



Administrators Code of Behaviour

Hunter Ice Skating Club

In the interest of safety and harmony of skating, coaches and skaters of all levels should observe the following Code of Behaviour.

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- a) Act honestly, in good faith and in the best interests of the sport as a whole;
- b) Ensure that any information acquired or advantage gained from the position is not used improperly;
- c) Conduct your responsibilities with due care, competence and diligence;
- d) Do not allow prejudice, conflict of interest or bias affect your objectivity.**
- e) Involve young people in planning, leadership, evaluation and decision-making related to the activity.
- f) Give all young people equal opportunities to participate.
- g) Create pathways for young people to participate in sport, not just as an athlete, but as a coach, judge, administrator, etc.
- h) Ensure that rules, equipment, and training schedules are modified to suit the age, ability and maturity level of young players.
- i) Provide quality supervision and instruction for young athletes.
- j) Remember that young people participate for their enjoyment and benefit. Do not overemphasise awards.
- k) Help coaches and officials highlight appropriate behaviour and skill development, and help improve the standards of coaching and officiating.
- l) Ensure that everyone involved in junior sport emphasises fair play, rather than winning at all costs.
- m) Give a code of behaviour sheet to spectators, officials, parents, coaches, athletes and the media and encourage them to follow it.
- n) Remember, you set an example. Your behaviour and comments should be positive and supportive.**
- o) Support implementation of the National Junior Sport Policy.
- p) Make it clear that abusing young people in any way is unacceptable and will result in disciplinary action.
- q) Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.