



CODE OF CONDUCT AND SPORTSMANSHIP YORK REGION SOCCER LEAGUE

It is the objective of the YRSL, supported by team coaches and officials to provide a safe program for the players to participate in, enjoy and enhance their skills.

THE YRSL ARE STRONG SUPPORTERS OF AND HAVE ADOPTED THE 'ZERO TOLERANCE' POLICY OF BOTH THE OSA AND YRSA.

- a) Team coaches and officials shall conduct themselves at all times in a proper manner so as to not bring the game into disrepute. High standards of personal conduct and fair play shall be maintained at all times.
- b) Team coaches and officials shall be responsible to abide by the playing rules as set out by all governing bodies.
- c) Communicate with players, parents/guardians to ensure all understand, support and abide by the playing rules and codes of acceptable conduct.
- d) Decisions of game officials will be accepted absolutely by players and team coaches/officials.
- e) Game officials are not to be verbally and/or physically abused in any manner whatsoever by coaches, players, parents/guardians and/or team's supporters.
- f) Abusive or foul language by coaches, players, parents/guardians or spectators will not be tolerated.
- g) Violent conduct will not be tolerated
- h) The team Head Coach is responsible for ensuring that the above rules are understood and abided by supporting coaching staff and managers.
- i) The team Head Coach will abide by the YRSA Tobacco Free Policy and will inform all team officials, parents and guardians of the policy.

Team coaches or officials are expected to inform the League of breaches of this Code of Conduct and Sportsmanship.

I acknowledge that I have read the above Code of Conduct and Sportsmanship and will respect and abide by its rules. I understand that any breach in these rules will result in disciplinary action through the YRSL and/or YRSA and/or OSA as per the YRSL Playing Rules.

NAME OF HEAD COACH

HEAD COACH SIGNATURE

TEAM NAME

AGE GROUP