

ROCK SPORTS YOUTH FOOTBALL CLUB

PLAYERS & SUPPORTORS CODE OF CONDUCT –

ADULT MIXED TEAM

- Adhere to the laws of the game, play the game fairly and in the right spirit.
- Display and promote high standards of behaviour.
- Promote fair play.
- Always respect the match officials decisions, they are human and will make mistakes, just like you.
- Never engage in public or online criticism of the match officials.
- Never engage in offensive, insulting or abusive language or behaviour.
- Never engage in bullying, intimidation or harassment.
- Speak to my team-mates, the opposition and my coach/manager with respect.
- Win, lose or draw with dignity.
- Be punctual at all times.
- When representing your club wear the correct kit and ensure that you bring the correct kit and equipment to training sessions and matches.
- Take responsibility for your own travel arrangements, equipment, appearance and performance.
- When playing or training, be attentive. Ask if you do not understand.
- Ensure changing rooms and playing/training areas are kept tidy and litter free – take your little home or place it in the bin.
- Let coaches know, ideally in plenty of time if you are unable to attend training sessions or matches.
- Prepare yourself correctly for all training sessions or matches. Get plenty of rest, eat sensibly,
- drink plenty of fluids and come in your proper kit.
- Inform your coach of any injury.
- Shake hands with the opposing team and the referee at the end of every game.

Failure to adhere to these polices and principals could result in disciplinary action.

In the event of any cause for complaint against the Club or any of its officials please follow the correct complaints procedure as outlined in this pack. Your first point of contact is the Adult Welfare Officer.

Please do not telephone or privately message via Social Media / Whatsapp / Email coaches or officials of any other club at home without their agreed permission.

In signing (via the electronic registration form) and accepting the club's code of conduct for players you are also undertaking to ensure that any other family members or friends who support you at training sessions and on match days also behave in line with the above values.

Feel free to approach your coach with any questions, ideas or problems you might have. If you have any concerns please speak to your coach or follow the club complaints procedure.