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Maunganui

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PLAYERS AND PARENTS

AT TOURNAMENT

Tauranga Water Polo acknowledges the effort and commitment of all players, coaches and managers leading up to competitions. This Code of Conduct for players reinforces that hard work. It applies to all Tauranga Water Polo players when they travel away to competitions, or play tournaments at home.

At all times players AND parents must:

- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of your team mates, coaches, managers, opponents, referees, parents and helpers.
- Be fair, considerate and honest in all dealings with others.
- Be professional in, and accept responsibility for your actions.
- Be committed to providing a quality performance.
- Be aware of, and operate within Tauranga Water Polo's constitution, regulations, policies and procedures.
- Be aware of, and operate within the rules and policies of New Zealand Water Polo and FINA.
- Abide by the policies of Drug Free Sport NZ.
- Understand the possible consequences of breaching Tauranga Water Polo's Code of Conduct.
- Immediately report any breaches of this Code of Conduct by any Tauranga Water Polo member or person associated with Tauranga Water Polo to an appropriate authority.
- Refrain from any form of abuse towards others.
- Refrain from any form of harassment towards others.
- Refrain from any form of discrimination towards others.
- Refrain from any form of victimisation towards others.
- Provide a safe environment for playing, competing and travelling with Tauranga Water Polo.
- Show concern and caution towards others who may be sick or injured.
- Be a positive role model.
- Do not provide comment to any media on behalf of Tauranga Water Polo.
- Do not speak to any media in a negative way regarding Tauranga Water Polo.
- Never act in a way that may bring disrepute or disgrace to Tauranga Water Polo, its stakeholders, its sponsors, potential sponsors and/or partners.
- Respect that coaches and managers are responsible for the well-being of *all* team members and will make decisions for the good of the team.

ANY PLAYER WHO DISREGARDS THIS CODE OF CONDUCT MAY BE:

- Stood down from playing the next game.

Any disciplinary action taken is at the discretion of the coach, manager and coordinator.

MEDICAL: PLEASE LET THE COACH OR MANAGER KNOW OF ANY MEDICAL ISSUE THAT MAY BE RELEVANT E.G. ALLERGIES. INJURIES

PLAYER NAME: _____ **SIGN:** _____ **DATE:** _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: _____ **SIGN:** _____ **DATE:** _____