



MACCLESFIELD HOCKEY CLUB

Code of Conduct: Junior membership

This appendix contains guidelines for all juniors and all club members or volunteers working with the juniors. These guidelines are not mutually exclusive and should be read in conjunction with the Club Code of Conduct and the Disciplinary Procedure.

JUNIOR MEMBERS

- As a fee paying participant of Macclesfield Hockey Club you are expected to abide by the following junior club rules:
- All members must play within the rules and respect officials and their decisions.
- All members must respect opponents.
- Members should keep to agreed timings for training and competitions or inform their coach or team manager if they are going to be late.
- Members must wear suitable kit – Shinpads and mouth guards being compulsory – for training sessions and matches, as agreed with the coach/team manager.
- Members must pay any fees for training or events promptly.
- Junior members are not allowed to smoke on club premises or whilst representing the club at competitions.
- Junior members are not allowed to consume alcohol or drugs of any kind on the club premises or whilst representing the club.

PARENTS/CARERS

- 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.
- Support your child by arranging transport for your child to and from the Club ensuring they arrive at an agreed time and leave promptly after the activity
- Maintain responsibility for your child on visits to the club at times other than to participate in any organised activity
- Update the Club of any changes to Medical Conditions and Contact details
- If you have any queries or comments please address them to Macclesfield Hockey Club's Child Welfare Officer:

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