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CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

FOR

PLAYERS, PARENTS, SPECTATORS & TEAM OFFICIALS

This code of behaviour has been set down by the Committee of the East Sandringham Junior Football Club to define expectations of conduct for all members and associates of the football club.

- 1. Play by the rules. Rules are mutual agreements that should not be evaded or broken.**
- 2. Respect decisions of officials. Accept decisions of all officials as being fair and called to the best of their ability. Never argue with an official.**
- 3. Applaud good performance of all teams and players.**
- 4. Never ridicule or scold young players for making a mistake. Turn any defeat to victory by helping towards skill development and good sportsmanship.**
- 5. Do not use foul language, sledge or harass players, officials or spectators.**
- 6. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.**
- 7. Co-operate with coaches, team officials, team players and opponents. Without them there would be no competition.**
- 8. This code of conduct is to be enforced by the team managers.**
- 9. The East Sandringham Junior Football Club and Moorabbin Saint Junior Football League takes the above very seriously and will penalise players and teams that do not abide by these guidelines in line with MSJFL policy.**

“ Have fun, get fit, be prepared to lose sometimes. Everyone wins and loses sometime. Be a fair winner and a good loser. Enjoy !”