



The Oakleigh Dragons ask Parents/ Guardians/ Supporters to observe the following
Codes of Behaviour

- Remember that children play sport for their enjoyment, not yours.
- Encourage children to participate – do not force participation upon them.
- Focus on the child’s efforts and self esteem rather than whether they win or lose.
- Encourage children to always participate according to the rules.
- Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or for the team losing a game.
- Remember that children learn best by example - applaud the efforts of all players in both teams.
- Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.
- Show appreciation and respect for volunteer coaches, officials and administrators, without whom your child would not be able to participate.
- Respect umpires’ decisions and teach children to do likewise.
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- Demonstrate appropriate social behaviour by NOT using foul language, harassing players, coaches, officials or umpires.
- The responsible consumption of alcohol is expected **at all times.**

I/we accept and agree to abide by the above code of behaviour

Signed..... Date.....

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