

## **Fernie Nordic Society Play Fair Contract**

***For Parents 2025-26***



1. I will remember that my child plays sport for his or her enjoyment, not for mine.
2. I will not force my child to participate in sports.
3. I will encourage my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to insult or violence.
4. I will teach my child that doing one's best is as important as winning, so that my child will never feel defeated by any outcome.
5. I will offer praise for hard work and competing fairly.
6. I will never ridicule my child for making a mistake or performing poorly.
7. I will remember that children learn best by example. I will applaud good performances by my child, teammates or opponents.
8. I will support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from children's sporting activities.
9. I will respect and show appreciation for volunteers, groomers and coaches who give their time to provide sport activities for my child, understanding that I have the main responsibility in my child's development.
10. I will never question an official's judgment or honesty in public.
11. I will trust the coaching staff to do what is best for our athletes and will not interfere nor harass them in any way.
12. I will raise any concerns I have about other parents or the coaching staff through the Coach's Liaison, Johnny Shaw.

***I have read and agree to the Play Fair Contract as per my confirmation at the time of registration.***

### **PHOTO RELEASE:**

Photographs are regularly taken during Fernie Nordic Society program activities and special events.

I grant permission to FNS and other associated cross-country organizations (e.g. CCBC, Nordiq Canada etc.) to use my child's photograph on its website, on exhibition space and/or for fundraising, development or public relations purposes.

***I have read and agree to the Photo Release as per confirmation at the time of registration.***