

**SAINTS NETBALL CLUB (SUNNYBANK) INC**

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**CODE OF CONDUCT POLICY**

**PLAYERS**

* Play by the rules.
* Be a good sport. Applaud all good play whether it is made by your team or the opposition.
* Give your best effort at training and in matches.
* Respect and show appreciation to all coaches, managers, umpires, officials and team members.
* Always accept an umpires decision (if there needs to be clarification, it is the job of your Coach or Captain to speak to the umpires during an interval).
* Control your temper. Verbal abuse of officials and sledging other players, deliberately distracting or provoking an opponent are not acceptable or permitted behaviour.
* Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of their ability, cultural background or religion.

**PARENTS & SPECTATORS:**

* Focus on the effort and performance rather than winning or losing. Remember children learn best by example. Appreciate good performances and skilful plays by all participants.
* Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or losing a competition.
* Respect the umpire’s decisions and teach children to do likewise.
* Show appreciation for volunteer coaches, managers and administrators. Without them, your child could not participate.
* Encourage players to play according to the rules and settle disagreements without resorting to hostility or violence.
* Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young player regardless of their ability, cultural background or religion and teach young players to show the same respect.
* Remember children participate in sport for their enjoyment, not yours.
* Any complaints against a player, team, official, or procedures of the Club or Association will not be given merit unless a written complaint is received in the first instance by the Executive Committee of Saints Netball Club.

**BBQ/CANTEEN/GROUNDS DUTY:**

By submitting/signing the registration form you agree to provide assistance with BBQ/Canteen/Grounds duty when requested by Manager/Coach/ Committee