

## **ADMINISTRATORS' CODE OF BEHAVIOUR & ETHICS**

In addition to the Club's General Codes of Behaviour & Ethics, all administrators associated with the Club are required to meet the following requirements in regard to their behaviour during any activity sanctioned by the Club:

- 1. Involve young people in planning, leadership, evaluation and decision-making related to the activity.
- 2. Give all young people equal opportunities to participate.
- 3. Create pathways for young people to participate in sport, not just as a player but as a coach, referee, administrator, etc.
- 4. Ensure that rules, equipment, length of games and training schedules are modified to suit the age, ability and maturity level of young players.
- 5. Provide quality supervision and instruction for junior players.
- 6. Remember that young people participate for their enjoyment and benefit. Do not overemphasise awards.
- 7. Help coaches and officials highlight appropriate behaviour and skill development, and help improve the standards of coaching and officiating.
- 8. Ensure that everyone involved in junior sport emphasises fair play, rather than winning at all costs.
- 9. Give a code of behaviour sheet to spectators, officials, parents, coaches, players and the media, and encourage them to follow it.
- 10. Remember, you set an example. Your behaviour and comments should be positive and supportive.
- 11. Make it clear that abusing young people in any way is unacceptable and will result in disciplinary action.
- 12. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.