

## K - W Sertoma Speed Skating Club

### Code of Conduct

All members of the K-W Sertoma Speed Skating Club are expected to conduct themselves responsibly and appropriately in keeping with the overall expectations and guidelines of the club.

This code is applicable for all K-W Sertoma Speed Skating Club athletes, coaches, and parents.

This code is applicable at any club practice, meet, activity or event, wherever it may be held.

The following are expectations for the K-W Sertoma Speed Skating Club.

- Athletes should be encouraged to enjoy themselves and have fun
- All members will be aware of the safety of each other and perform their duties with respect to persons, care of equipment and the facility provided
- All members will support and promote the values upon which the Club's code is based: fairness, respect and achievement
- Athletes are expected to demonstrate a positive attitude and tolerance, and promote positive self-esteem in all members
- All athletes will support the fair and equal opportunity of all members to participate in practices or activities, regardless of their skill level
- Club members will display self-discipline at all times
- Athletes will accept the coach's and club's decisions regarding safety, discipline and Club rules or duties
- Parents are expected to entrust their children to the program leaders during practices and competitions, and shall not interfere with the program

Special notes to members and parents of members:

- There will be consequences for inappropriate behaviour
- The Head Coach, in consultation with others including coaches or designated team personnel, are responsible for providing consequences for inappropriate behaviour, conduct or actions
- Severe violations may also be subject to disciplinary action by the Board
- Parents will be informed of disciplinary actions involving their child
- Athletes, over the age of 18, shall support, their coaches, and assistants, by providing feedback in a positive and helpful manner
- Parents or their designate shall be present for all sessions and activities that their child is involved
- Parents will respect and support the volunteer efforts of the Club's coaches and participate in the Club's volunteer and fund raising activities