

Expected minimum standards of behaviour and conduct. All such individuals involved in hockey will, always:

- Respect the spirit of fair play in hockey. This is more than playing within the rules. It also incorporates the concepts of friendship, respect for others and always participating with the right spirit.
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of others:
 - Respect umpires, officials, coaches, players, and spectators.
- Conduct themselves in a manner that takes all reasonable measures to protect their own safety and the safety of others.
- Never participate when under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- Promote the reputation of the sport and take all possible steps to prevent it from being brought into disrepute:
 - Accept success and failure, victory, and defeat, with dignity.
 - Set a positive example for others, particularly young participants and spectators.
- Protect others involved in the game from verbal or physical abuse and threatening or intimidating behaviour.
- Never use inappropriate language or gestures
 - Never use foul, sexist, abusive, racist or any prejudicial language or tolerate it from players and/or team officials
- Abide by the EH Safeguarding and Protecting Young People in Hockey Policy and Procedures and Good Practice Guidelines.
- Abide by the EH Equality Policy
- Abide by the EH Anti-doping Rules
- Take personal responsibility to ensure that they are suitably insured for their activities.

If you have any concerns, please contact our Welfare Officer: welfare@southberkshirehockeyclub.org.uk.