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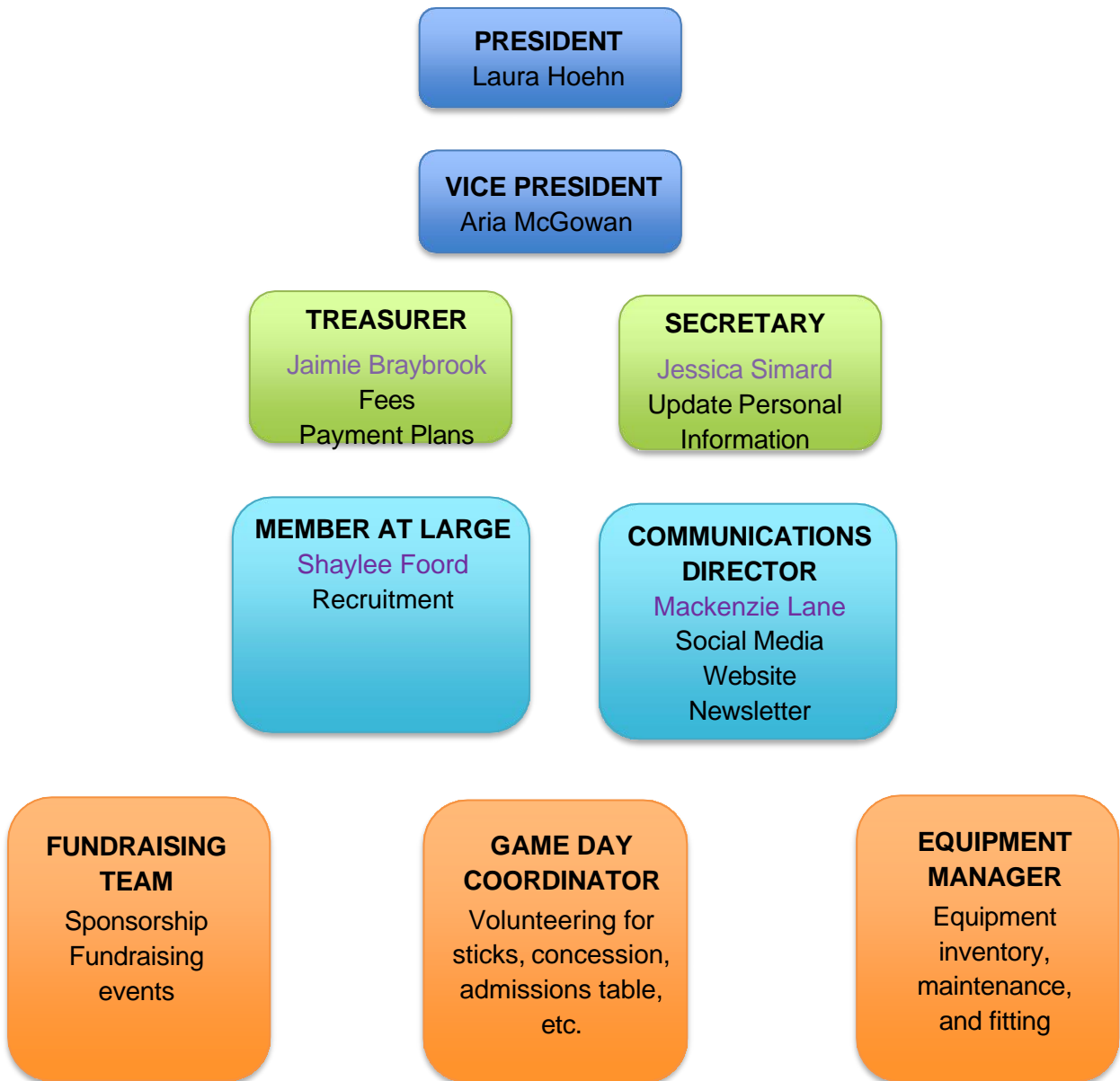
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Board Organizational Chart

Please note that not all Board Representative Duties are shown below. If you are unsure of who to address please contact the General Manager.



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Code of Conduct

Team policies apply to:

Active Players, Team Staff (paid and unpaid), and the Board of Directors

The Storm strives to be the best female football team in the WWCFL, and in doing that the following Code of Conduct has been put in place to drive the team towards being the best.

WHAT THE TEAM EXPECTS FROM EACH PLAYER

Play football to enjoy yourself, make lifelong friends and form a sisterhood. Play to be the best version of you and accept that striving to win is more important than winning itself. Victory and defeat are inevitable, and should be accepted equally.

CORE VALUES

Commitment
Positive Attitude
Integrity
Equality
Communication
Personal Development
Accountability

Sportsmanship
Respect
Teamwork
Personal Growth
Pride
Effort
Coachability

CHARACTER

All players must bring the highest level of **COMMITMENT** to the team and her teammates; all players must show **RESPECT** to one another; all players **AGREE** to not be racist, sexist, or homophobic - bigoted comments will not be tolerated; all players must show a high level of **INTEGRITY**; all players must be **RESPONSIBLE** for their own **ACTIONS**; all players must be **RESPECTFUL** towards coaches, staff and anyone affiliated with the football team (trainers, bus drivers, board members, volunteers, etc.); all players must abide by **ALL TEAM POLICIES**; all players must **REPRESENT** the Storm in an appropriate manner; all players must treat other teams with **RESPECT** and **DIGNITY**, do not verbally abuse another player.

PERFORMANCE

All players must be willing to **LISTEN** and be **COACHABLE**; all players must be **ALERT** on and off the field; all players must be well **RESTED** and properly **HYDRATED** for practices and games; all players must know their **ASSIGNMENTS**; all players must **HUSTLE** at every practice; all players must be **ON TIME** for

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practices and games. If a player will be **LATE** or **ABSENT**, she **MUST** let her **POSITIONAL COACH** (not the Head Coach or another player) know; all players must **WORK HARD**, play hard and make every rep count; all players must **ATTEND** game film sessions - these are an important part of learning, and are considered a practice.

TEAM

All players must utilize the team **TRAINER** effectively - this is included but not limited to being on time for taping, assessments and injury follow-up; all players must adhere to the zero-tolerance **NO DRUGS** or **ALCOHOL** policy; all players must **NOT SWEAR** at the coaches, team members or other staff members; all players must show the utmost respect to their borrowed **EQUIPMENT** - there will be zero tolerance for mistreating your equipment.

All players must adhere to the rules of the game set out by WWCF, and promote fair play and **SPORTSMANSHIP**; all players must respect the **DECISIONS** of the game officials, there will be zero tolerance for questioning an official's decision; all players must be respectful of the **24 HOUR RULE** - there will be **ZERO** contact with a coach or staff member (including the Board) for 24 hours after a game, unless it is with the trainer regarding an injury.

All players must go through the **PROPER** channels if they have a concern; all players must agree that any **DISCIPLINARY** actions will be at the discretion of the Head Coach and/or the Executive Storm Board. A player may make a formal appeal to the Executive Storm Board in writing within 30 days of the offense.

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Social Media Policy

Team policies apply to:

Active Players, Team Staff (paid and unpaid), and the Board of Directors

Objective: Inform players, staff (paid and unpaid), and Board members about using social media so individuals feel enabled to participate, while being mindful of their responsibilities and obligations.

Rationale: This policy is applicable if you are posting content on social media while affiliated with the Edmonton Storm that might affect the Edmonton Storm's business, products, services, events, sponsors, members or reputation.

Specifics: You must adhere to the following guidelines when using social media related to the Edmonton Storm or its business, products, competitions, teams, participants, services, events, sponsors, members or reputation.

- **Use common sense**

- a. Whenever you are unsure as to whether or not the content you wish to share is appropriate, seek advice from team leadership before doing so or refrain from sharing the content.
- b. When using social media, the lines between public and private, personal and professional, may be blurred. Remember, you are an ambassador for the Edmonton Storm Women's Tackle Football team. Your responsibility to the team does not end when you walk off the field.

- **Protect your privacy**

- a. When posting content online there is potential for that content to become publicly available through a variety of means, even if it was intended to be shared privately. Therefore, you should refrain from posting any content online that you would not be happy for anyone to see, even if you feel confident that a particular individual would never see it.

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- **Respect confidentiality and sensitivity**
 - a. Within the scope of your authorization by the Edmonton Storm, it is perfectly acceptable to talk about the Storm and have a dialogue with the community, but it is not permitted to publish confidential information of the Edmonton Storm or its members, staff, or volunteers. Confidential information includes, but is not limited to: details about coaching practices, financial information, playbook information, or litigation.

- **Comply with the law**
 - a. Do not post or link to content that contains illegal or indecent content, including defamatory, vilifying, or misleading and deceptive content.

- **Discrimination, harassment, and bullying**
 - a. You must not post any material that is offensive, harassing, discriminatory, embarrassing, intimidating, obscene, sexually explicit, bullying, hateful, racist, sexist, or otherwise inappropriate.
 - b. When using social media you are bound by the Edmonton Storm's Code of Conduct.

- **Branding and intellectual property**
 - a. You must not modify any of the Edmonton Storm's intellectual property, which includes, but is not limited to: imagery, logo, and posters.
 - b. You must not create either an official or unofficial Edmonton Storm presence using the organization's trademarks or name without prior approval from the Edmonton Storm.

Any player, staff (paid and unpaid), or Board member found to be in violation of this policy will be subject to disciplinary action at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

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Substance Policy

Team policies apply to:

Active Players, Team Staff (paid and unpaid), and the Board of Directors

Objective: To establish a safe and healthy environment for all involved in the Edmonton Storm Women's Tackle Football team.

Rationale: The Storm will ensure that all practices, games, mandatory team building events, volunteering events, team travel, and camps, unless approved by the Board and licensed by the AGLC, will not involve any liquor or recreational drugs. Being under the influence of liquor and/or recreational drugs may seriously impair an individual's judgment and reaction time, leading to an increased risk of accident and injury.

Specifics:

- The Storm will inform all players, staff (paid and unpaid), and Board members that there is **zero tolerance** for any player using recreational drugs and/or liquor during any designated team event, including, but not limited to: practices, games, mandatory team building events, volunteering events, team travel, and camps.
- Any player, staff (paid and unpaid), or Board member found to be using recreational drugs and/or liquor during a designated team event will be subject to disciplinary action at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

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Dependents, Significant Others, Guardians & Family Members Policy

Team policies apply to:

Active Players, Team Staff (paid and unpaid), and the Board of Directors

Objective: Ensure a safe environment for all participating in an Edmonton Storm Women's Tackle Football event, and protect the Storm from potential litigation.

Rationale: Football is a contact sport, and as such, carries risks for participants. Those not actively participating and affiliated with the team are not protected by the Edmonton Storm's insurance, and as such, must not be present on team-booked fields during practices, games*, or camps.

Specifics:

- Dependents, significant others, guardians, and family members of all players, staff (paid or unpaid), or Board members, unless otherwise affiliated with the team, must not be on team-booked fields during practices, games*, or camps for the 2024 season.
- Any player, staff (paid and unpaid), or Board member found to be in violation of this policy will be subject to disciplinary action at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

*Any dependent, significant other, guardian or family member who has volunteered to hold sticks, or run water during games will be permitted to be on the field for the duration of the game only.

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Team Travel Policy

Team policies apply to:

Active Players, Team Staff (paid and unpaid), and the Board of Directors

To ensure the safety and proper conduct of members participating in a travel, all athletes and fans* must adhere to the following policy.

When participating on trips and/or attending other group travel functions, athletes must understand that they are representing both themselves and the Edmonton Storm. Athlete behavior must positively reflect the high standards of the team.

Away Games

'Away Games' are defined as competitions where the travel and accommodations are provided by the team. Participating players will travel and eat their meals with the team and stay with the team at the hotel for the duration of the competition.

The consumption of alcohol will NOT be permitted during travel on the bus or any other form of transportation.

Hotel

Any damages, excessive mess or thievery incurred at a motel/hotel will be at the expense of the athletes assigned to that room and further disciplinary action may be taken. No loud or boisterous behavior will be tolerated in the hallways or public areas. Hotel rooms should be kept neat, with garbage removed regularly and maid service accepted daily.

Fans are welcome to stay at the same hotel as the players however it will be at their own expense. Should you wish to room with your player you must gain approval from the Head Coach prior to travel. If you do share accommodation with a player the total cost for the room will not be covered by the team.

Curfews

Curfews will be established, when applicable, by the Head Coach prior to any trip. There may be one curfew for players to be in their assigned rooms and another for lights-out and quiet. No team member may be out of their room after the room curfew and the "no noise" policy must be respected. Permission must be obtained from the Head Coach to leave the room past this time.

Fans

Fans contribute to our sport and we welcome their involvement. When traveling with the team fans are expected to abide by the same rules as the team.

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*Fan seats may not always be available on the team bus. A notification will be sent out to players when seats are available and a fee will be collected prior to departure.

General

Punctuality for meetings, meals, practices and games is expected.

Public Places: When visiting public places such as restaurants, convenience stores etc. players will conduct themselves respectfully. All team members will be polite and quiet in restaurants. Athletes must not disturb the other patrons of the restaurant.

Sportsmanship: Team members will display proper respect and sportsmanship towards coaches, officials, administrators, teammates, fellow competitors at all times.

Drugs and Alcohol: Please refer to the Substance Policy

Language: Athletes are to refrain from use of inappropriate language. Players will also refrain from inappropriate physical contact at team activities and events.

Disciplinary Action

Failure to comply with this Team Travel Policy as set forth in this document may result in disciplinary action.

Discipline may include, and is not limited to:

1. New room assignments
2. Removal from one or more quarters of the game
3. Disqualification from future team travel
4. Financial penalties
5. Suspension or dismissal from the team (Serious infraction)
6. Dismissal from the team trip and immediate return home at the athlete's expense. (Serious infraction)

An incident report will be filled out and given to the President for tracking purposes.

The directions and the decisions of the coaches regarding rules and disciplinary actions while on the trip are final.

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Player Injury Assessments

The Athletic Trainer will assess all injuries and decide if further assessment is required by a physician.

If further assessment through a physician is deemed necessary, the player will be required to provide a note of assessment or "cleared" by the physician to begin the return to play protocol. The Athletic Trainer will build a treatment plan accordingly.

Treatment plans and return to play protocols for different injuries may require limited or alternative involvement in certain drills during practice. **Players must have one fully cleared practice before participating in a game.**

If the Athletic Trainer has cleared the player to return to play, it is the player's responsibility to return to play as directed. If a player takes themselves out without being directed to do so by the Trainer, they will not be allowed to participate in practice in any capacity. (ie. player cannot decide they are only going to participate in certain drills or assisting coaches on their own). The player will have to speak with coaches before being allowed back to practice on their own.

Alternatively, if the Trainer or a Coach removes a player from practice or game due to concern, the player is expected to see the Trainer for assessment and will need to be cleared before returning to play.

If a player suspects a concussion has occurred, it is imperative that they see the Trainer immediately for assessment. The Trainer will perform a SCAT assessment and determine if the player needs to be cleared by a physician. If the player is required to see a physician, they will also be required to obtain a note from their doctor allowing them to begin a return to play protocol. Depending on severity, the protocol may change. (Once cleared by physician's note) The SCAT will be taken every practice to determine the healing process and what drills/ exercises will be allowed to begin. Once the player has a clear SCAT and has completed at least one full-contact practice with no symptoms, then they may be cleared by the Trainer to play in games.

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Return to Play after a Concussion

A concussion is a serious event, but you can recover fully from such an injury if the brain is given enough time to rest and recuperate. Returning to normal activities, including sport participation, is a step-wise process that requires patience, attention, and caution.

Each step must take a minimum of one day but could last longer, depending on the player and his or her specific situation.

YOU WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO RETURN TO PLAY UNTIL YOU HAVE COMPLETED THE FOLLOWING PROCESS AND THE TRAINER HAS DETERMINED IT SAFE FOR YOU TO DO SO.

STEP 1: NO ACTIVITY, ONLY COMPLETE REST

Limit school, work and tasks requiring concentration. Refrain from physical activity until symptoms are gone. Once symptoms are gone, a physician, preferably one with experience managing concussions, should be consulted before beginning a step wise return to play process.

STEP 2: LIGHT AEROBIC EXERCISE

Activities such as walking or stationary cycling. The player should be supervised by someone who can help monitor for symptoms and signs. No resistance training or weight lifting. The duration and intensity of the aerobic exercise can be gradually increased over time if no symptoms or signs return during the exercise or the next day.

SYMPTOMS? Return to rest until symptoms have resolved. If symptoms persist, consult a physician.

NO SYMPTOMS? Proceed to Step 3 the next day.

STEP 3: SPORT SPECIFIC ACTIVITIES

Activities such as skating or throwing can begin at step 3. There should be no body contact or other jarring motions such as high speed stops or hitting a baseball with a bat.

SYMPTOMS? Return to rest until symptoms have resolved. If symptoms persist, consult a physician.

NO SYMPTOMS? Proceed to Step 4 the next day.

STEP 4: BEGIN DRILLS WITHOUT BODY CONTACT

SYMPTOMS? Return to rest until symptoms have resolved. If symptoms persist, consult a physician.

NO SYMPTOMS? The time needed to progress from non-contact exercise will vary with the severity of the concussion and with the player. Proceed to Step 5 only after medical clearance.

STEP 5: BEGIN DRILLS WITH BODY CONTACT

SYMPTOMS? Return to rest until symptoms have resolved. If symptoms persist, consult a physician.

NO SYMPTOMS? Proceed to Step 6 the next day.

STEP 6: GAME PLAY

NEVER RETURN TO PLAY IF YOU STILL HAVE SYMPTONS!

A player who returns to active play before full recovery from the first concussion is at high risk of sustaining another concussion, with symptoms that may be increased and prolonged.

HOW LONG DOES THIS PROCESS TAKE?

These steps do not correspond to days! It may take many days to progress through one step, especially if the concussion is severe. As soon as symptoms appear, the player should return to rest until symptoms have resolved and wait at least one more day before attempting any activity. The only way to heal a brain is to rest it

HOW DO I FIND THE RIGHT DOCTOR?

When dealing with concussions, it is important to see a doctor who is knowledgeable in concussion management. This might include your physician or someone such as a sports medicine specialist. Your family doctor may be required to submit a referral to see a specialist. Contact the Canadian Academy of Sport and Exercise Medicine (CASEM) to find a sports medical physician in your area. Visit www.casm-acms.org for more information. You can also refer your doctor to parachutecanada.org for more information.

WHO DO THESE GUIDELINES APPLY TO?

These guidelines were developed for children over the age of 10; those younger may require special guidelines, and more conservative treatment and care. Return to Play Guidelines should be at the discretion of the physician.

WHAT IF MY SYMPTOMS RETURN DURING THIS PROCESS?

Sometimes these steps can cause symptoms of a concussion to return. This means that the brain has not yet healed, and needs more rest. If any signs or symptoms return during the Return To Play process, they should stop the activity and rest until symptoms have resolved. The player must be re-evaluated by a physician before trying any activity again. Remember, symptoms may return later that day or the next, not necessarily during the activity!

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Grievance & Discipline Policy

Grievances – Team Level

All issues, concerns and grievances must be dealt with in a spirit of shared mutual respect. Grievances (at the team level) shall be handled as follows:

1. Grievances should never be discussed before or while a game or practice is in progress.
2. Players must observe a 24-hour cooling-off period before discussing any dispute with the Vice President.
3. Prior to submitting a grievance, and after the 24-hour cooling-off period, the player must find a captain or veteran player to help them through the process.
4. Players may make a grievance, **in writing only**, directly to the Vice President (or, in the case of a conflict, the President), to address any problems or concerns they may have after the 24-hour cooling-off period has been observed.

Unless otherwise specified, the procedure for resolving issues, concerns and grievances within the Edmonton Storm is to take the matter through the following:

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The General Manager will discuss issues, concerns and grievances with those involved; however, professional etiquette and common sense must be applied by all parties involved.

The Edmonton Storm recognizes the need for privacy and discretion in the gathering of all information and as such, it is expected of the General Manager to exercise a high level of integrity and confidentiality in dealing with issues, concerns, or grievances. Raising an issue, concern, or grievance will not be held against a player. All issues, concerns, and grievances will be recorded.

Once an investigation has concluded, a written response will be sent to the Member explaining the process taken and the outcome reached. This response will also be recorded and saved.

Grievance Review Committee

1. A Grievance Review Committee shall be formed by the Association and shall consist of 3-5 members from the Board which will include the General Manager, Head Coach, Association President, and 1 of the 2 player's representatives voted on at the AGM to represent the team. All members will need to be impartial to the concern at hand.
2. If a complaint is about any of those who sit on the Grievance Review Committee, then an appropriate replacement will stand instead. For example, if the complaint is about the President, then the Vice President will stand in as the replacement.
3. There must be 1 eligible voting member to represent the team, and may not include any person already sitting in an Executive position of the Storm.
4. All parties involved shall hold all grievances in strictest confidence and only the President or Vice President shall have the authority to disseminate the ruling of the Grievance Review Committee to the affected parties.

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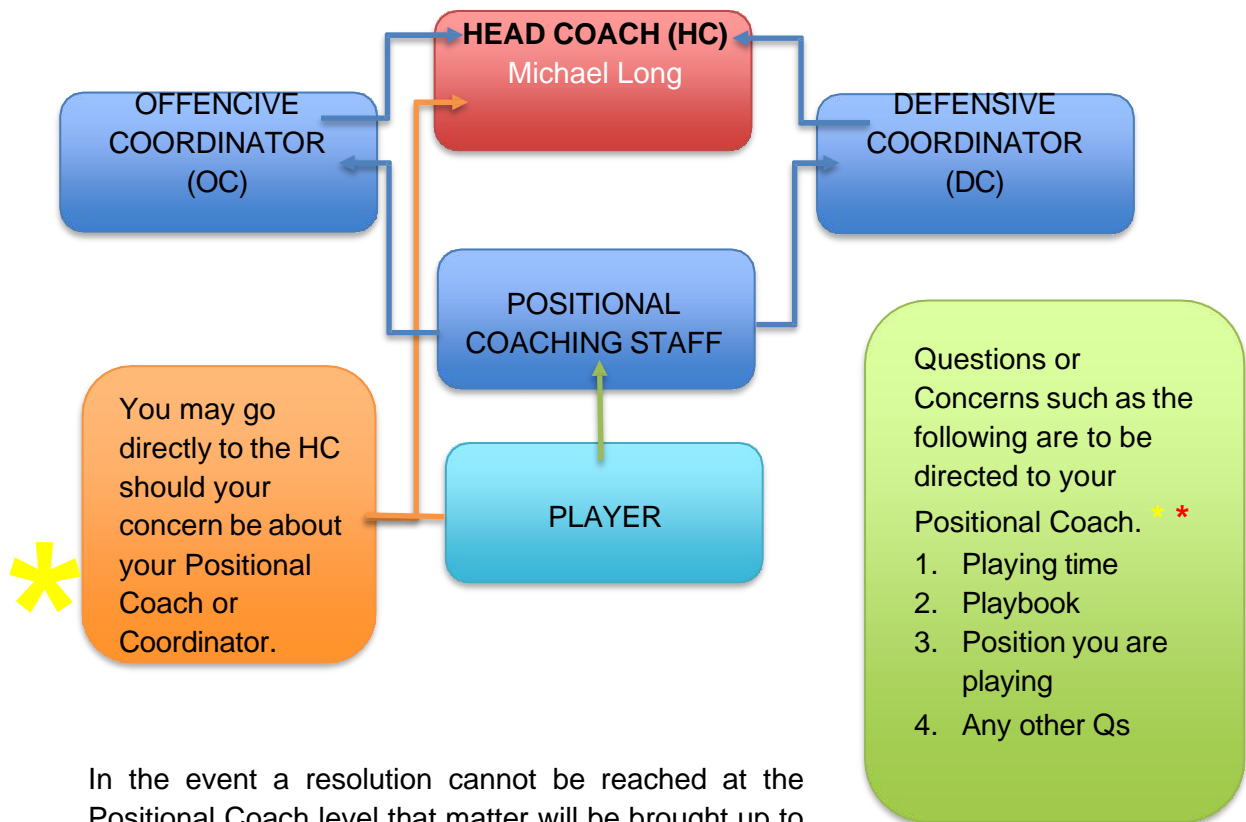
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Grievances – On Field

All issues, concerns and grievances must be dealt with in a spirit of shared mutual respect. Grievances (on field) shall be handled as follows:

1. Grievances should never be discussed before or while a game or practice is in progress.
2. Players must observe a 24-hour cooling-off period before discussing any dispute with their Positional Coaching Staff.

Unless otherwise specified, the procedure for resolving issues, concerns and grievances within the Edmonton Storm is to take the matter through the following:



In the event a resolution cannot be reached at the Positional Coach level that matter will be brought up to the Positional Coordinator (OC or DC). If a resolution is still not reached then the matter will be brought to the Head Coach (HC)

***** If your concern is about another player or the Head Coach you are to follow the Grievance-Team Level procedure with the General Manager/VP.

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Discipline

The following are examples of disciplinary sanctions that may be applied where it is found that an infraction has occurred:

- verbal or written reprimand;
- require a verbal or written apology;
- service or other voluntary contribution to the Storm;
- removal of certain privileges of membership;
- suspension from certain events, which may include suspension from the current competition;
- suspension from all Storm activities for a designated period of time;
- termination of membership;
- or publication of the disciplinary sanction.

The above are representative penalties only, they may be modified to fit the circumstances of the infraction, and they are presented generally in order of severity. All infractions will be kept in writing and on the Storm Drive, in accordance with the three strikes rule.

Three Strike Rule

Strike 1

First notable team infraction.

May include but is not limited to, verbal or written reprimand.

Strike 2

Second notable team infraction.

May include but is not limited to, suspension from certain team events, which may include suspension from current competition.

Strike 3

Third and final notable team infraction.

May include but is not limited to revocation of membership.

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Player Registration

PLAYER INFORMATION

PLAYER NAME (First/Last): _____

DATE OF BIRTH (yyyy/mm/dd): _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

POSTAL CODE: _____

PROVINCE: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

ALBERTA HEALTHCARE NO.: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

RELATIONSHIP: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

RELATIONSHIP: _____

ATHLETIC BACKGROUND

SPORT: _____

SPORT: _____

SPORT: _____

Have you ever played Tackle Football before: _____

How many years played: _____

What Position(s): _____

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JERSEY NUMBER REQUEST

Please keep in mind jersey numbers are positional based. We will do our best to accommodate all requests.

First Request: _____ Second Request: _____

STORM GEAR

Please provide the size you would wear for the following:

Tops: _____ Bottoms: _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Fees can be paid with the following options:

- E-Transfer to treasurer.edmontonstorm@gmail.com

2024 Season Fees **\$750**

Preseason Fee **due March 30, 2024** **\$250**

Season Fee Part 1 **due May 4, 2024** **\$250**

Season Fee Part 2 **due May 18, 2024** **\$250**

FUNDRAISING COMMITMENTS

All players are required to provide 4 fundraising cheques upon registration. These cheques will NOT be cashed if you fulfill your fundraising commitments.

Huskies & Wildcats (\$100) Chq No.: _____ Dated **November 1, 2024**

EQUIPMENT DEPOSIT

Equipment Deposit **\$500** Postdated cheque: **November 1, 2024**

Equipment Chq No. _____

Equipment cheques will be returned to players at the end of the season provided their equipment is returned to the team clean and in good condition.

PLAYER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

PLAYER NAME (Print): _____

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE:
(Parent or Guardian if player is under 18 years of age) _____

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Equipment Waiver

I acknowledge that I am using the following loaner equipment from the Edmonton Storm Women's Tackle Football Team:

- Helmet
- Shoulder Pads
- Practice Pants
- Practice Jersey(s)
- Game Pants
- Game Jersey
- Equipment Bag

I accept the responsibility for the care of the equipment as if they were my own. I will return all equipment I used to the equipment manager at the end of each session. I realize that I will be required to pay for the repair or replacement of the equipment if it is lost or misused while in my care.

EQUIPMENT ISSUED

Helmet

Brand: _____ Size: _____

Pads

Brand: _____ Size: _____

Pants

Size: _____

Practice Jersey

Size: _____ Color(s): _____

Equipment Bag

Number: _____

Jersey Numbers

Practice: _____ Game: _____

PLAYER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

PLAYER NAME (Print): _____

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

(Parent or Guardian if player is under 18 years of age) _____

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Photograph Waiver

The Edmonton Storm Women's Tackle Football Team uses photographs of individuals, which are taken while attending or participating in Storm activities or events. These photographs may be used to promote the Storm, or be used in, or as part of, fundraising publications, advertisements, websites, newsletters, social media sites, and displays intended for the general public. No other use of these photographs will be permitted by the Edmonton Storm Women's Tackle Football Team, unless written approval has been received.

Initial only if applicable. Parent/Guardian initial required for players under the age of 18.

I **agree** to my photo(s) being used: _____

I **do not** agree to my photo(s) being used: _____

I **agree** to my photo(s) being used, just **do not publish my name**: _____

PLAYER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

PLAYER NAME (Print): _____

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE:
(Parent or Guardian if player is under 18 years of age) _____

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RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS, ASSUMPTION OF RISKS, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT
BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT YOU WILL WAIVE CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS,
INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

TO: EDMONTON STORM WOMEN'S TACKLE FOOTBALL (2010) (REFERRED TO AS THE "TEAM")

ASSUMPTION OF RISKS

I am aware that participating in football training, practices, camps, games, tournaments, and other football events or activities involves physical contact and other physical challenges that will expose me or my child to many risks, dangers and hazards including but not limited to physical contact with other participants, equipment, various types of protective gear, training equipment, sparring equipment, floors, walls, all of which are incidental to football.

I AM ALSO AWARE OF THE RISKS, DANGERS AND HAZARDS ASSOCIATED WITH FOOTBALL AND I FREELY ACCEPT AND FULLY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, DANGERS AND HAZARDS AND THE POSSIBILITY OF PERSONAL INJURY, DEATH, PROPERTY DAMAGE AND LOSS RESULTING THEREFROM TO EITHER MYSELF OR MY CHILD INCLUDING THOSE RESULTING FROM **NEGLIGENCE ON THE PART OF THE BOARD OF THE TEAM OR ITS COACHES AND ASSISTANTS AND THEIR FAILURE TO SAFEGUARD OR PROTECT ME OR MY CHILD FROM THE RISKS, DANGERS, AND HAZARDS OF PARTICIPATING IN FOOTBALL.**

I also consent and agree to follow the rules and regulations set out by the Edmonton Storm Women's Tackle Football team at all times while on Team premises, including but not limited to rented premises, or while representing the Team or participating in Team events or activities at other locations whether in Alberta or elsewhere. I agree to follow the rules of Football Alberta and Football Canada as they apply to me. I acknowledge that if I am not familiar with the rules and regulations of the Edmonton Storm Women's Tackle Football team, Football Alberta or Football Canada, it is my responsibility to become familiar with them and these rules and regulations will be made available to me upon my request.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration of the Team accepting my registration, or that of my child made by me, to participate in any or all of the Team's programs, games, camps or any other activities offered by or involving the Team, and permitting me or my child to participate in football events with the Team at various locations throughout the City of Edmonton and elsewhere in the Province of Alberta, or elsewhere, I hereby agree as follows:

1. TO WAIVE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS that I have or may in the future have against the Team, and its operators, directors, officers, employees, agents, representatives, coaches, assistant coaches, guest coaches or guest assistant coaches, successors, and assigns (all of whom are hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Releases"), and TO RELEASE THE RELEASEES from any and all liability for any loss, damage, expenses, illness, or injury including death that I or my child may suffer, or that my next of kin may suffer resulting from either my or my child's participation in football events or otherwise involving the Team DUE TO ANY CAUSE WHATSOEVER, INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE, BREACH OF CONTRACT, OR BREACH OF ANY STATUTORY OR OTHER DUTY OF CARE ON THE PART OF THE RELEASEES, AND ALSO INCLUDING THE FAILURE ON THE PART OF THE RELEASEES TO SAFEGUARD OR PROTECT ME OR MY CHILD FROM THE RISKS, DANGERS AND HAZARDS OF FOOTBALL;

2. TO HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY THE RELEASEES from any and all liability for any damage to property of or personal injury to any third party, resulting from my or my child's participation in fencing or other activities with the Team;

3. I hereby consent to the use of photographs and videos in promotional materials and publicity efforts. I understand that the photographs and videos may be used in a publication, print ad, direct-mail piece, digital imagery, electronic media (e.g. video, CD-ROM, Internet/WWW), or other form of promotion. I release the Team, the photographer, their offices, employees, agents, and designees from liability for any violation of any personal or proprietary right I may have in connection with such use;

4. This Agreement shall be effective and binding upon my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and representatives, in the event of my death or incapacity;

5. This Agreement and any rights, duties and obligations as between the parties to this Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted solely in accordance with the laws of the Province of Alberta and no other jurisdiction; and

6. Any litigation involving the parties to this Agreement shall be brought solely within the Province of Alberta and shall be within the exclusive jurisdiction of the Courts of the Province of Alberta.

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7. In entering into this Agreement, I am not relying upon any oral or written representations or statements made by the Releases with respect to the safety of football and related Team activities other than what is set forth in this Agreement.

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS AGREEMENT AND I AM AWARE THAT BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT I AM WAIVING CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS WHICH I OR MY HEIRS, NEXT OF KIN, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES MAY HAVE AGAINST THE RELEASEES.



BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT AS PARENT OR GUARDIAN OF A PERSON UNDER THE AGE OF 18 YEARS, I AM CERTIFYING THAT I HAVE THE LEGAL AUTHORITY OF A PARENT OR GUARDIAN FOR THAT PERSON.

Signed at the City of _____, Province of Alberta on _____, 20_____.

Authorized Storm signature:	Signature of Player:	Signature of parent or guardian (if player is under 18 years)
PLEASE PRINT NAME CLEARLY:	PLEASE PRINT NAME CLEARLY:	PLEASE PRINT NAME CLEARLY:

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Policy Acknowledgement

Team policies apply to:

Active Players, Team Staff (paid and unpaid), and the Board of Directors

Code of Conduct

Social Media Policy

Substance Policy

Dependents, Significant Other, Guardian & Family Member Policy

Travel Policy

Return to Play Policy

Grievance: Team Level & On Field Policy

Discipline Policy

I _____ do hereby acknowledge that I have read the above noted Edmonton Storm Policies and agree to comply with the statements contained therein.

Storm Player (Print Name): _____

Storm Player Signature: _____

Signed on this day _____ of _____, 20_____ in the city of

_____, Alberta.

Storm Executive Signature: _____

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Player Medical Information

PLAYER INFORMATION

PLAYER NAME (First/Last): _____

DATE OF BIRTH (yyyy/mm/dd): _____

ALBERTA HEALTHCARE NO.: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

RELATIONSHIP: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

RELATIONSHIP: _____

MEDICAL BACKGROUND

FAMILY DOCTOR: _____ PHONE NO.: _____

LAST MEDICAL EXAM: _____

ALLERGIES: _____

Please mark the appropriate response below and provide details. Attach a separate sheet if necessary to provide trainers with details of condition, concern or treatment.

YES	NO		Details
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	History of concussion or other head injury	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Epilepsy	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Asthma, tuberculosis or bronchitis	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Heart condition or rheumatic fever	

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YES	NO		Details
		High or low blood pressure	
		Anemia, leukemia or bleeding disorder	
		Diabetes, hepatitis or jaundice	
		Kidney or bladder conditions	
		Hernia	
		Psychiatric diagnosis or disorder	
		Hearing problem	
		Wears glasses	
		Lenses shatterproof	
		Wears contact lenses	
		Wears dental appliance or braces	
		Trouble breathing during exercise	
		Surgery in the last year	
		Hospitalization in the last year	
		Injuries requiring medical attention in last year	
		Present injury	
		Fracture in last 3 years	
		Dislocation in last 3 years	
		Medications taken (list)	

To the best of my knowledge the above information is correct

PLAYER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

PLAYER NAME (Print): _____

DATE: _____

SIGNATURE:
(Parent or Guardian if player is under 18 years of age) _____