

Code of Conduct

This document presents the expectations for conduct from athletes, parents, and coaches registered with the Alamo Area Youth Soccer Association (AAYSA). AAYSA holds athletes, parents, guardians, coaches, and community members to a high standard of sportsmanship. Enforcing this Code of Conduct allows Alamo Area Youth Soccer Association to promote a safe, rewarding, and fun sports experience for our entire community.

Please read the document carefully before registering for each season. Each participant and coach/team manager is required to acknowledge the Code of Conduct online before the season begins and must abide by the Code of Conduct throughout the entire seasonal year.

Violations of the Code of Conduct will result in disciplinary action consistent with USYS disciplinary actions including suspension - either temporarily or permanently as determined by the Board of Directors.



Code of Conduct for Players

- I will familiarize myself with the Code of Conduct and follow it.
- I will respect the game officials and refrain from addressing and/or showing dissent from their decisions in any game, nor will I approach or confront them.
- I will maintain control of my emotions, avoiding the use of abusive language or profanity, humiliating remarks, gestures of ill temper, and physical assault against another player at any time.
- I will respect the coaches and players of the opposing team and demonstrate appropriate gestures of sportsmanship throughout and at the conclusion of all games. I will be humble and generous in victory and proud and courteous in defeat.
- I will learn the value of commitment by attending as many practices and games as I can with my team and notifying my coach in advance if I am not able to participate.
- I will recognize, accept, and practice the principle that a team's reputation is built not only on its playing ability but also on the sportsmanship, courtesy, and manners of each individual player. I will recognize that my actions can be seen as a reflection of my team, my teammates, and my coach.
- I will encourage my teammates and praise their good efforts.
- I will be honest, fair, and respectful to others at all times.
- I will learn all I can from soccer.