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Coaching Philosophy

My basic tenets about youth hockey boil down to two words **Fun** and **Respect**. Players should have fun and enjoy playing the game of hockey. Ice hockey's requisite skills, high pace, and hard hitting combine to make hockey an absolute blast to play. It's my responsibility to channel that intensity into a positive, memorable experience for the team.

As young adults, players are expected to respect the game, teammates, referees, opponents, parents and coaches. It's a privilege to coach this team and it's a privilege to play on this team. Players are responsible for their actions on and off the ice and will be held accountable.

Hockey and Coaching Experience

Coach Duane played in various men's league for almost 20 years. He has coached travel hockey with the Lazars & Ice Dogs for more than 10 seasons, school hockey for 5 seasons and has served in an administration position with the high school league. This will be Coach Duane's 8th season with U18 aged players. Practices will be high paced with a special emphasis on skating, game awareness, positioning, and team defense.