



## Tobacco Free Policy

On November 8, 2011 South Niagara Canoe Club officially became a tobacco-free club. We are committed to providing a healthy environment to athletes, coaches, volunteers and spectators involved with the organization.

## Policy:

All practices, activities, competitions, training sessions and events sanctioned by the South Niagara Canoe Club will be tobacco-free. Tobacco free means no smoking, snuffing, dipping or chewing tobacco by athletes, coaches, parents, spectators or volunteers within the area of other SNCC participants.

We will promote the tobacco-free policy by:

- Posting the policy on our website
- Writing an article in our newsletter "The Catch" explaining the policy
- Including the Play Live Be Tobacco Free logo on our door, website, brochures, registration forms and explaining the policy to all registrants
- Including the Play Live Be Tobacco Free logo on our paddles and banner

We will reinforce the tobacco-free policy at all activities sanctioned by SNCC by:

- Asking that all athletes and parents help to respectfully reinforce the policy when someone is not in compliance
- Including violation of the policy within the mandate of our Code of Conduct