Codes of Conduct DELORAINE MATERIAL ASSOCIATION

Coaches

- Remember our roster is a social roster, people participate for pleasure and winning is only part of the fun.
- Keep up to date with coaching practices and qualifications and the principles of physical growth and development.
- Promote a culturally tolerant environment.
- Help players understand that playing by the rules is their responsibility.
- Operate within the rules and spirit of the game and teach your players to do the same.
- Relate to officials in a courteous and polite way.
- Ensure that any physical contact is appropriate to the situation and necessary for the player's skill development.
- Implement relevant sport safety policies and practices.
- Do not tolerate acts of aggression.
- Provide feedback to players and other participants in a manner sensitive to their needs. Avoid overly negative feedback.
- Encourage and facilitate players' independence and responsibility for their own behaviour, performance, decisions and actions.
- Implement policy and practices (and lead by example).
- Listen to your players and ensure that the time they spend with you is a positive experience.
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- Be respectful and mindful of other basketball participants and officials when using electronic/social media.