



## HARBOUR CITY WATER HAWKS POLO

### Codes of Conduct and Child Protection

The Harbour City Water Polo Club (the Club) has approved the following policies to protect children and set behaviour standards for coaches and players.

- The Club has adopted the New Zealand Water Polo (NZWP) [Child Protection Policy](#). The policy "reinforces its commitment to providing an environment for children that is safe, free from harassment and abuse, and promotes respectful and positive behaviour and values." Children are defined as those under the age of 18.
- All Club players must abide by the NZWP [Code of Conduct for players](#). It covers issues such as playing by the rules, not arguing with officials, treating other players as they like to be treated themselves, and similar issues.
- All Club coaches must abide by the NZWP [Code of Conduct for coaches](#). It covers operating within the rules and spirit of the game, treatment of players, ongoing development, and related issues.
- All Club coaches and managers will be Police Checked every three years. Refusal to be police checked will result in the removal of the ability to coach or manage any teams at Harbour City Water polo.

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