



NORTH OKANAGAN YOUTH SOCCER COACHING AGREEMENT

COACHING OBLIGATION

As a Coach for the NOYSA I will do all I can to support the association, our participants, their parents/relations, the game officials & my fellow coaches through positive, professional, and responsible behaviour.

CLUB CODE OF CONDUCT

Youth have the right to participate in a sporting environment free from verbal, emotional and physical abuse or harassment. All coaches, parents, officials, and spectators play an important role toward creating a safe space for participants.

FAIR PLAY CODE FOR COACHES

As a coach and leader appointed by the NOYSA, I understand the significant role I play in the life of each participant. With this position of trust and authority I will, to the best of my ability, adhere to the fair play code (below) at all times.

- I will abide by and reasonably enforce the rules, regulations, and policies of the NOYSA with respect to my responsibilities as a coach and leader of those under my charge.
- I will put the emotional and physical well-being of my players and game officials ahead of any personal desire to win.
- I will ensure that all players get equal instruction, support and appropriate playing time, and that they play fairly with respect for the rules, opponents and officials.
- I will not ridicule or yell at the players for making mistakes or for performing poorly. I will remember that children and youth play to have fun and must be encouraged to have confidence in themselves.
- I will remember that children and youth need a coach they can respect. I will be generous with praise and set a good example.
- I will not question the referee's judgement, honesty, or integrity, and will show respect for the difficult role they play in the game.
- I will have zero tolerance for the recreational use of alcohol, tobacco and cannabis products or paraphernalia at all team events.