

Parent and Legal Guardian Consent Policy

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1? Introduction

The HDH-IAA Competition Management Platform ("Platform") supports the participation of athletes under the age of eighteen (18) ("Minors") in competitions organized through the Platform.

This Parent and Legal Guardian Consent Policy explains how Parents and Legal Guardians may create and manage Minor accounts, provide legally required consents, and exercise rights on behalf of Minor participants.

This Policy forms an integral part of the Platform's:

- Privacy Policy;
 - Terms of Service;
 - Cookie Policy;
 - Competition Rules.
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2? Purpose

The purpose of this Policy is to:

- protect the privacy and welfare of Minor participants;
 - ensure compliance with applicable data protection legislation;
 - establish the rights and responsibilities of Parents and Legal Guardians;
 - support safe participation in sporting events;
 - comply with safeguarding requirements adopted by sports organizations.
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3? Scope

This Policy applies whenever:

- a Minor creates or uses a Platform account;
 - a Parent or Legal Guardian registers a Minor for a competition;
 - personal data relating to a Minor is processed through the Platform;
 - a Parent or Legal Guardian exercises privacy rights on behalf of a Minor.
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4?Definition of a Minor

For the purposes of this Policy, a Minor is any participant who has not reached eighteen (18) years of age or such other age of legal majority as required by the laws applicable to the participant.

Where local legislation requires a higher or lower age for parental consent relating to information society services, the applicable legal requirements shall prevail.

5?Parent or Legal Guardian

A Parent or Legal Guardian is an adult legally authorized to represent a Minor.

The Platform Operator may request reasonable evidence of parental authority where necessary.

Acceptable evidence may include:

- official identification;
 - legal guardianship documentation;
 - other documentation reasonably requested by the Platform Operator or Competition Organizer.
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6?Parent Account

Parents or Legal Guardians may create a Parent Account.

A Parent Account may be linked to one or more Minor participant accounts.

The Parent Account allows the Parent or Legal Guardian to:

- register Minors for competitions;
 - update participant information;
 - manage competition registrations;
 - review participation history;
 - receive official communications;
 - complete payments;
 - manage emergency contact information;
 - access invoices;
 - exercise applicable privacy rights.
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7?Consent

By registering a Minor through the Platform, the Parent or Legal Guardian confirms that:

- they are legally authorized to act on behalf of the Minor;
- the information provided is accurate;
- they consent to the processing of the Minor's personal data as described in the Privacy Policy;
- they accept the Terms of Service on behalf of the Minor where legally permitted;
- they understand that official sporting results may be published;
- they understand that competition photographs or official event media may include the Minor where permitted by applicable law and competition rules.

Where additional consent is required under applicable law, the Platform will request such consent separately.

8 Responsibilities of Parents and Legal Guardians

Parents and Legal Guardians agree to:

- provide accurate information;
- keep participant information up to date;
- supervise the Minor's use of the Platform;
- protect account credentials;
- ensure compliance with competition rules;
- ensure that the Minor uses appropriate sporting equipment;
- promptly notify the Platform of significant changes affecting the Minor's participation.

9 Responsibilities of Minor Participants

Minor participants are expected to:

- comply with the Terms of Service;
- respect Competition Officials;
- follow safety instructions;
- provide truthful information;
- use the Platform responsibly;
- respect other participants.

The Parent or Legal Guardian remains responsible for supervising the Minor's use of the Platform where required by applicable law.

10 Personal Data of Minors

The Platform processes only the personal data necessary for:

- competition registration;
- participant identification;
- age verification;
- category assignment;
- communication;
- payment administration;
- safeguarding;
- emergency contact management;
- publication of official sporting results.

Processing of personal data is governed by the Privacy Policy.

11 Competition Participation

Parents or Legal Guardians acknowledge that participation in sporting competitions may require the publication of:

- participant names;
- competition categories;
- countries;
- clubs;
- rankings;
- scores;
- medals;
- awards;
- official results.

Such publication forms part of the official sporting record and is considered necessary for the administration and historical documentation of sporting competitions.

12 Emergency Contacts

Parents or Legal Guardians are responsible for providing current emergency contact information.

Competition Organizers may use this information solely for purposes related to participant safety, medical emergencies, or safeguarding.

13.2 Withdrawal of Consent

Where processing is based on consent, Parents or Legal Guardians may withdraw that consent at any time.

Withdrawal of consent does not affect:

- processing already carried out lawfully;
- processing based on legal obligations;
- processing necessary for the performance of a contract;
- retention of official sporting records;
- information required by applicable law.

Withdrawal of consent may affect the Minor's ability to participate in future competitions.

14.2 Transition to Adulthood

When a Minor reaches the age of legal majority, the Platform may require the participant to assume direct control of their account.

At that time:

- parental management rights may be removed;
- future consents may be obtained directly from the participant;
- account ownership may be transferred to the participant.

Historical competition records remain associated with the participant.

15.2 Safeguarding

The Platform supports safeguarding principles designed to promote the safety and wellbeing of children participating in sport.

Competition Organizers remain responsible for implementing safeguarding policies during competitions.

The Platform provides administrative tools supporting safeguarding but does not replace the responsibilities of Competition Organizers, Federations, coaches, or officials.

16.2 Contact Information

Questions regarding this Policy or the processing of personal data relating to Minors may be directed to:

HDH-IAA International Archery Association

Email: info@hdhiaa.net

Website: <https://hdhiaa.net>

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- Privacy Policy
- Terms of Service
- Cookie Policy