

Castle Hill RSL Cricket Club

Coaches Code of Behaviour



The game of cricket shall be played within the Spirit of Cricket as defined by MCC.

The following Code of Behaviour is in addition to the Spirit of Cricket.

Our Policy

The Castle Hill RSL Cricket Club is committed to the highest level of integrity and ethical standards. You are required to behave in a manner consistent with current community and sporting standards.

Your Responsibility

This code of behaviour applies to ALL current Coaches and Managers.

You are required to comply with the Code as a condition of being a valued member of the cricket club.

The Code

- Remember that young people participate for pleasure and winning is only part of the fun;
- Never ridicule or yell at a young player for making a mistake or not coming first;
- Be reasonable in your demands on players' time, energy and enthusiasm;
- Operate within the rules and Spirit of Cricket and teach your players to do the same;
- Ensure that the time players spend with you is a positive experience;
- Avoid overplaying the talented players - all young players need and deserve equal time, attention and opportunities;
- Ensure that equipment and facilities meet safety standards and are appropriate to the age and ability of all players;
- Display control and respect to all those involved in cricket. This includes opponents, coaches, umpires, administrators, parents and spectators. Encourage your players to do the same;
- Show concern and caution toward sick and injured players. Follow the advice of a physician when determining whether an injured player is ready to recommence training or competition;
- Obtain appropriate qualifications and keep up-to-date with the latest cricket coaching practices and principles of growth and development of young people;
- Any physical contact with a young person should be appropriate to the situation and necessary for the player's skill development;
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.

