



BRACKNELL ICE SKATING CLUB

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR SKATERS AND PARENTS

(Must be accepted before membership can be processed)

Any BISC member not adhering to the above will be disciplined in accordance with Section 9 of the Club's Constitution
(Constitution can be viewed on BISC website)

For Skaters:

- ✓ I will respect and support my fellow club members at all times.
- ✓ I will not shout, swear, become violent or use sarcasm.
- ✓ I will endeavour to resolve any conflict(s) I may have with any other club member(s) in a dignified and respectful manner, never resorting to hostile behaviour or violence
- ✓ I will not make derogatory remarks or reference via any media about another member or member's family or friends: this includes making statements about their age, gender, ability, race, cultural background, religious beliefs, sexual identity or appearance.
- ✓ I will show appreciation and respect towards club volunteers including chaperones and committee members.
- ✓ I will appreciate and respect all BISC coaches at all times – this includes group rehearsals for special events.
- ✓ I confirm I have read and understood the rink patch etiquette code.

For parents:

- ✓ Discourage improper and unfair behaviour setting a good example by your own behaviour at all times.
- ✓ Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results.
- ✓ Support your child's involvement but never force them to take part in the sport.
- ✓ Publicly accept officials' judgements.
- ✓ Endeavour to resolve any issues or inappropriate behaviour by another club member or between your child and other skaters by reconciliatory means rather than a public reprimand.
- ✓ Do not take disciplinary measures into your own hands – any issues/complaints should be made in writing to either JNL rink management or the BISC committee if club related.
- ✓ Respect the rights of other parents and their children.
- ✓ Be aware that public and personal adverse comments or gossip regarding coaches and rink management can result in disciplinary action being taken by both BISC and JNL.
- ✓ Do not make complaints without good reason. Opportunist, vexatious or malicious complaints will be treated as harassment.