

CODES OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS

MINI SOCCER –

Parents are expected to:

- Complete and return the Health and Consent Form pertaining to their child's participation in the Mini Soccer Centre. There is a legal requirement for parental consent
- Deliver and collect the child punctually to and from coaching sessions / matches. Wait until Coaches are present before leaving children at each venue
- Ensure their child is properly and adequately attired for the weather conditions of the time, including shorts, shirt, socks, tracksuit, sweat tops, hat, gloves, etc.
- Ensure that proper footwear and protective equipment are worn ALL times in accordance to Health and Safety Regulations. Any child not in possession of the fundamental requirements will not be permitted to participate
- Detail any health concerns pertaining to the child on the Consent Form, in particular breathing or chest conditions. Any changes in the state of the child's health should be reported to the Coach prior to coaching sessions
- To inform the Coach prior to departure from the field of play if the child is to be collected early from a coaching session
- Encourage their child to play by the rules and teach them that they can only do their best
- Behave responsibly on the sidelines – DO NOT 'coach' or shout unencouraging views and do not enter the coaching area
- Show appreciation and support the Coach
- Ensure their child is punctual
- Be realistic
- DO NOT take any photos of the group by camera, video camera, mobile phones, etc.
- Ensure their child's hygiene and nutritional needs are met
- Accept the official's judgement
- Acknowledge the importance and role of the Club Coaches who provide their time to ensure children's participation in the Club
- Promote their child's participation in playing sport is fun

Parents / Guardians have the right to:

- Know their child is safe
- Be informed of problems or concerns relating to their children
- Be informed if their child is injured
- Have their consent sought for issues such as trips
- Contribute to decisions within the Club
- Complain if they have concerns about the standard of coaching

Any misdemeanours and breach of this code of conduct will be dealt with immediately by the Mini Soccer Centre official. Persistent concerns or breaches will result in the parent / guardian being asked not to attend coaching sessions / games if their attendance is detrimental to the child's welfare