



Delacombe Park Cricket Club

Junior Player Code of Conduct



As a player associated with Cricket Victoria and its programs, you must meet the following requirements in regard to your conduct during or in any way associated with any program, activity or event held or sanctioned by or under the auspices of Cricket Victoria's:

- Play by the rules and within the Spirit of Cricket.
- Never argue with an umpire. If you disagree, have your captain, coach or manager approach the umpire during a break or after the game.
- Control your temper. Verbal abuse of officials and sledging other players, deliberately distracting or provoking an opponent are not acceptable or permitted behaviours in Cricket.
- Work equally hard for yourself and your teammates. Your team's performance will benefit and so will you.
- Be a good sport. Applaud all good plays whether they are made by your team or the opposition.
- Treat all participants in cricket as you like to be treated. Do not bully or take unfair advantage of another competitor.
- Cooperate with your coach, teammates and opponents. Without them there would be no competition.
- Participate for your own enjoyment and benefit, not just to please parents and coaches.
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- Participate because you enjoy it, not just to please parents and coaches.
- Participate fairly and safely.
- Do not engage in practises that affect sporting performance (alcohol, tobacco and drug use.)
- Respect and acknowledge the contribution of those who create the opportunity for you to play.
- Respect your coach and train and play to the best of your ability and develop your participation in accordance with the Spirit of Cricket.