



[Taylors Lakes Football Club](http://taylorlakesfc.net)



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The Team's Runner must always be visibly wearing their EDFL issued YELLOW VEST and must understand that:

- their sole duty is to deliver the coach's message and then take the most direct route back to the coach immediately after delivering the message. The runner must not speak to or abuse an umpire, opposition player or official. Remember it is a privilege to have a runner and if we abuse the privilege we will lose it.
- as needed, Runners for U11, U12 Youth Girls and U13 are also allowed to take a water bottle to players when delivering a message. This is due to the teams not being allowed to have separate water persons.

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As an official who is representing the Taylors Lakes Football Club, you are bound by the EDFL Code of Conduct and you MUST:

- **AVOID ALL ABUSIVE LANGUAGE AND ANY DEROGATORY COMMENTS.**
- **Respect** the rights, dignity and worth of all participants and spectators, regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- **Set an example** to our players and spectators. Be consistent, objective and courteous when making decisions.
- **Create opportunities** for participants to learn appropriate sporting behaviour.
- **Condemn unsporting behaviour** and promote respect for all opponents.
- **Place safety and welfare** of the participants above all else and keep up to date with the latest trends in officiating, sport safety policy and the principles of growth and development.
- **Be calm and** sensible when dealing with any conflict and when possible, deal with it in private.
- **Be aware** of potential volatile situations at all times and be prepared to deal with them appropriately.

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YOU MAY FACE PENALTIES FROM OUR CLUB AND/OR THE E.D.F.L.