## Wayzata Youth Hockey Association Coach's Code of Ethic Conduct and Agreement

- 1. To abide by all association rules and guidelines defined by this manual.
- 2. To respect your fellow coaches and work together in cooperative manner.
- 3. To understand that coaches need to support each other on and off the ice.
- 4. To never criticize or bad-mouth your fellow coaches.
- 5. To never criticize your players in front of parents/fans.
- 6. To keep your relationship with parents strictly professional.
- To not be confrontational or abusive in word or deed to fellow coaches, parents, and/or players.
- 8. To establish and enforce team discipline and rules on and off the ice, with no exceptions and/or favoritism.
- 9. To meet the general and basic expectations of level developmental plans set forth.
- 10. To understand that coaches will not be evaluated based on win-loss records, but rather on the degree of progress and advancement of individual and team skills defined in the Coaches Prospectus.
- 11. To attend mandatory coaches meetings, clinics, tryouts, etc.
- 12. To lead by example and set a high standard of conduct that the community and hockey association including coaches, parents and players will be proud of.
- 13. To refrain from alcohol or drug use prior to/during practices or games. Chewing and smoking is prohibited in the rink. Be an example for your team.
- 14. To adhere to the USA Hockey Coaching Ethics Code, (link provided)
  <a href="http://www.usahockey.com/uploadedFiles/USAHockey/Menu\_Coaching\_Ethics/2010\_Coaching\_Ethics\_Code\_FINAL.PDF">http://www.usahockey.com/uploadedFiles/USAHockey/Menu\_Coaching\_Ethics\_Code\_FINAL.PDF</a>

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