



WWFC COACHES CODE OF CONDUCT & BEHAVIOUR

“For the good of the game”

A coach’s primary responsibility is to make sure that his/her players have fun, develop as footballers and to instil in them a passion for the game.

The performance of coaches is not measured in wins and losses, but rather in what players learn in terms of technique, sportsmanship and fair play.

Coaches have the responsibility to control their players at all times during a match.

Coaches must lead and teach by example; players will be a reflection upon their coach.

WWFC Coaches will:

- Use positive reinforcement when dealing with players
- Never use foul or abusive language and never abuse a player mentally, verbally or physically
- Have respect for the authority of referees, our opponents on match days as well as the committee and officials of their club
- Teach the kids the rules of the game, fair play and proper playing & training behaviour
- Develop their technique and their decision-making ability

In addition:

- Coaches will not allow a player to take part in a training session or a match if he/she is injured or has been injured for a period of time where the player requires an amount of time to recover and where the player needs to be excused from training or match days. It is a requirement from this Club that a player is cleared by a doctor to resume training or playing, especially if the player has been hospitalised.
- Coaches will never try to move or encourage anyone to move any player who is injured, if a player cannot move on his own accord, an ambulance should be called immediately.
- Coaches will always be enthusiastic
- Coaches will try their best to make the game enjoyable for everyone who takes part – players, opponents, parents/carers and spectators

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