



PADDLER'S CODE OF CONDUCT

Carleton Place Canoe Club is a place where all members must feel welcome and secure. The Club has a code of conduct for all members of the Club. This includes all paddlers, and campers.

Paddlers and campers are reminded that at all times they must behave in a responsible and respectful manner that creates a positive social climate. Everyone is expected to abide by this code and any violations will be cause for progressive documented discipline and may result in restriction of privileges or a review of membership by the Executive Board. Interpretation of the application of this code is at the discretion of the CPCC Executive Board.

The code is as follows:

1. Bullying, physical, sexual or verbal harassment will NOT be tolerated (e.g., *towel whipping*, "pansing", *rough-housing*, *swearing*, *degrading remarks*, etc.)
2. Vandalism costs us all. Don't do it and report those who do.
3. Listen and comply with staff requests.
4. Paddlers and campers are expected to be punctual to all club practices and events. Paddlers and campers are expected to notify staff of expected absences from club practices or events.
5. Underage paddlers and campers are not allowed to wander the Club without staff supervision.
6. Club equipment is expensive. Everyone will treat Club equipment with care and act responsibly while on or near the water.

Declaration: *I have read and understand the code of conduct and agree to adhere to it during my time at the Carleton Place Canoe Club and any offsite events.*

Name of Paddler: _____

(Paddler signature)

(Date)

Parents/Guardians: *I have read and understand this code of conduct. I understand that if a child is asked to leave the club due actions or behavior based on the Club Rules and code of conduct, that a refund will not be offered.*

Name of Child: _____

(Parent Signature)

(Date)

This signed form must be turned into the staff on the first day of their camp or upon registration of a club member. Failure to provide this form may result in denied access to the camp/club.