



COACHES CODE OF CONDUCT

The Airdrie Ringette Association believes strongly in the values of teamwork, sportsmanship and leadership through

Example. As a Parent/Guardian in the ARA organization, your actions reflect not only on you, but also on your team, your coaches and the ARA program.

As a Coach/Asst. Coach (Member) of the Airdrie Ringette Association.....

- Winning is a consideration, but not the only one
- I will be reasonable in my demands on a player's time, energy, enthusiasm and performance.
- I will be a positive role model to the players
- I will keep open lines of communication with all Coaches/Asst. Coaches, Manager, player's parents and inform every one of their rights and responsibilities; make known my intentions about playing time right from the outset.
- I will familiarize myself with the player's personal needs and problems; learn the strengths and weaknesses of your players so that you might place them into situations where they have a maximum opportunity to achieve success; provide all players the opportunity to improve their skills, gain confidence and develop self-esteem.
- I will encourage the players to be team players
- I will be concerned with the overall development of the players
- I will never yell or ridicule a child or the team for making mistakes or losing a game
- Remember that children need a coach they can respect. Be generous with your praise when it is deserved, and set a good example.
- I will applaud a good effort in both victory and defeat, and enforce the positive points of the game

I understand that by signing this agreement I promise to uphold the ARA Coaches Code of Conduct. I realize that any violation of this Code of Conduct may result in my suspension or removal from this volunteer position for part of or all of a season, or even ejection from the ARA Program.

Season / Level / Team Name

Coach / Asst. Coach Name