GRAHA Parent Code of Conduct

Hockey is a very exciting game, and as parents, your passion is appreciated. You put in endless hours getting your child to practices and games. Please cheer loud, make noise, and have fun. Just please be RESPECTFUL while you watch and enjoy this great game of hockey, and observe the following principles.

- 1. I will encourage and support my child's desire to play his/her chosen sport and will not pressure him/her into participating.
- 2. I will not place unreasonable expectations on my child.
- 3. I will support fair play by encouraging my child to play by the rules.
- 4. I will display good sportsmanship by applauding a good effort by both teams in victory, and defeat.
- 5. I will attempt to learn the rules of the game and support the official's decisions on and off the ice.
- 6. I will recognize the importance of the volunteer coaches and will attend team meetings to get to know my coaches philosophy.
- 7. I will let the coaches do the coaching, and will not yell instructions counter to those of the coach.
- 8. I will remember the game is fun and will not taunt or disturb other fans or embarrass my child by yelling negative comments at players, coaches or officials.
- 9. I understand that it is my role to teach my child sportsmanship, how to deal with success and failure, and support my child's development in the game.
- 10.I understand the importance of skill development and for lower age groups, recognize that practices benefit my child more than games and competition.

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11.I have read and understand that the principles stated above were approved by GRAHA. I

breaking these rules will be dealt with in accordance to Minnesota Hockey Bylaws, and

agree to abide by these principles and acknowledge that inappropriate behaviors or

by local governing bodies.