



## **Codes of Conduct for Spectators, Parents and Coaches**

### Coaches' CREDO

Coaches are Artists of Encouragement (Marsha Sinetar)

1. I will teach participants to play fairly and to respect the rules, officials and opponents.
2. I will ensure all participants receive equal instruction, support and playing time.
3. I will NOT ridicule or yell at my participants. I will remember that the players are better supported when I instill FUN in the commitment to competition and challenge. I will activate my participants.
4. I will ensure the equipment and facility are safe for the participants.
5. I will remember that participants need a coach they respect.
6. I will be an encourager and I will support through positive correction, showing the participant how doing something differently will help him play better and support his and other's growth.
7. I will work in cooperation with officials for the benefit of the game and the athletes.
8. I will support Red Deer Roller Hockey's goal: Fit, Fast, Focused, Fun for the whole Family.

### Parent's Code

1. I will support Red Deer Roller Hockey's goal: Fit, Fast, Focused, Fun for the whole Family.
2. I will be a role model for RDRHA member players.
3. I will support the Long term Athlete Development Program (Canada's Sport 4 Life Model) offered by RDRHA.
4. I will support the goals of fair play and voluntary participation in RDRHA's house league program, through player appraisal and "draft" of balanced teams.
5. I will support RDRHA's efforts at fair appraisal and selection for SNIPER teams.
6. I will not chastise, criticize or ridicule players, referees or coaches; if I have concerns I will contact RDRHA's Liaison to discuss my concerns with a solution focused intention.

## Spectator's Code

1. I will remember it is their game, not mine.
2. I will positively support the efforts of both teams
3. I will support the efforts of all participants
4. I will support all volunteers (coaches, officials, other parents and administrators).
5. I will not ridicule, chastise or berate any member or player of any Roller Hockey Association.
6. I will not condone abuse, in any form, by anyone associated with the game.
7. I will support Red Deer Roller Hockey's goal: Fit, Fast, Focused, Fun for the whole Family
8. If I have concerns I will contact RDRHA's Liaison to discuss my concerns with a solution focused intention.

We, the Board of Red Deer Roller Hockey, wish to support the growth and development of our players and their families in both our house league (GUNNERS) and competitive (SNIPERS) programs. We welcome the opportunity to explore all suggestions to improve the experience of all participants.

We look forward to another successful year as an Association and appreciate your commitment and support.

Sincerely,

The Red Deer Roller Hockey Board