

## Hamilton City Netball Centre Code of Conduct

*“Providing a lifelong community connection to sport through netball”*

### *Player Code of Conduct – I will:*

- ⊕ Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants.
- ⊕ Play to the rules of the game.
- ⊕ Play with honesty and integrity.
- ⊕ Play using the principles of fair play and good sportsmanship.
- ⊕ Respect coaches and officials decisions.
- ⊕ Applaud all good play whether by my team or my opponent.
- ⊕ Use acceptable and appropriate language.
- ⊕ Thank the opposition and match officials after each game.

### *Coach Code of Conduct – I will:*

- ⊕ Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants.
- ⊕ Place the safety and welfare of players above all else.
- ⊕ Coach to the rules of the game.
- ⊕ Coach with honesty and integrity.
- ⊕ Coach using the principles of fair play and good sportsmanship.
- ⊕ Develop and grow a team respect for officials.
- ⊕ Applaud all good play whether by my team or my opponent.
- ⊕ Show concern and caution toward sick and injured players.
- ⊕ Use acceptable and appropriate language.
- ⊕ Thank the opposition and match officials after each game.

### *Officials Code of Conduct – I will:*

- ⊕ Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants.
- ⊕ Place the safety and welfare of players above all else.
- ⊕ Apply the rules without fear or favour.
- ⊕ Help players learn the rules by explaining decisions where appropriate.
- ⊕ Encourage fair play and good sportsmanship.
- ⊕ Use acceptable and appropriate language.
- ⊕ Be courteous, respectful, and open to discussion and interaction.

### *Spectator/ Supporters Code of Conduct – I will:*

- ⊕ Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants.
- ⊕ Respect officials and coaches decisions.
- ⊕ Respect the efforts of my team and their opponents.
- ⊕ Applaud the performance of both teams.
- ⊕ Acknowledge that the game is the player’s game not mine
- ⊕ Use acceptable and appropriate language.

This code is not a detailed description of behaviour expectations, but rather the broad principles of acceptable behaviour in netball at the Hamilton City Netball Centre. Breaches of this code may lead to disciplinary procedures through the HCNC Complaints Policy and Procedures.