



## **Players Code of Behaviour Vasse Soccer Club**

- Play by the rules, fairly and play to best of their ability
- Never argue with a referee, lines man, coach or Committee Member
- Control your temper. Verbal abuse of referees, sledging other players or deliberately distracting or provoking an opponent are not acceptable or permitted behaviours in any sport.
- Work equally hard for yourself and your team. Your team's performance will benefit and so will you.
- Be a good sport. Applaud all good plays whether they are made by your team or the opposition.
- Treat all participants in your sport as you like to be treated. Do not bully or take unfair advantage of another competitor.
- Co-operate and respect your coach, team-mates and opponents. Without them, there would be no competition.
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- Respond appropriately, listen and respect the feedback given to you.
- Behaves appropriately at all times, do not use inappropriately language, jester, mock others, be rude or behaviour in a way that is disrespectful
- Do not use social media inappropriately or incorrectly. Such as filming team mates, and using social media platforms to mock or tease. This includes outside of Vasse Soccer Club events.

### ***Players may:***

- Be required to apologise to team-mates, the other team, and/or the referee.
- Receive a formal warning from the coach or the club committee.
- Be suspended from training or games and be expelled from the club