



MASSACHUSETTS HOCKEY FAIR PLAY - RESPECT INITIATIVE



PLAYERS COMPACT

It is the Intention of this compact to promote Fair Play and Respect for all participants within Massachusetts Hockey. Please read the Fair Play and Respect Code and continue throughout the year to observe and follow all the principles contained within the Code.

FAIR PLAY - RESPECT CODE

1. I will play hockey because I want to, not because others or coaches want me to.
2. I will play by the rules of hockey and in the "Spirit of the Game".
3. I will control my temper - fighting or "mouthing-off" can spoil the activity for everyone.
4. I will respect my opponents and their fans.
5. I will do my best to be a true team player. I will encourage good team play.
6. I will remember that winning isn't everything - having fun, improving skills, making friends and doing my best are also important.
7. I will remember that coaches and officials are there to help me. I will accept their decisions and show them respect.
8. I realize that school will take precedence over hockey.
9. I will not use vulgar or profane language toward teammates, coaches, officials, opponents or spectators.
10. I will refrain from banging my stick, trash talking and hot-dogging during the course of a game.
11. I will behave and hold myself accountable at all times when representing my team in all public places, especially when traveling during away games.
12. I will respect my coach's decisions regarding instructions, ice time, practice, etc.



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- 13. I will have FUN, but not waste valuable practice time and Instruction time before and after games.
- 14. I will respect others' property and belongings and the facility in which I play. I will leave the locker room in orderly condition.
- 15. I agree that alcohol, tobacco products and banned substances have NO PLACE in HOCKEY!!
- 16. I agree not to endanger or create any safety hazards by throwing any objects haphazardly on or outside the playing surface or bench area.
- 17. I agree that there is no place for violent or overly aggressive play in hockey, where the obvious Intent is to Injure or harm another player.
- 18. I agree to do my best in all my endeavors on and off the ice and to conduct myself with class and dignity.
- 19. I agree to abide by the principles of the FAIR PLAY AND RESPECT CODE as established by Massachusetts Hockey and supported by my local Association.

PRINT NAME	DATE
SIGNATURE:	
PLAYER	TEAM
(A good team member)	