



Code of Conduct Example



Participants Code of Conduct – Example

The club are fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well-being of all our members. The club believes it is important that members, coaches, administrators and parents associated with the club should, at all times, show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others. Therefore, members are encouraged to be open at all times and share any concerns or complaints that they may have about any aspect of the club with (Insert Name and Position e.g. Head Coach)

As a member of the club you are expected to abide by the following club rules:

- All members must participate within the rules and respect coaches and officials and their decisions
- All members must respect opponents and fellow club members
- Members should be on time for training and competitions or inform their coach if they are going to be late
- Members must wear suitable attire for training and events as agreed with the coach.
- Members must pay any fees for training or events promptly
- Members must not smoke, consume alcohol or take drugs of any kind whilst representing the club at competitions or other events
- Members should treat all equipment with respect
- Members must inform the head coach of any injuries or illness they may have before the warm-up begins
- Members should not eat or chew gum during a session
- Members must not use bad language
- Members should remain with coaches at the end of a session until collected by their parent or guardian

I understand and agree to abide by the club's Code of Conduct

Signed

Member _____ Date _____

Parent / Guardian _____ Date _____



Parents/Guardians Code of Conduct – Example

- Encourage your child to learn the rules and participate within them
- Discourage unfair play and arguing with officials
- Publicly accept officials' judgements
- Never criticise any player, coach or official
- Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results
- Set a good example by recognising good sportsmanship and applauding the good performances of all
- Never force your child to take part in sport
- Always ensure your child is dressed appropriately for the activity and has plenty to drink
- Keep the club informed if your child is ill or unable to attend sessions
- Share any concerns or complaints about any aspect of the club through the approved channels
- Use correct and proper language at all times
- Never punish or belittle a child for poor performance or making mistakes
- Always collect your child promptly at the end of a session
- Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport

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Signed

Parent / Guardian _____ Date _____



Coaches / Volunteers Code of conduct – Example

- Consider the wellbeing and safety of participants before the development of performance.
- Play your part in helping to develop an ethos where all people matter and are treated equally, and with respect and dignity.
- Develop an appropriate working relationship with participants, based on mutual trust and respect.
- Make sure all activities are appropriate to the age, ability and experience of those taking part.
- Promote the positive aspects of the sport (e.g. fair play).
- Display consistently high standards of behaviour and appearance.
- Follow all guidelines laid down by the national governing body and the club.
- Hold appropriate valid qualifications and insurance cover.
- Encourage participants to value their performances and not just results.
- Encourage and guide participants to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour.
- Only restrain a child who is at imminent risk of inflicting harm to themselves or others or is at risk of damaging property
- Ensure that when you are working with children you are at least within sight or hearing of other adults.
- Never exert undue influence over performers to obtain personal benefit or reward.
- Never condone rule violations, rough play or the use of prohibited substances.
- Never allow children to use inappropriate language unchallenged
- Never cause a participant to lose self esteem by embarrassing, humiliating or undermining the individual.

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Signed

Coach / Volunteer _____ Date _____