



Parent's Code of Conduct

Ginga Football Club member policies (read below) must be adhered by all players & parents for the seasonal year 2015/16 in order to remain in "Good Standing". **Failure to abide to these policies could result in suspension from practices and/or games of the player and/or the parent.** Repeatedly misconduct from either a player or a parent(s) can result in permanent ejection of the club.

- During all playing seasons, I will make every effort to bring my child to all practices, games, tournaments, as well as team events. I will make every effort to be on time by arriving 15 minutes prior to every training session and 45 minutes prior to every game. If conflicts arise, I will contact my team manager in a timely manner (24 hours beforehand) -and communicate the reason of my absence or lateness.
- I understand that the coach's best interest is in the development of my child individually and on a team environment. I understand that positions and playing time are based on the coach's judgment. I will encourage my child to maintain a positive communication with the coach to express any concerns and feelings. If I have any issue with the coach I will contact my manager who will guide me to the Coaching Director to address my concern.
- I understand that my child will not be able to join the team practice if late more than 45 minutes.
- I understand that my child will not be able to join the team games if not at the field before first half ends.
- I will never approach a coach, manager or another parent during or after the game. I will give at least 24 hours after the game to give my feedback and/or share my concerns. My concerns will be expressed in writing and a meeting with Ginga FC club representatives will be scheduled if necessary. Email should be directed to GINGAFC.CT@GMAIL.COM.
- During practices and games, I will respect the team environment by not entering the field and/or engaging in any communication with the players, specially my own child, unless allowed by the coach or manager. During games, my comments will be focusing on cheering the team in a positively manner and I will not coach from the sidelines. I will be respectful towards officials and my opponent at all times avoiding vulgar language and malicious comments.
- I understand that my child is allowed to play any other sport for my town team, but in case of ANY conflict I will prioritize Ginga FC. I will inform my town coach prior to the start of the season of such conduct. I understand that I AM NOT allowed to play for another premier team.
- I will exemplify good sportsmanship.
- I will remember that the game is for the players, not for the adults. I will make sure that my actions support my children.
- I will show respect at all times for coaches, referees, players, spectators, and club officials. I will refrain from yelling or loudly questioning the referees' judgment and let the coaches handle interactions with the referees during games.
- I will control my temper. I will not be rude, fight or use foul or abusive language or inappropriate gestures.
- I will never harass an opposing player, a player on my child's team, or any team personnel.
- I will cheer good plays and encourage players from the sidelines. I will applaud performance and remind players to keep their spirit and energy in the game.
- I will let the coaches provide the only coaching to the players. By doing this I know I am supporting the players' development.

- I will not attempt to step up and help coaches during any games or training session unless approved by the club.
- I will encourage my son or daughter to have a voice with their coach. I will encourage my child to speak with the coach on a regular basis on what they need to do to improve.
- I will support my players to take ownership for their development. I will encourage them to spend additional time on their own with the ball.
- I will support the entire team. I recognize that the development of the team depends on the contribution of all the players and their relationships with each other.
- I will encourage my son or daughter to set and work towards goals to improve as a player.
- Look good. Feel good. Play good.
- I will ensure my child arrives at all events dressed, equipped and ready to play.
 - Cleats, indoors shoes, shingards, practice uniforms (jersey, shorts and socks)
 - Soccer Ball
- I will support the player code of conduct and help my player follow it. I will refrain from any activity or conduct that may be detrimental or reflect adversely upon Ginga FC, its members or its programs.

Parent's Name _____ Parent's Signature _____

Date: _____