



COACHES CODE OF CONDUCT

Coaches play an important role in the development of football. They ensure participants have positive experiences.

This code of conduct provides a guideline for the professional behavior of a coach. The main purpose is to maintain a standard of coaching and to protect the individual.

any individual coaching a team must follow the Gibraltar FA Coaches Code of Conduct.

I WILL:

- Lead by example and be responsible for the behaviour of your squad.
- Learn & RESPECT the Grassroots youth football rules and regulations of the Gibraltar FA
- Ensure the safety of the children and train in a safe environment
- Treat all players equally and encourage them to accept responsibilities Accept decisions of the referee
- Maintain control of emotions & refrain from using abusive language Remember that players participate for fun and enjoyment
- Respect the opponent
- Co-operate fully with the T.Y.C and other members of staff and club members
- Show concern and caution towards sick and injured players and follow the advice of a physio whether an injured player is ready to practice or play
- I will respect the rights, dignity, and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background, or religion

SANCTIONS

I understand that if I do not follow the coaches code of conduct policy, the following actions may be taken by the Gibraltar FA.

- Can be suspended (disciplinary action) under the rules and regulation of the Gibraltar FA.
- Withdrawal of your coaching license.



PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

Players must show RESPECT in all areas of the game

All players must abide by the Gibraltar FA Player Code of Conduct.

I WILL:

- Learn and respect the rules of the game
Ensure fair play in all circumstances
Respect my opponents at all times.
- Respect and accept the decisions of the referee at all times.
Play for the fun and enjoyment of the game.
- Endeavour to develop my skills and grow as a player in football
- Respect the facilities at all times.
- Respect my team-mates at all times.
Respect my coach at all times.

SANCTIONS

I understand that if I do not follow the Code of Conduct policy, the following actions may be taken by the Gibraltar FA:

- Make an apology to person concerned.
- Be suspended under the rules and regulations of the Gibraltar FA.



SPECTATORS, PARENTS, CARERS CODE OF CONDUCT

Parents are a role model for their children And must provide a good example to their child.

All parents / spectators must abide by the Gibraltar FA Parent Code of Conduct.

I WILL:

- Remember that children play football for their own enjoyment, not for that of their parents.
- Encourage children to always respect the rules of the game
- Applaud good plays and provide positive comments that motivates and encourage my child's continued effort
- Ensure fair play in all circumstances
- Respect the decision of the coaches & referees and teach the children to do the same thing
- Support, help and encourage everyone involved in the game. Without them the children would not have the opportunity to play.
- Allow children to play without pressure
- Inform the T.Y.C of any problems relating to my child

I understand that if I do not follow the Parent/Spectator code of conduct policy, the following actions may be taken by the Gibraltar FA.

- Disciplinary action against you under the rules and regulations of the Gibraltar FA.
- Banned from the stadium.
- Police intervention depending on offence.



REFEREES CODE OF CONDUCT

Grassroots referees should be aware that refereeing a match for children is completely different from refereeing a match for adults.

In youth football, referees are not just rule keepers, they are primarily educators.

Referees should conduct themselves at all times in a professional manner.

All referees must abide by the Gibraltar FA Referee Code of Conduct.

I WILL:

- Protect the children and ensure that the children are playing in a safe environment
- Ensure fair play in all circumstances
Treat every child equally
- Treat fellow referees with respect.
Allow the children to play.
- Explain the laws of the game to the children during the game.
- Remain consistent, objective, and polite at all times.
- Ask the children to shake hands before and after the match
Always be a role model to the children
- Encourage the children to respect others at all times.