



LJFC - Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct

The Langwarrin Junior Football Club has developed a Parent/Guardian and Supporter Code of Conduct to ensure that everyone at the club understands his or her obligations. It is a requirement that every parent/guardian and or supporter is made aware of the Code of Conduct to acknowledge to understanding of the Code and their commitment to comply with the code.

I declare that I will:

1. Read, follow and adhere to the Rules and Policies of the Club and the Frankston and District Football League.
2. Always remember that you are there for the participants (players and officials) to enjoy the Game.
3. To encourage participation, but don't enforce it.
4. To always teach that enjoyment is better than winning.
5. Never ridicule mistakes or losses – supporters are there to support not belittle.
6. Always lead by example and respect all players, coaches, umpires and other spectators – physical or verbal abuse will not be tolerated.
7. Always be aware and recognise that all volunteers are giving up their valuable time.
8. Never publicly criticise umpires, coaches and officials – raise your concerns with Club officials in private.
9. Take responsibility to ensure that all online communications, including all social media (such as facebook, instagram, Snapchat, TeamApp) are in keeping with the club's expectations in relation to appropriate and respectful interactions with officials, coaches, umpires, players, parents/guardians, spectators and sponsors. I will not post inappropriate comments about individuals, players, club or league officials which if said in person during the playing of a game would result in disciplinary action being taken.
10. Don't use ugly remarks based on race, religion, gender or ability – you'll let down your coach, teammates and family if you do, and many such comments are actually illegal.
11. Consumption of Alcohol / Vaping or Smoking inside Lloyd Park or any FDJFL / SEJ / MPJFL junior club venue or grounds will not be tolerated and I understand that penalties may apply.

** By registering our child with the Langwarrin Junior Football Club we agree to abide by these principles. We will ensure that our child understands the expected behaviour of a LJFC player. We support the LJFC in its undertaking and encourage the LJFC to take any necessary disciplinary actions including the suspension and banning where warranted of any players, parents/guardians and/or supporters for repeated or serious breaches of these Codes of Conduct.*