



SOUTH WEST SYDNEY SUMMER SOCCER PTY LTD

CODE OF CONDUCT PLAYERS AND TEAM OFFICIALS

1. Act respectfully toward team officials and players of the SWSSS competition.
2. Respect and follow the directions of SWSSS officials.
3. Treat all players and team officials with respect.
4. Act respectfully towards match officials at all times. Abusive language is unacceptable.
5. Avoid individual or collective behaviour, which may reasonably be held by spectators to be offensive.
6. Avoid all acts likely to incite spectators to violence or disorder.
7. For team officials, read, understand and comply with the Working with Children Handbook as available on www.SWSSS.com.au.
8. Not make any remarks based on race, religion, gender, or ability or any such comments that may be regarded as politically incorrect and that are directed at any SWSSS team officials, players, their family or spectators.
9. Make no detrimental statements in public (social media, radio, television, print or electronic media) in respect to the performance of any match officials, players, or any policy decisions of SWSSS.
10. Not use information technology to make or post inappropriate comments against players, clubs, club officials, match officials or competition officials, which is discriminatory or offensive. Information technology includes, but is not limited to, email, instant messaging, text messages, phone messages, digital images, website postings (including all social media such as Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and blogs).
11. Include at least one parent of each child in all team communications platforms.
12. Abide by all relevant competition rules & regulations.
13. Respect the facilities and equipment and avoid damage of any equipment.
14. Accept any decisions made by SWSSS with regards to disputes and grievances, including any disciplinary penalties determined by SWSSS.
15. All team communications (e.g. in message platforms such as SMS, Whatsapp or Messenger) is to include one parent of every child under the age of 18 years.
16. Photography with the use of a professional camera is only permitted with written permission of SWSSS.