



Parent Code of Conduct:

Parents will understand that the Manchester Soccer Club is for the benefit of the children. Parents are required to conduct themselves in a manner consistent with creating a positive experience for the players and their families. As a parent or guardian of a child registered with the MSC, you are responsible for the conduct of your guests and other family members. MSC will not tolerate a parent yelling at or belittling a player, officials, coaches or other parents in any way.

As an adult and role model, children are influenced by my words and actions. I agree to the following:

- ☺ I will not coach any players from the sidelines during games.
- ☺ I will be respectful and courteous of others. I will encourage players, officials and coaches through my positive actions and attitude. I will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike behavior with officials, coaches, players or parents such as arguing, booing, taunting or using profane language, gestures, aggression, or violence.
- ☺ I will teach my child to treat other players, coaches, and officials with utmost respect regardless of their age, race, creed, color, gender, or ability. I will also teach my child to resolve conflicts without resorting to violence or argument.
- ☺ I will not ridicule or yell at my child or any other participant for making a mistake. I will not hold a specific child responsible for losing a competition.
- ☺ I will get my child to practices, games, and tournaments on time. I will pick them up on time as well.
- ☺ During practices and games, I will never discuss an issue with a coach while players are in the area. I will wait until the players have moved away or I will make an appointment to speak with the coach away from the players.
- ☺ If I approach the coach to discuss an issue or concern, and the coach asks me to wait 24 hours, I will respect his/her decision. A meeting or phone call will be scheduled for the following day.
- ☺ I will not complain about my child's playing time. If I would like to see my child have more playing time I will discuss with the coach how my child might earn more game time.
- ☺ I understand all children participate to have fun and that games are for the kids, not the adults.
- ☺ I will be a positive role model for children. I will encourage them to reach the highest levels of sportsmanship, and to play by the rules.
- ☺ I fully understand that MSC has ZERO Tolerance when it comes to unsportsmanlike behavior.

NOTE: Any and all reported violations of the Code of Conduct will can include suspension and or expulsion from future MSC teams or events.

I have read and understand the MSCs Parents Code of Conduct Contract and I agree to abide by these values. I also accept any actions taken for my failure to abide by these values.