



## Sifil AFC Mini&Juniors Parents/Carers Code of Conduct

As a parent or guardian of a player participating in Sifil AFC Mini & Juniors program, it is important to uphold the values of sportsmanship, respect, and positive behaviour.

The following code of conduct outlines expectations for parents to ensure a safe, supportive, and enjoyable environment for all participants:

### Supportive Behaviour:

- Encourage your child to participate and enjoy the game regardless of the outcome.
- Offer positive reinforcement and constructive feedback to your child and their teammates.
- Respect the decisions of coaches, referees, and officials, even if you disagree with them.

### Respect for All:

- Treat coaches, players, referees, and opposing teams with respect and courtesy.
- Avoid engaging in disrespectful or confrontational behaviour, including verbal abuse, taunting, or negative gestures. (inc. social media conversations and being aggressive, confrontation with coaches)
- Remember that children are impressionable and emulate the behaviour they observe, so be always a positive role model.

### Safety and Well-being:

- Prioritize the safety and well-being of all participants, including your child and others.
- Follow all guidelines and protocols established by the club regarding health, safety, and COVID-19 precautions.
- Report any concerns or incidents involving safety or misconduct to the appropriate club officials promptly.

### Sportsmanship:

- Emphasize the importance of good sportsmanship, fair play, and integrity to your child.
- Applaud good performances and efforts from all players, regardless of the team.
- Discourage unsportsmanlike behaviour, such as cheating, foul language, or aggressive play.



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### **Communication:**

Maintain open and respectful communication with coaches, club administrators, and other parents.

Address any concerns or issues through proper channels, such as scheduled meetings or designated contact persons.

Refrain from publicly criticizing or undermining coaches, players, or club decisions.

### **Respect for Facilities:**

Respect the facilities and equipment provided by the club, including fields, dressing rooms, and equipment.

Clean up after yourselves and encourage your child to do the same, keeping the environment clean and safe for everyone.

### **Attendance and Punctuality:**

Ensure that your child arrives at practices and games on time and prepared to participate.

Notify coaches in advance of any absences or scheduling conflicts to maintain team cohesion and planning.

### **Promotion of Positive Experience:**

Encourage your child to have fun, make friends, and develop their skills while participating in the program.

Celebrate achievements and milestones, both individual and team-oriented, to foster a positive and supportive atmosphere

By adhering to this code of conduct, parents and guardians play a crucial role in promoting a positive and inclusive environment for all participants in the Sifil AFC Mini & Juniors program.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

[Parent/Guardian's Name]: \_\_\_\_\_

[Date]: \_\_\_\_\_

This code of conduct is hereby accepted and agreed to by the undersigned parent or guardian of a participant in the Sifil AFC Mini & Juniors program.