



## **ACC CODE OF CONDUCT**

The Code of Conduct details the standards and practice required by all Airdrie Community Club (ACC) members including officials, managers, coaches, players, volunteers, parents/guardians, and spectators.

ACC has to ensure that all associated with the club do not engage in conduct deemed unacceptable.

This applies to all club activities including matches, training, and all events where they may associate with the club.

### **Code of Conduct for Players:**

Players are the most important people in the sport. Players should:

- ◆ Make every effort to develop their own sporting abilities, in terms of skill, technique, tactics and stamina.
- ◆ Give maximum effort and strive for the best possible performance during a game, even if the team is in a position where the desired result has already been achieved.
- ◆ Set a positive example for others, particularly young players, and spectators.
- ◆ Always have regard for the best interests of the club, and others involved in the game.
- ◆ Not use inappropriate language.
- ◆ Make every effort consistent with Fair Play and the Laws of the Game.
- ◆ Know and abide by the Laws, rules and spirit of the game, and the competition rules.
- ◆ Accept success and failure, victory and defeat with an equal measure of dignity.
- ◆ Treat opponents with due respect at all times, irrespective of the result of the game.
- ◆ Safeguard the physical fitness of opponents, avoid violence and rough play, and help injured opponents.
- ◆ Accept the decision of the Match Official without protest. Show due respect towards Match Officials.
- ◆ Talk to someone I trust or the club coaches if I'm unhappy about anything at my club
- ◆ Abide by the instructions of their Coach and Team Officials, provided they do not contradict the spirit of this Code.
- ◆ Show due respect towards the Team Officials of the opposition.
- ◆ Advise my coach when I will not be available.
- ◆ Show a high standard of behaviour while representing my club.