

PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

Parents, players, coaches and fans represent the Brandon Futbol Club when our teams play and practice. The actions of one of us affect the image of all of us. This Code of Conduct requires us to work together to play with good sportsmanship and to treat players; coaches, referees and parents with respect.

TREAT REFEREES WITH RESPECT

- There are no circumstances in which a parent or a coach should confront a referee during or after a game
- Do not verbally harass a referee. If you disagree with a call, do so quietly.

TREAT YOUR TEAM WITH RESPECT

- Ensure your child has the required equipment and is on time for games and practice.
- Pick up your child promptly; please do not make the coaches wait for you.
- Disagreements with the coach do not belong on the public soccer field at any time. Critical questions and comments should be voiced later according to club policy and procedures.

TREAT OUR PLAYERS AND OPPONENTS WITH RESPECT

- Coaches, not parents, are the ones we entrust to instruct our players. Parent criticism of (or "constructive help" for) other BFC players is not well received by the player, coach or the player's parents.
- Never yell or criticize a player on the opposing team. Think of how you feel when another parent or coach, especially from another team, yells at your child.
- Avoid confrontations or shouting matches with the referees, coaches, parents or fans of an opposing team. Move to another part of the field where you cannot hear them.
- No alcohol, drugs, profanity or fighting are permitted a game or practice.

GRIEVANCES AND CONSEQUENCES

Your manager is a board member and should be contacted first if you feel a parent's, player's or coach's behavior warrants corrective action. The manager will attempt to resolve the issue, but may refer it to the club's directors or the full board for a remedy.

The penalties may include reprimands, suspension of playing/coaching/spectator privileges, and expulsion from a team or club

MYSA may respond to certain actions that take place during events that they sanction, such as the following:

- Confrontations involving verbal abuse, threats or touching a referee.
- Confrontations between parents and coaches or parents and opposing team parents.

This governing body has the authority to impose fines and suspensions above and beyond those imposed by the Brandon Futbol Club.

Signature: As a parent of player in the Brandon Futbol Club, I acknowledge....

- That I have read, understand and will adhere to this Code of Conduct.
- That my continued participation in club activities, and that of my children, is contingent upon my ability to comply.
- That I will help my fellow parents and coaches when they need to be reminded of their own commitment to this Code of Conduct.

Team _____ Signature _____

Print Name _____ Date _____