation: After confirmation, the "Adult(s)" shall be suspended for a period of sixty (60) days and will be ban from attending and sanctioned games, practices, D10 Activities and assessed a \$ 1,000.00 fine. The Home Association will also be assessed a \$ 1,000.00 fine.

After the third (3rd) occurrence by either player or adult(s), will be banned from all D10 Activities until a hearing committee shall be convened by D10 to determine any further disciplinary action is required.

Any association with outstanding fines, may be considered not in good standing with the district, which will result in the association not being allowed to participate in district tournaments or district events."

These violations by a player or adult(s) can and will be carried over to the next season.

<u>USA Hockey – SafeSport - Cell Phones and Other Mobile Recording Devices</u>

Cell phones and other mobile devices with recording capabilities, including voice recording, still cameras and video cameras, are not permitted to be used in the locker rooms. If phones or other mobile devices must be used, they should be taken outside of the locker room. [it may be permissible to have team manager collect phones].

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