



CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PLAYERS

- Be respectful of everyone participating (coaches, staff, volunteers, officials, young people, parents and other teams and staff)
- Value diversity and treat and everyone equally
- Play within the rules of the game
- Never shout at or criticise other players
- Celebrate your successes in ways that do not upset other players
- If you are upset about any losses, talk to someone - never lash out physically or verbally
- Set a positive example for others, especially younger players and spectators
- Respect and accept official's judgements. Make any challenges respectfully.
- **Show support and empathy towards Junior Referees who are doing their best to manage a very complicated game - remember they are children too, just trying to do their best so if a mistake is made, be kind and patient**
- Talk to our Safeguarding Lead or a trusted adult if you have any worries

