



**MERNDA JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB**

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## **MERNDA JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB** **CODE OF CONDUCT**

- All players, administrators, members & supporters are to represent the Club in an appropriate & respectful manner both on & off the field.
- The Club's property, equipment & facilities are provided for your benefit & must be treated with respect.
- Play by the rules & respect the decision of the umpires & the League. Control your temper.
- Be courteous & use the correct process in seeking a rule clarification i.e. only the captain can approach the umpires.
- Verbal abuse of umpires &/or sledging other players, deliberately provoking an opponent is not acceptable or permitted at Mernda Junior Football Club.
- Treat all players as you would like to be treated, do not interfere with, bully, or take unfair advantage of another player.
- Cooperate with your coach, teammates & opponents. Without them, there is no game.
- Avoid using derogatory language based on gender, race, or impairment.
- Respect the rights, dignity & worth of every person, regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background, or religion.
- Work equally hard for your team, your club & yourself.
- By committing to MJFC you are expected to attend & support as many events including football games & functions.
- Acknowledge that you should always put the Club's best interest first. Respect the Club by not making disparaging remarks that are likely to damage MJFC reputation, spread malicious gossip or attempt to entice others to leave the Club or teams.

A breach of the Codes of Conduct & the Committee may impose suspension &/or expulsion from the Club.

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CODE OF CONDUCT**

**By registering with Mernda Junior Football Club &/or by becoming a member of this Mernda Junior Football Club, you agree to abide by these Code of Conduct & Principles. And you support the Club in its undertakings & encourage the Club to take the necessary disciplinary actions.**