

## Connacht Hockey

### Parental Guidelines

- ☑ Connacht hockey believes that parents should:
  - Be a role model for your child and maintain the highest standards of conduct when interacting with young people, other parents, officials, supporters and organisers
  - Always behave responsibly and do not seek to unfairly affect the outcome of a game, a player or the opponent
  - Never intentionally expose any young participant to embarrassment or disparagement by the use of foul/abusive language or remarks
  - Recognise and support the value and importance of volunteering which provides sporting opportunities for your child
  - Respects all personnel within the Hockey club/organisation including coaches, managers, umpires, youth organisers etc...
  - Encourage your child to at all times play by the rules and to respect the spirit of fair play
  - Encourage participation and good sportsmanship
  - Take an interest in your child's sport and support your child's sporting endeavours and participation
  - Support all efforts not to tolerate foul or abusive language/behaviour such as bullying or intimidation
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- Parents Code of Conduct:
  - Respect the rules and procedures set down within the club/organisation
  - Encourage and support participation and accomplishments
  - Respect team coaches and managers
  - Respect the officials and their authority at all times
  - Never demonstrate abusive/threatening behaviour or language

I/We \_\_\_\_\_ parent(s) of \_\_\_\_\_

agree to abide by the rules and procedures of Hockey and in particular the guidelines and code of conduct for parents (as above)

Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature (s): \_\_\_\_\_