## **Northeast Minor Hockey Association**

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## Player Agreement

- 1. There is zero tolerance for bullying, obscene language or gestures towards other teammates, opposing players, opposing coaches, officials or coaches on their team. Players will be disciplined.
- 2. Players will not use or be under the influence of alcohol or banned substance while involved with activities with or cause by their participation in NEMHA.
- 3. Players shall treat each other, opposing players and coaches plus game officials with respect and show good sportsmanship at all times.
- 4. Players are to be of their best behavior in the dressing room. There will be no throwing of tape, ice, water, Gatorade, pushing, bulling or fighting etc. Discipline will be the discretion of the coach on this matter. Parents will be notified of the player's behavior.
- 5. Players are expected to attend all practices, games and team functions. Any abuse of this will result in disciplinary action by the coach or NEMHA. Player's commitment to his/her competitive team with NEMHA must come first before any other competitive team. Any player wishing to be excused for other than medical reason must provide the coach with at least 24 hours notice so that he/she may avail of the call up procedure to fill the vacancy created. Failure to give the coaching staff reasonable notice of a no-show for team functions could result in some form of discipline.
- 6. Players that are supplied team jerseys by NEMHA are not to be used for practices or other personal use.
- 7. Players will be responsible to return their team jersey back to NEMHA at the end of the hockey season. Fee will be charged back to the parent for jerseys not returned to NEMHA.
- 8. Players are required to wear NEMHA approved hockey socks so that they match their jersey.
- 9. Players must wear all the equipment as specified and required by the CHA while on the ice or bench.
- 10. All players must wear certified mouth guards at all games and practices
- 11. Any player, who causes unnecessary damages to a jersey or loaned equipment, as decided by NEMHA, shall be suspended from all activities until the cost or replacement has been paid.
- 12. Any player traveling to a tournament must adhere to the curfew times as set out in NEMHA Policy and Procedures Manual.
- 13. Players are required to participate with their team in the All Newfoundland and Labrador Tournaments during Easter and other critical tournaments during the season. If a player fails to fulfill this requirement in the previous season/ he/she will not be selected for Competitive team in the following season.

Notwithstanding any of the forgoing policies, procedures and guideline, the NEMHA reserves the right to act in contravention to any of these policies and guidelines, should the circumstance of a specific situation warrant.

I have read and understand the above statements and agree to conduct myself in a matter that demonstrates the standards established in the Players Agreement.

Name of Player	
Signature of Player or Parent/Guardian _	 
Date	

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## Parent/Guardian Agreement

- 1. As the parent/guardian, I will not force my child to participate in hockey and remember that my child plays hockey for his or her enjoyment, not for mine
- 2. I will encourage my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence.
- 3. Trust the care of a player to the coaches at practices and games respect the coaches' decision, direction and philosophy.
- 4. I will respect the coach as the coach of my child's team. I will not interfere with the coaches' strategy and become the coach of my child.
- 5. I will respect and show appreciation for the volunteer who gave their time, to provide a safe and enjoyable experience for your child.
- 6. I will support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from my child's hockey games. I will support all efforts to remove verbal abuse by my child during all hockey games. I will teach my child to be respectfully for the game of hockey.
- 7. I will never question the officials' judgment or honesty in public.
- 8. If I have a dispute with my child's coach, I agree to have a 24 hour "cool down" period before I discuss my concerns with my child's coach. I also agree that if I do not abide by this, I agree that my child will be suspended for 1 game because of my behavior.
- 9. I will help my child meet his responsibilities to the team and coaches.
- 10. I will never verbally or physically abuse a child after a game for poor performance
- 11. I will never come to the rink intoxicated or under the influence of drugs.
- 12. Never use bad language, harass, ridicule or yell at the performance of players, coaches, officials or other spectators.
- 13. Never get caught up in the heat of the moment.

A PARENT'S/GUARDIAN'S BEHAVIOR WHICH IS JUDGED BY NEMHA TO BE ABUSIVE OR IMTIMATING TOWARDS A PLAYER, COACHING STAFF MEMBER, OTHER PARENT/GUARDIAN, EXECUTIVE MEMBER ASSOCIATED WITH NEMHA OR ANY OTHER HOCKEY ASSOCIATION, OR ANY GAME OFFICIAL SHALL BE DEALT WITH SEVERELY AND MAY RESULT IN THE MEMBER ASSOCIATED WITH THE PARENT/GUARDIAN BEING SUSPENDED FROM ALL ACTIVITY WITH NEMHA AND THE FUTURE REFUSAL TO REGISTER THE MEMBER(S).

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I have read and understand the above statements and agree to conduct myself in a matter that demonstrates the standards established in the Parent Agreement.

Name of Parent/Guardian	 
Signature of Parent/Guardian _	 
Date	