

### **Family/Spectator Code of Conduct**

- Maintain a positive attitude about, and provide encouragement to, your child and all team members. Strictly words of affirmation.
- Support your child's commitment to his/her team.
- Be an active participant in helping to build a cohesive team including staff, parents, and players.
- Recognize that winning any single game is not the most meaningful measure of your child or team's success.
- DO NOT COACH FROM THE SIDELINES.
- DO NOT QUESTION THE CALLS OF OR YELL AT THE REFEREE.
- 24 HOUR RULE - DO NOT reach out to coach, team manager, or other team staff until 24 hours after training, scrimmage, game, or tournament.
- Be respectful to all players, coaches, referees, and parents.
- Parents are to remain 10ft. AWAY FROM TEAM BENCH AT ALL TIMES. The team manager and assistant coach are exempt to this rule.
- SPECTATORS ARE TO SET UP OPPOSITE OF PLAYERS AND COACHES DURING TRAINING AND GAMES, unless the tournament or league operates otherwise.
- When appropriate, encourage your child to discuss issues directly with the coach (e.g. questions about playing positions or time should come from the player).
- If the need arises to discuss issues directly with the coach, do so privately.
- Coaches can be reached by email. IF you would like to schedule a phone call, EMAIL FIRST.
- No alcoholic beverages or drugs of any kind are allowed at games or practices. No powder or chemical activated devices are allowed at games or practices.
- Let common sense be your guide. Do not bring anything to the fields that can cause injury or disruption.