



## **GALAXY PARENTS INFORMATION**

### **PARENTS CODE**

- a. Remember that children play organised sports for their enjoyment
- b. Always be on Your best behaviour
- c. Applaud good plays by Your own team and the Visiting team
- d. Show respect for Your teams' Opponents
- e. Never ridicule or scold a Child for making a mistake during Competition
- f. Condemn the use of violence in all forms
- g. Respect the officials' decisions
- h. Encourage Players to always play according to the rules of the competition

### **PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES**

- a. Complete Respect in Sport for Parents course  
[http://nwtsoccer.ca/page.php?page\\_id=114211](http://nwtsoccer.ca/page.php?page_id=114211)
- b. Stay up to date with what is going on with the program: registration dates, policies, parent's code.
- c. Ensure your kids are ready, prepared and on time for all practices and games. If you drop your kids off, ensure they have a phone number to reach you if needed and make sure you pick them up on time.
- d. Communication: provide constructive feedback and great ideas for our program, coaches, and volunteers.
- e. Let coaches know when your kids are hurt or not feeling well. Let the coach know if they are going to be late or miss a game or practice.
- f. Maintain a balanced perspective based on the level of soccer the kids are playing at, be a role model for the kids.

- g. Be enthusiastic for all kids' effort, hard work, and successes.
- h. Actively participate in the program, volunteer, coach, help out your team, and join the fun.
- i. Support your team, players, coaches, and referees. Spending time with your kids and sharing their activities.
- j. Support and enjoy the players' accomplishments by taking a genuine interest in their season. "Be proud of them, it is harder and faster than it looks from the sideline".

### **SIDELINE ETIQUETTE FOR PARENTS**

The article below is a useful resource to help parents support their children's development in sport.

[Sideline etiquette for parents](#)