



Code of Conduct

Parent's Pledge

**BDAFA has implemented codes of conduct for all its stakeholders.
Please make yourself familiar with the code as it applies to you as a parent.**

- 1. I won't pressure my child in any way- I know that this is their game not mine.**
- 2. I will not use bad language, nor will I harass players, coaches, officials or other spectators.**
- 3. I will encourage my child to play within the rules and respect officials' and coaches' decisions – no matter what.**
- 4. I will teach my child to respect the efforts of their opponents.**
- 5. I will remember that children learn best by example so I will applaud good play/performances by both my child's team and their opponents.**
- 6. I will give positive comments that motivate and encourage continued effort.**
- 7. I will focus on my child's and their team's efforts and performances – not the score.**
- 8. I will thank the coaches, officials and other volunteers who give their time to conduct the event for my child.**
- 9. I will volunteer my services and help when asked by a coach or official.**
- 10. I won't criticise or ridicule my child's performance after the game – I realise that good fun is more important than a good win.**
- 11. I will not arrive at the field intoxicated or drink alcohol at junior matches.**
- 12. I will respect the rights, dignity and worth of all people involved in the game, regardless of their gender, ability or cultural background.**

I agree to abide by this code of conduct and to be subject to the rules and policies of the club/association or associated governing bodies.

This is my Parent's Pledge

Parents Signature

Parent Print First & Surname

Club that I am a Member or Associated with for the purpose of this pledge

Date