

PARENTS CODE OF ETHICS

1. I am my child's Number One role model. I will present the best possible example of character and behavior at all times.
2. I will allow the coach to coach the team. I will be an enthusiastic, positive supporter of the coaches' work during games by my actions and words.
3. I will relieve the pressure of competition by helping players to enjoy practices and games. I do know that players feel enough pressure on their own without any being added by parents.
4. I will help my child by having them at practice and games on time and properly equipped.
5. I will treat all participants (players, coaches, referees and spectators) with the same respect that I would want for my child. I will never yell at or touch a referee.
6. I will learn all that I can about the game. Before I try to interpret the Laws of the Game, I will make sure that I know the Laws of the Game.
7. I will appreciate good play, no matter who makes it.
8. I will remember that the game is for the players and no one else. I will do all that I can to support them, and make soccer as positive an educational experience as possible for them.
9. I will take an active interest in how participation is affecting my child as he/she grows into an adult. I will help them learn how to win, and how to find positives in a losing game.
10. I will support the team, club and league as they strive to give my child a positive environment. I will volunteer when I can, and appreciate the volunteers who do give of their time.
11. I will meet parents of opposing players that I don't know. It is harder to disrespect someone if I know them.