

## **REGENT CODE OF CONDUCT - PLAYERS and PARENTS, GUARDIANS, GUESTS,**

Regent Soccer Club provides a safe, fun and competitive environment for our players. We appreciate everyone contributing to this positive atmosphere.

Regent promotes good sportsmanship amongst players, coaches, parents and all members of the club and promises to provide a safe environment for all. All players, parents, coaches and members of the club are expected to follow the proper code of conduct related to their position within the club.

### **Regent Player Code of Conduct**

Each player is responsible for their words and actions on the field, whether it be a game or practice, and immediately before and after games and practices. All players must sign a code of conduct before the season agreeing to adhere to the principles below.

Players promise to:

1. Display good sportsmanship at all times.
2. Players are never to address the referees at any time. This is the sole responsibility of the coach.
3. Players are not to address the opposing team's coach, players or fans.
4. Players are not to criticize their coach at any time.
5. Players are not to criticize their teammates at any time.
6. Players agree to try to attend all games and trainings and to give full effort at all times.

### **Regent Parent, Guardian and Guests Code of Conduct**

Each parent, guardian and guest is responsible for their words and actions on the soccer fields before, during and after matches and training. Parents, guardians and guests are also responsible for all correspondence with any member of the board or coaching staff. All parents/guardians must sign the code of conduct before the start of the season agreeing to adhere to the principles below. Further, all parents and guardians are responsible for the guests they bring to each Regent Soccer event.

I promise to:

1. Promote positive behavior and play at all times. Trying their best is the most important thing a player can do at soccer.
2. Be respectful of the effort their player and every other player is giving.
3. Be respectful of the effort that both teams are giving. It is completely appropriate and recommended to cheer good play by the opposing team.

4. Be respectful of the referees and understand they are doing their best. Respect their decisions and do not question their motives.
5. Be respectful of the coaching staff and their efforts. Coaches are here to help your child and are also giving their best efforts to achieve that goal. Parents/guardians should never attempt to coach from the sidelines.
6. To get their player to each game or practice.
7. Please respect the soccer environment. Refrain from profanity, drugs, tobacco and alcohol at trainings and matches. Please pick up after yourselves and treat each public park with respect.
8. Parents/guardians will not question the coaching staff decisions during or immediately after a game. If there are any concerns the parents will wait 24 hours to discuss the issue.
9. All correspondences, whether written or oral, should be positive.
10. If there are concerns or questions not adequately covered by the coach the parent shall raise these concerns with the Director of Coaching or Board of Directors.

I have read and understand the above statements. I agree to conduct myself in accordance with this document. I understand that if I fail to follow these guidelines, the disciplinary procedure will include:

- verbal warning from Regent SC
- written warning by official, coach, and or Club Director
- Parent/guardian or guest game suspension with written documentation of incident and kept on file
- game forfeit through the coach
- player suspension
- if multiple issues occur a player may be asked to leave the club
- Regent reserves the right to assess any situation and, if warranted, move directly to suspension or expulsion

Player signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_