**PARENTS**



**Codes of Conduct for Junior Sport**

* **Remember that children participate in sport for their enjoyment –** not yours
* **Encourage children to play according to the rules –** settle disagreements without resulting to hostility or violence.
* **Never ridicule or yell at a child** – for making a mistake or not winning.
* **Respect officials’ decisions** – encourage children to do likewise
* **Show appreciation for coaches, officials and administrators** – remember they are usually volunteers
* **All playing and other members of RR are required to support the activities of all club coaches at all times, including training and on game day**. - Support includes refraining from making derogatory or negative comments about coaches, their decisions or activities to any other person (excluding the President) at any time. All concerns, grievances and issues must be reported to the President only. Any member breaching this code will be subject to disciplinary action as considered appropriate by the club committee and may include a warning or dismissal from the club.
* **Applaud good performance and efforts** - from all individuals and teams
* **Congratulate all participants** – regardless of the game’s outcome.
* **Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person** – regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
* **Support involvement in modified-rules games and other junior development programs.**
* **Condemn the use of violence, verbal abuse or vilification in any form** – regardless of whether it is by spectators, coaches, officials or players.
* **Support all policies and practices** – This includes responsible alcohol and drug use and support of child safe strategies

I agree to abide by this Code of Conduct

Name (Parent): …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

Signature: ………………………………………………………………………………………………………..Date: .…………………………….