



Johnsburg White Lightning Soccer Club

P.O. Box 550, Ringwood IL 60072

PARENTS CODE OF CONDUCT

The Johnsburg White Lightning Soccer Club strives to provide a highly enjoyable and positive experience for our youth players. We aim to provide a quality environment that enables each player to develop his or her ability to the fullest extent possible. Players, parents, coaches and volunteers are integral to this positive and quality environment. By the signing the following pledge, you are certifying that you will support the Johnsburg White Lightning Soccer Club in developing this positive and quality environment and displaying good sportsmanship, fairness and common courtesy at all times.

I/We the Parents/Guardians of _____ pledge to:

1. Be encouraging, supportive, and affirmative towards my child's play, and his/her teammates' play, on and off the field.
2. Respect the officials and accept their decisions and calls.
3. Support and respect the coach, team manager, trainer, and all members of the team.
4. Volunteer my services and talents to the team and Club when possible if help is requested by the coach, team manager or Club.
5. Become familiar with the FIFA Laws of the Game. www.fifa.com
6. Comply with all rules, policies and procedures of the team and Club.
7. Maintain communication with the coach and/or trainer regarding my child's progress or participation, at appropriate mutually agreeable times or preferably via email.
8. Refrain from discussions of any concerns not addressed with the coach, team manager or trainer with the Club Administrator to other parents until issue is fully resolved.
9. Fulfill my financial obligation to the Club in a timely manner to avoid interruption in my child's participation.
10. Ensure that all visiting spectators attending a game with me adhere to this Code of Conduct.

Further, I will not:

1. Engage in loud, disrespectful or hostile comments directed toward any official.
2. Engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent.
3. Coach or criticize any player, including my own, from the sidelines during any game.
4. Interfere at any time with the duties and responsibilities of the coach, team manager, or trainer.
5. Act in any manner which is detrimental to the team or Club.

Consequences can include:

1. Verbal warning from coach or team manager and a written warning from the Club Administrator.
2. Being asked to leave the field area during a game or training session.
3. Being suspended from attending future game(s) as decided by Club Administration.
4. Your child being suspended from activities (practices/games) as decided by Club Administration.

All serious violations of this Code of Conduct that result in consequences more than a verbal warning from the team coach or manager must be reviewed by the Club Administrator. A Board Meeting will be held that you must attend to determine further disciplinary action if necessary which could result in any and all of listed consequences up to and including being removed from the Club.

Parent/Guardian _____ Signed _____ Date _____

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