

## 1. PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

This Player Code of Conduct applies to all senior players and associates of Wicklow Hockey Club.

## 2. EXPECTED MINIMUM STANDARD OF BEHAVIOUR OF EVERY SENIOR PLAYER AND ASSOCIATE

- All Senior Players and Associates of Wicklow Hockey Club are expected to behave in an appropriate and sporting manner, which includes the following:
- Conduct themselves in a manner that takes all reasonable measures to protect their own safety and the safety of others.
- Never use foul or abusive language or gestures.
- Never use physical abuse or threatening or intimidating behaviour.
- Respect the spirit of fair play, by participating within the rules and regulations of the game
- Respect the rights of others, including umpires, officials, team management, other players and spectators.
- Support all efforts to remove foul or abusive language and unsporting behaviour, and do not tolerate it from players, officials, team management or supporters.
- Promote the reputation of hockey and Wicklow Hockey Club and take all possible steps to prevent it from being brought into disrepute.
- Abide by the Code of Ethics and other good practice guidelines and policies issued by Wicklow Hockey Club.

Failure to abide by these minimum standards may be considered a Disrepute Offence and will be dealt with by Wicklow Hockey Club in accordance with the discipline rules contained in sections 10, 11 and 12 of the Club's Constitution.

