

CODES OF CONDUCT YEOVIL NETBALL CLUB



CODE OF CONDUCT - COACHES

The essence of good ethical conduct and practice is summarised below. All coaches must:

- Always adhere to the positive aspects of the sport and show respect for players, match officials, volunteers, and opposing players.
- Accept responsibility for their own behaviour and performance during coaching sessions ensuring they demonstrate professionalism as a coach.
- Ensure all Health & Safety procedures are adhered to during their coaching sessions
- Encourage an open environment within which to train.
- Accept success and failure, victory and defeat equally.
- Be proactive in continuing their professional development

CODE OF CONDUCT - PLAYERS

The essence of good ethical conduct and practice is summarised below. All players must:

- Always adhere to the positive aspects of the sport and show respect for match officials, volunteers, coaches, fellow team members and opposing players.
- Accept responsibility for their own behaviour and performance by communicating effectively with club personnel during practice and matches; representing the club in a positive way.
- Respect and look after all training and playing areas at all times, leaving venues the way that they were found.
- Respect & abide by the instructions of their coach, officials & committee provided that they do not contradict the spirit of their code of conduct.
- Use correct and proper/appropriate language at all times whilst training & match playing.
- Accept success and failure, victory and defeat equally.
- Make every effort to attend club training sessions and notify Coach/Captain if unable to attend.
- Resist any temptation to take prohibited substances or use prohibited techniques.

CODE OF CONDUCT - PARENTS

- Encourage your child to learn the rules and play within them
- Encourage your child to be involved with team tactics during a game
- Discourage unfair play and arguing with officials or opposing teams
- Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results

- Never force your child to take part in Netball
- Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding the good performances of all
- Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes
- Publicly accept officials' judgements
- Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their Netball
- Use correct and proper/appropriate language at all times whilst watching matches
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CODE OF CONDUCT - VOLUNTEERS & OFFICIALS

The essence of good ethical conduct and practice is summarised below. All volunteers and officials must:

- Consider the well-being and safety of participants before the development of performance
- Develop an appropriate working relationship with performers, based on mutual trust and respect
- Make sure all activities are appropriate to the age, ability and experience of those taking part
- Promote the positive aspects of Netball (e.g. fair play)
- Display consistently high standards of behaviour and appearance
- Follow all guidelines laid down by England Netball and the club
- Hold the appropriate, valid qualifications and insurance cover
- Never exert undue influence over performers to obtain personal benefit or reward

CODE OF CONDUCT - YOUNG VOLUNTEER

The essence of good ethical conduct and practice is summarised below. All young volunteers must:

- Promote the positive aspects of Netball (e.g. fair play)
- Display consistently high standards of behaviour and appearance
- Understand and act as a responsible role model to the young players you are coaching and the Club.
- Use appropriate language when volunteering.
- Follow all guidelines laid down by England Netball and the club
- Be Supportive to the younger players and the Club.
- Report any concerns/issues to a senior member of the Club.

CODE OF CONDUCT - ALL

- Act responsibly and respectfully when using social media technology, and not post, tweet, text etc inappropriate comments about any player, coach, official or volunteer from their or any other club.