

Code of Conduct for Officials

This Code applies to all team/club officials (although some items may not apply to all officials).

All club representatives and officials must

- Set a positive example for others, particularly young players and supporters.
- Promote and develop his own team having regard to the interest of the Players, Supporters and reputation of the national game.
- Share knowledge and experience when invited to do so, taking into account the interest of the body that has requested this rather than personal interests.
- Avoid all forms of gamesmanship.
- Show due respect to Match Officials and others involved in the game.
- Always have regard for the best interests of the game, including where publicly expressing an opinion of the game and any particular aspect of it, including others involved in the game.
- Not use or tolerate inappropriate language.
- Give priority to the interests of the team over individual interests
- Promote ethical principles
- Show due respect for the interests of the players, coaches and officials, their own club/team and others
- Accept the decisions of the Match Official without protest
- Avoid words or actions which may mislead a Match Official
- Show due respect towards Match Officials.

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