

SPARTAN CODE OF ETHICS

Players

- I will encourage good sportsmanship from fellow players, coaches, officials, and parents at all times.
- I will remember that soccer is an opportunity to learn and have fun.
- I deserve to play in an environment that is free of illegal drugs and alcohol; and expect everyone to refrain from their use at all soccer games.
- I will do the best I can each day, remembering that all players have talents and weaknesses the same as I do.
- ➤ I will treat my coaches, other players and coaches, game officials, other administrators, and fans with respect at all times; regardless of race, sex, creed, or abilities, and I will expect to be treated accordingly.
- ➤ I will concentrate on playing soccer. Always giving my best effort.
- I will play by the rules at all times.
- > I will at all times control my temper, resisting the temptation to retaliate.
- I will always exercise self-control.
- Conduct during competition towards play of the game and all officials shall be in accordance with appropriate behavior and in accordance with FIFA's "Laws of the Game", and in adherence to FYSA/FCFCrules.
- ➤ While traveling, I will conduct myself to be a credit to myself and myteam.
- Alcohol, illegal drugs and unauthorized prescription drugs shall not be possessed, consumed or distributed before, during or after any game or at any other time at the field and/or game complex.

Parents/Spectators

- I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, game officials, and administrators at all times.
- > I will place the emotional and physical well-being of all players ahead of any personal desire to win.
- I will support the coaches, officials, and administrators working with my child, in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.
- I will remember that the game is for the players, not for the adults.
- I will ask my child to treat other players, coaches, game officials, administrators, and fans with respect.
- > I will always be positive.
- I will always allow the coach to be the only coach.
- > I will not get into arguments with the opposing team's parents, players, or coaches.
- > I will not come onto the field for any reason during the game.
- > I will not criticize game officials.
- Alcohol, illegal drugs and unauthorized prescription drugs shall not be possessed, consumed or distributed before, during or after any game or at any other time at the field and/or game complex.

We, the undersigned, agree to Spartan Soccer Club's Code of Ethics and understand that any violation of these may result in suspension in our privilege to participate in sanctioned events and/or removal.