



Hamilton Lacrosse Association

Referee's Code of Conduct

- **The goal of every official must be to provide a fair and safe playing environment at all times**
- **Conduct yourself with honour, hard work and integrity at all times**
- **Ensure your equipment is clean and neat, strive to look professional every time you take to the floor**
- **Read and study your rule book / situation handbook often**
- **Be loyal to other officials, never take part in criticizing other referees**
- **Be diligent in being courteous and respectful, without sacrificing firmness in the application of your duties as a referee**
- **Be prompt and honour your assignments**
- **Remember, as an official, you are a representative of the Hamilton Lacrosse Association and the game itself every time you officiate or attend any lacrosse related event, either at or away from the arena**
- **Conduct yourself accordingly and maintain the dignity of your position and the game itself**

- **Remember, no individual is bigger than the GAME**