

AUSTRALIAN ICE RACING INCORPORATED

COACH'S CODE OF CONDUCT

General Code of Behaviour

1. Operate within the rules and spirit of your sport, promoting fair play over winning at any cost.
 2. Encourage and support opportunities for people to learn appropriate behaviours and skills.
 3. Support opportunities for participation in all aspects of the sport.
 4. Treat each person as an individual.
 5. Display control and courtesy to all involved with the sport.
 6. Respect the rights and worth of every person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
 7. Respect the decisions of officials, coaches and administrators in the conduct of the sport.
 8. Wherever practical, avoid unaccompanied and unobserved one-on-one activity (when in a supervisory capacity or where a power imbalance will exist) with people under the age of 18 years.
 9. Adopt appropriate and responsible behaviour in all interactions.
 10. Adopt responsible behaviour in relation to alcohol and other drugs.
 11. Act with integrity and objectivity, and accept responsibility for your decisions and actions.
 12. Ensure your decisions and actions contribute to a safe environment.
 13. Ensure your decisions and actions contribute to a harassment free environment.
 14. Do not tolerate harmful or abusive behaviours.
- Place the safety and welfare of the athletes above all else.
 - Help each person (athlete, official etc) reach their potential - respect the talent, developmental stage and goals of each person and compliment and encourage with positive and supportive feedback.
 - Any physical contact with a person should be appropriate to the situation and necessary for the person's skill development.
 - Be honest and do not allow your qualifications to be misrepresented.

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Agreement Form for registration or re-registration to the National Coach Accreditation Scheme (NCAS)

I, _____ of _____
Full Name Address

Address cont.

am seeking registration / re-registration (please circle) for the following National Coaching Accreditation Scheme qualification:

Level Sport Discipline (if applicable)

I agree to the following terms:

1. I agree to abide by the AIR Inc's Coach's Code of Conduct.
2. I acknowledge that the AIR Inc is responsible for accreditation of coaches in **SHORT TRACK SPEED SKATING** and may take disciplinary action against me, if I breach the Code of Conduct. (I understand that AIR Inc. is required to implement a complaints handling procedure in accordance with the principles of natural justice, in the event of an allegation against me).
3. I acknowledge that disciplinary action against me may include de-registration from the AIR Inc. and the National Coaching Accreditation Scheme.

If you require more information on harassment issues, please contact AIR Inc. or refer to the *Harassment-free Sport Guidelines* available from the Australian Sports Commission.

Signature

_____/_____/_____
(if under 18, parent / guardian signature) Date

