



League Office – Kialla Park Community Centre. Reserve Street, Kialla
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Kyabram District League Team Officials and Volunteers Code of Conduct

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The Kyabram District League (KDL) understands that the success of its competition and clubs relies heavily on the efforts of volunteers and team officials. The league applauds their efforts and understands how valuable they are. To ensure a safe, open and encouraging competition volunteers and officials however must abide by the KDL *Team Officials and Volunteers Code of Conduct*. Team Officials and Volunteers include, but are not limited to Club committee members, trainers, bar and canteen managers, water carriers and scorers.

Team Officials and Volunteers must;

- Always uphold the integrity of the game
- Never engage in verbal or physical confrontation with any fellow or opposition club member, player, coach or spectator
- At all times respect the appointed umpires and their decisions
- Work together to create a safe, inclusive and welcoming culture at each KDL match
- Never enter the field/court of active play at any time. For those volunteers who must, the KDL has a zero tolerance to interactions with umpires and opposition players
- Always act in best interests of the game, your club and the league
- Provide documentation and accreditation records as requested by the League and your club
- Ensure that any qualifications (eg. Trainers, Food Handling, RSA) that is required for your role are current and up to date before partaking in this work
- Never at any stage damage the image or reputation of the KDL
- Abide by all other KDL and club policies, by-laws and codes of conduct

The League takes breaches of this code of conduct seriously. Club Officials and Volunteers found in breach of this document will be subject for a formal investigation and should enough evidence be found, disciplinary action from the KDL will likely occur.

Should you believe that this code of conduct has been breached by a Club Official or Volunteer, you are encouraged to contact;

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