

Hanover Soccer Club

Players' Code of Conduct

By becoming a member of the Hanover Soccer Club Team, I hereby pledge to the following:

1. I will demonstrate sportsmanlike behavior by showing respect and courtesy to all players, coaches, officials, spectators and opposing team players at every game, practice or other HSC event.
2. I will encourage good sportsmanship to other players.
3. I will place my emotional and physical well being ahead of any personal desire to win.
4. I will never argue with or complain about a referee's calls or decisions, even if a referee makes a mistake.
5. I will not criticize officials, use direct abuse or profane language or gestures toward them, or otherwise question or undermine their authority.
6. I will treat other player's, coaches, officials and spectators with respect regardless of race, creed, color, sex or ability.
7. I will respect the property of all opposing teams' fields and comply with their rules.
8. I know that doing my best is more important than winning, and I will not show unsportsmanlike behavior no matter the outcome of the game.

I understand that by signing this document, I am agreeing to support and promote the HSC Players' Code of Conduct. Failure to comply with this agreement may result in disciplinary action, up to and including being forbidden from attending games and practices, or ultimately expulsion from the Hanover Soccer Club.

TO BE SIGNED BY ALL HANOVER SOCCER CLUB TRAVEL PLAYERS

Player's Name (Please print) _____

Team Name _____

Age Bracket _____

Players Signature _____

Date: _____