



# Macedon Rangers SC Parent Policy

## PURPOSE

The Club relies on parents to join in and create a safe, productive and enjoyable environment for our junior members. The way in which our parents conduct themselves while attending official clubs' events, including training and matches is of upmost importance. Our club is proud of our parent engagement and want to ensure this continues.

## GENERAL

All parents must adhere to the following.

- Commit to arrive at the advised location on time and with their child ready to play.
- Communicate in advance with the Team Manager if your child is unavailable for a match day, with a minimum of 48 hours' notice required.
- Come along and support the club
- Encourage all players, visually and vocally by turning up and shouting encouragement from the sidelines – both for our teams and the opposition.
- Refrain from shouting advice about tactics during training and the match, leave this to the coach
- Stay behind any fence, barrier in place that separates the spectators and the playing pitch at home games or away games.
- Follow the verbal or visual instructions from the club at training or on game day.
- Under no circumstances will negative behaviour be tolerated from parents, either towards our club, opposition clubs or match officials, this includes but is not limited to verbal and physical abuse to individuals and clubs.
- Be of assistance to the Team Manager/Coach if required
- Report any concerns to the Team Manager or a member of the committee
- Help promote the club to the community
- Your child's membership with the club could be negatively affected by poor parent/guardian behaviour

We are aware that sports, especially junior sports are emotive but remember the reasons why you are in attendance, you are doing it for your child, this is Macedon Rangers Soccer Club and we are not competing in a World Cup Final.

Enjoy the Season  
The Committee 2023