



# CHESTERFIELD HOCKEY CLUB

## Code of Conduct for Parents/Guardians

The club believes that it is important that members, coaches, administrators and parents associated with the club should, at all times, show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others. Therefore parents are encouraged to be open at all times and to share any concerns or complaints that they may have about any aspect of the club with officials /committee members.

To ensure that all our junior members have the best experience possible, we would ask you to:

- Encourage your child to learn the rules and play within them.
- Discourage unfair play and arguing with officials.
- Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results.
- Never force your child to take part in sport.
- Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding the good performances of all.
- Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
- Publicly accept officials' judgements.
- Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport.
- Use correct and proper language at all times.
- Should keep to agreed timings for training and competitions or inform their coach or team manager if they child is going to be late.
- Must pay any fees for training or events promptly.
- Not smoke or drink on club premises