

Player Code of Conduct

I agree to abide the following rules and guidelines at practices and games at Monrovia Youth Soccer League. I understand that if I fail to abide by this code of conduct there will be consequences including reprimands, probations, suspensions, or expulsions. Any player that is penalized in a game with a red card will be removed from that game and suspend for the following game in accordance with Indiana Youth Soccer Guidelines.

1. I will exhibit sportsmanship and fair play at every training session, competition, and tournament. I will also encourage this behavior from other teammates, club-mates, coaches, officials, and supporters.
2. I will make every reasonable effort to attend all training sessions and competitions, and I will notify my coach if I cannot attend a training session or competition.
3. I understand that playing time in games is determined by attendance, attitude, and effort. I will train and play with enthusiasm and with a commitment for improvement of skills.
4. I will treat other players, coaches, officials, and fans with respect regardless of race, sex, or ability and I will expect to be treated accordingly.
5. I understand that playing areas are a drug free environment which includes tobacco and alcohol. I will refrain from their use at all training sessions and competitions and expect others to do so as well.
6. I understand that poor behavior during training sessions, or competitions may result in lost playing time or expulsion from the league. I will refrain from horseplay and other conduct that presents a risk of injury to others or demeans others.
7. I will not engage in physical or verbal confrontations with players, coaches, officials, or fans before, during, or after any training session or competition.
8. I will refrain from the use of foul or offensive language.
9. I will maintain an appropriate appearance at all times when representing the league.
10. I will come to all training sessions and competitions ready to listen, watch, and learn from my coaches and teammates.
11. I will understand the rules of the game and play within them.
12. I will be gracious in victory and dignified in defeat.