

## 14.APPENDIX C – Parent Code of Conduct



### Durham Attack Volleyball Club Parent Code of Conduct

As a parent/member of the Durham Attack Volleyball Club your son/daughter is expected to conduct themselves in a manner that demonstrates good sportsmanship and a respect for others, at all times. Similarly, it is essential that you, as their parents, also display and model behaviour that is consistent with the highest ideals of good sportsmanship.

As a parent, you are expected to adhere to the following standards of behaviour before, during and after any practice or competition:

- Good sportsmanship is always the first priority. Respect all athletes, coaches, officials, and spectators.
- Abide by, and accept gracefully, the decisions of officials, no matter which team those decisions may favour.
- Respect and care for the facilities in which practices and competitions are being held, and listen to those in authority.
- Respond politely to the requests of event organizers.
- Be polite and courteous as a spectator, and only use appropriate language.
- Refrain from any behaviour which might distract the players or interfere with the progress of a match.
- Demonstrate appreciation for, and applaud good play, and never make derogatory remarks about officials, coaches or the athletes of any team.
- Be aware of and abide by the contents of the club's Parent/Player Handbook.
- Should concerns arise resulting from a practice or competition, abide by the "24 hour rule", that is, do not approach coaches within 24 hours prior to a competition, and do not approach coaches until at least 24 hours has passed since the circumstances giving rise to a concern.

I understand and agree to adhere to the Parents' Code of Conduct as described above.

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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