



Cincinnati West Soccer Club Code of Conduct for Parents

The goal of the Cincinnati West Soccer Club (CWSC) is to enhance life through the game of soccer and to develop soccer talents and social skills. The adherence to this code of conduct is a requirement of all parents of players participating in CWSC events. Important life values such as sportsmanship, commitment, self respect and respect for others are emphasized in the players and coaches of CWSC.

CWSC accepts responsibility for the behavior of its members. Disciplinary action may be taken against any individual who fails to comply with this code.

PARENT'S CODE OF CONDUCT

I pledge to provide POSITIVE support, care and encouragement for the athletes of the CWSC by following the Parents' Code of Conduct.

I will instill notions of fair play and good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for ALL players, coaches, and officials at every game, practice or other CWSC related event.

Soccer belongs to the players. I will place the emotional and physical well being of the players ahead of my personal desire to win.

I will recognize the importance of the coaches. They are essential to the development of the players and the sport. I will communicate respectfully and support the coaches, in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience FOR ALL.

I will refrain from coaching the players. It is unfair to put the players in a position of having to decide who to listen to--their parents or their coach.

I will make every attempt to have my child attend every game and practice on time. As team members, we must be fully committed to the team.

I will remember that the game is for the players – NOT the adults.

I will do my best to make soccer FUN for my child and the other players.

I will embrace healthy and attainable goals for my child's participation in this sport. Developing new skills, learning to get along with others, and dealing with the emotions that come with winning and losing are important goals.

I understand that officials are responsible for ensuring that the game is played in a safe and fair manner for all participants. They do not make the rules, they only apply them.

I will applaud the good plays of both teams. I will NEVER engage in booing or taunting.

I will never swear, use profanity or make obscene gestures, or engage in any inappropriate behavior or conduct, at any time.

I will refrain from using alcohol or tobacco products in the presence of players. I will never use drugs.

I will treat all players, coaches, officials, parents, and spectators with dignity and respect in language, attitude, behavior and mannerisms.

I will insist my child treats players, coaches, spectators, parents and officials with dignity and respect in language, attitude, behavior and mannerisms.

I WILL LEAD BY EXAMPLE BY BEING A POSITIVE ROLE MODEL

Parent Name (Printed)

Parent Signature & Date

Team Name(s) _____

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