

SPECTATOR CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

A spectator at a match, training or any activity sanctioned, staged by, or held under the auspices of, Huskisson Vincentia Football Club must:

- Respect the decisions of Match Officials and teach children to do the same;
- Never ridicule or unduly scold a child for making a mistake;
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person regardless of their gender, ability, race, colour, religion, language, politics, national or ethnic origin;
- Not use violence in any form, whether it is against other spectators, Team Officials including coaches, Match Officials or Players;
- Not to engage in abuse in any form, against other spectators, Team Officials including coaches, Match Officials or Players;
- Not engage in discrimination, harassment or abuse in any form, including the use of obscene or offensive language or gestures, the incitement of hatred or violence or partaking in indecent or racist chanting;
- Comply with any terms of entry of a venue, including bag inspections, prohibited and restricted items such as flares, missiles, dangerous articles i.e. glass containers and items that have the potential to cause injury or public nuisance;
- Not, and must not attempt to, bring into a venue national or political flags or emblems or offensive or inappropriate banners, whether written in English or a foreign language;
- Not throw missiles (including on to the field of play or at other spectators) and must not enter the field of play or its surrounds without lawful authority;
- Must not bring alcohol into the venue, without prior written authority of the committee and then not in the presence of children;
- Must not smoke in any part of the venue or within the area marked by the boundaries.
- Agree to follow lawful directions with regard to this code of behaviour when directed to do so by a member of the committee or an authorised representative of the club i.e. a coach or manager

Spectators will agree to conduct themselves in a manner that enhances, rather than injures, the reputation and goodwill of Huskisson Vincentia Football Club and football generally.

ANY PERSON WHO DOES NOT COMPLY WITH THIS SPECTATOR CODE OF BEHAVIOUR OR WHO OTHERWISE CAUSES A DISTURBANCE WILL BE EVICTED FROM THE VENUE AND BANNED FROM ATTENDING ALL FUTURE EVENTS FOR THE DURATION OF THE SEASON. INFORMATION REGARDING THE BEHAVIOUR WILL BE REPORTED TO THE POLICE AND SDFA TO ALLOW THE ASSOCIATION TO MAKE A DECISION IF THE EXCLUSION SHOULD BE EXTENDED TO ALL VENUES





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