

## REGIONAL SUPER LEAGUE: Hockey

### Players and Team Officials: Code of Conduct

As a player selected by your Club and competing in an event held or sanctioned by GVHA and CVHA, you must meet the following requirements in regard to your conduct during the event and in any role you hold within the regions.

1. Must behave in a sportsmanlike manner at all times to other players, officials and spectators.
2. Make no detrimental statements in public in respect of the performance of any match officials or umpires.
3. Play by the rules at all times and ensure that the game of hockey is not brought into disrepute.
4. Accept responsibility for all actions taken. Exercise reasonable care to prevent injury by ensuring that you play within the rules. Reasonable care consists of showing due diligence in abiding by the rules and adhering to the official's decisions.
5. Do not engage in any doping practice, the use of drugs or other banned substance unless prescribed by a medical doctor.
6. Do not bet on the outcome or on any other aspect of a hockey match or competition.
7. Do not throw or fix a match, try to achieve a contrived outcome to a match or competition, or otherwise influence improperly the outcome or any other aspect of a match or a competition.
8. Do not show unnecessary obvious dissension, displeasure or disapproval towards an umpire, technical official, tournament director or other official as a consequence of his or her decision or generally.
9. Abstain from the use of tobacco and the consumption of alcoholic beverages when playing or whilst in the players' uniform.
10. The use of recreational drugs and drugs of addiction are prohibited.
11. Refrain from any sexual harassment towards other players and officials. Treat all participants fairly and within the context of their sporting activities, regardless of gender, race, and place of origin, athletic potential, colour, sexual orientation, religion, political beliefs, socio-economic status, and other conditions.
12. Must not do anything which adversely affects or reflects on or discredits the game of hockey, Hockey Australia, Hockey Victoria or CVHA/GVHA, or any squad, team, competition, tournament, sponsor, official supplier or licensee, including, but not limited to, any illegal act or any act of dishonesty or fraud.

The RSL Commission is responsible for ensuring that the Code of Conduct is met at all times. If, in their opinion, there is a serious breach of the Code of Conduct the player may be suspended from the competition. Any additional expense incurred by either the RSL Commission and/or the associations will be the responsibility of the club registering the team. The player shall be responsible for retribution to the club.



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### Players and Team Officials: Insurance Declaration

Where the host associations make available a player accident insurance scheme, clubs or association squads who have teams entered in RSL: Hockey CV/GV competitions shall provide the RSL: Hockey Commission a written undertaking prior to the start of the competition, That:

- all the players have been duly advised of the CVHA and GVHA Player Insurance schemes.

**NB: it is recommended to all participants to make arrangements for appropriate ambulance cover.**

**CVHA** has a compulsory wearing of mouthguard policy. CVHA based players who have any reason not to comply with this policy must complete the Declaration Form below (co-signed by parent or legal guardian if under 18 years).

The following list of players and officials of the \_\_\_\_\_  
*Print Name of Team*

have read the Regional Super League: Hockey **Insurance Declaration** dated 10<sup>th</sup> March 2009

- The signatures (Page 3) are an indication that they fully understand and accept the responsibilities and conditions disclosed.

### **CVHA (only) Mouthguard Waiver Declaration**

- a. I acknowledge that the CVHA has adopted a policy, which makes the wearing of mouthguards compulsory during matches conducted or authorized by CVHA
- b. I acknowledge that I have freely made the decision not to wear a mouthguard
- c. I release and forever discharge the CVHA and any agent or employee of CVHA and any other person from and against all claims, actions, suits and demands of every description whatsoever which, but for the execution of this Agreement, I could or might have by reason of or arising out of my decision not to wear a mouthguard during hockey matches.

| Print Name - Player | Signature | Parent's Signature for U18 players |
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RSL: Hockey CV/GV may take photos of the team and its members to use in certificates, newsletters and promotions.

**Initial the box (Page 3) if you do not consent to the release of team and or team members photos for these purposes.**



## **REGIONAL SUPER LEAGUE: Hockey** **PLAYERS and TEAM OFFICIAL'S CODE OF CONDUCT AGREEMENT**

The following list of players and officials of the \_\_\_\_\_  
*Print Name of Team*

have read the Regional Super League: Hockey **Code of Conduct** document and the **Insurance Declaration**.

- ***The signatures are an indication that all team personnel fully understand and accept the responsibilities and conditions disclosed.***

| Print Name - Player   | Signature | Parent's Signature for U18 players | No Photo |
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### ADDITIONAL PLAYERS CODE OF CONDUCT AGREEMENT

- *NB: ONLY to be completed by players who are added as per 5.4.4 or 5.10 of the RSL Operations Manual*

I \_\_\_\_\_ (print name)  
have read the Regional Super League: Hockey Code of Conduct and Insurance Declaration document dated 10<sup>th</sup> March, and I fully understand and accept the responsibilities and conditions disclosed.

I will to the best of my ability, abide by the Players Code of Conduct during all CVHA/GVHA endorsed events.

Player's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Team: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

If under the age of 18;

Parent's or Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (print name)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_