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Gloucestershire Hockey Association












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PITCHSIDE CODE OF CONDUCT

FOR PLAYERS, OFFICIALS, SPECTATORS AND PARENTS FOR ALL EVENTS

PLEASE RESPECT THE ETHOS OF THIS TOURNAMENT

-  On the field of play, the team captain is responsible for the conduct of the players.
-  On the team bench, the team manager is responsible for the conduct of the substitute players, team officials, and coaches.
-  Vocal communications by team officials and players on the bench must not, in any way, be directed at the umpires or players of the opposing team.
-  Coaches, managers, and substitute players must remain in the designated area (within the width of the bench) throughout the game.
-  Any post match team talks are to be held away from the pitch.
-  Spectators must remain outside of the pitch area.
-  Spectators and parents are reminded that EH shall not tolerate the use of foul or abusive language directed at or towards the umpires, officials or players.
-  Young children must not be permitted to wander freely around the perimeter of the pitch while games are in progress and babies in push-chairs must not be left parked on the side of the pitch.
-  The Event Managers shall have the power to take any reasonable action in order to protect the players, the umpires and officials, and the game of hockey. **This includes the ejection of any individual from the tournament grounds.**