

# SUBURBAN FC

## COACH'S CODE OF CONDUCT

### VERSION 1.0

I will teach my athletes to play fairly and to respect their opponents, the rules of the game and the officials.

I will also respect the opposition, the rules of the game and the officials and abide by the rules of the Club.

I will endeavour to always be on time for a scheduled event and will always be dressed appropriately.

I will ensure that all athletes get equal instruction and support.

I will not ridicule or yell at my athletes for making mistakes or for performing poorly. I will remember that children play to have fun and are involved to learn about the game of soccer. They must be encouraged to have confidence in themselves.

I will remember that children need a coach they can respect. I will be generous with praise and set a good example. I will always give any criticism in a constructive manner, highlighting occurrences of poor play or poor decision making in a supportive and non-accusatory way.

I will encourage a team mentality and be vigilant of any instances of exclusion amongst my athletes, addressing these issues with the team and the parents as required.

I will obtain proper training, police checks and continue to upgrade my coaching skills.

When using social media, (Facebook, Twitter etc), I will respect the rights and confidentiality of others; not impersonate or falsely represent another person, not bully, intimidate, abuse, harass or threaten others (teammates, opponents, officials etc). I will not post content that is hateful, threatening, or incites violence against others, or post content that harms the reputation and good standing of SSC or those within its community.

#### Respect for Others/Harassment

- SFC is committed to providing an environment in which all individuals are treated with respect.
- It does not allow discriminatory practices.
- Disrespectful, offensive, abusive, racist or sexist remarks or actions are not appropriate behaviour. Respect for team mates, coaches, and



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officials, opposing team members, staff and their families all falls within the requirements for respectful behaviour.

- Coach's must abide by the CSA harassment policy. Harassment is improper behaviour related to one or more prohibited grounds that are offensive and which the person knew, or ought to reasonably have known would be inappropriate or unwelcome. The behaviour can be verbal or physical and can occur on a one-time, repeated, or continuous basis.
- A person does not have to intend to harass for the behaviour to be harassment. Harassment can take many forms but generally involves conduct, comment or display that is insulting, intimidating, humiliating, hurtful, demeaning, belittling malicious, degrading or/can otherwise cause offence, discomfort, or personal humiliation or embarrassment to a person or a group of persons.

Team Name (please print)
Coach's Name (please print)
Coach's Signature
Date

*This document may be executed and delivered by facsimile or other electronic signature and Suburban Football Club may rely on the receipt of such document so executed and delivered by facsimile or other electronic means as if the original had been received*



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