2014-15 Desert Youth Hockey Association Team Name:_____ PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT AND COMMITMENT

All team parents are required to sign the following Parent Code of Conduct and return it to the Team Manager before the first team practice.

- 1 I agree to read, understand and abide by the parent code of conduct
- I agree to read and review the player's code of conduct and player responsibilities with my child and agree to help with the enforcement of the code of conduct and responsibilities through my parenting.
- 3 I agree to support coaches, players, the organization, team manager and officials.
- 4 I will respect the 24 hour cooling off period before confronting a coach with concerns.
- 5 There will be no parent/coach discussions in front of the players unless agreed upon by both parties prior to the meeting.
- 6 I agree to address any coaching or player situations with the coaching staff and then, if not resolved satisfactorily, the organization as outlined in Section 11 of the DYHA Policy Manual.
- 7 I will not enter or go near the bench area during games or practices without permission by the coach.
- 8 I agree to have at least one parent in our family attend parent meetings.
- 9 I agree to pay all fees associated with my child's participation on the team in a timely manner and will review and abide by the DYHA policies and those of the Arizona Amateur Hockey Association (AAHA).
- 10 I will also follow the USA Hockey parent code of conduct and USA Hockey Zero Tolerance policy.
- 11 I will review the USA Hockey parent video on the USA Hockey website.
- 12 I will not force my child to participate in sport.
- 13 I will encourage my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence.
- 14 I will never ridicule or yell at any player for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- 15 I will make our guest at the rink feel welcome.
- 16 I will never question the official's judgment or honesty in public.
- 17 I will never use verbal, written (ie email, social media, etc), or physical abuse toward anyone at anytime.
- 18 I will respect the volunteer coaches and managers who give their time to provide sporting activities for my child.
- 19 I will remember the primary reason why my child plays hockey for their enjoyment not mine.

I have read and understand the above statements and agree to conduct myself in a manner that demonstrates the standards established in the Parent Code of Conduct and Commitment.

Parent Name (Print):_____

Signature:_____

Date:_____

2014-15 Desert Youth Hockey Association Team Name: ______ PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT AND COMMITMENT

As a player, I hereby commit the following to teammates, coaches, the Association, parents and myself:

- 1 To remember to have FUN.
- 2 To understand my participation is key to the team's overall success and commit myself to full participation in all team practices, games and events and consistently do my best and give my best effort.
- 3 To develop my skills and ability to play the games as an individual player and as a team player and prepare myself to advance to the next level.
- 4 To participate because I want to, not just because my parents or coaches want me to.
- 5 To have a good attitude and be a decent human being.
- 6 To consistently show up on time and be ready to go.
- 7 To work hard and exhibit a good work ethic at practices and during games, stay focused and not goof around or mouth off.
- 8 To show respect, fairness, fair play and integrity to myself, my teammates, players on the other team, referees, officials, coaches and parents.
- 9 To learn and respect the rules of the game.
- 10 To show respect at all times for teammates and coaches on and off the ice, including members of the opposing team, referees, score and timekeepers, and parents, as well as demonstrate good sportsmanship and positive encouragement to teammates.
- 11 To respect Oceanside Ice Arena staff and the facility I can call home and all the arena staff and facilities we will visit.
- 12 To not be abusive (verbally, emotionally, physically, sexually, or in written forms such as email and social media)
- 13 To recognize that my hockey career will not be made or broken based upon the last shift or the next shift or any one particular game.
- 14 To live a healthy lifestyle with no drugs, alcohol, and tobacco products. I will try to eat a healthy diet.
- 15 To work on developing my physical capabilities as an athlete in terms of conditioning and strength
- 16 To respect the Arizona laws regarding the use of adult-oriented materials. Adult materials will not be permitted at any sanctioned event.
- 17 To report knowledge of abusive situations appropriately to parents, coaches, and/or directors
- 18 To recognize that my development as a hockey player is largely my responsibility
- 19 To control my temper and be responsible for my own actions.
- 20 To make the proper and necessary effort to ensure I maintain my academic standard and keep up with my school work and get my homework done.
- 21 To obey all USA hockey, AAHA, DYHA and team rules, policies, and procedures.
- 22 To understand that failure to comply with one or more of the above will have consequences depending on the severity of the situation. It can result in temporary or permanent suspension from the team, program and Association.

Player Name(Print):	_(Signature):
Parent Name(Signature):	(Date):