



# East Point Junior Football Netball Club

## Netball Codes of Conduct



### PLAYER'S CODE OF CONDUCT

- Respect the dress/club and always represent the Club appropriately;
- Play by the rules and play fair;
- Be on time to training and games;
- Support your team and encourage your team mates;
- Include and play to all your team mates;
- Respect opposition players;
- No unnecessary pushing/shoving, no teasing/mock;
- Shake hands with all opposition players at the end of game;
- Respect ALL volunteers, adults and players at the Club;
- If you swear whilst on the court you will be taken off at the next break;
- Position yourself in the coaches V during huddles;
- Keep your eyes and ears on coaches during huddles;
- Be responsible for your uniform, understand and abide by the club uniform policy;
- No shouting to players on the court in a negative manner when you are on the bench;
- Players must put all rubbish in the bin. No rubbish should be left within the netball court area, on the ground or in the change rooms or pavilion;
- Players must respect training venues and clean up all rubbish at the conclusion of your training session;
- No bullying. In the event that bullying occurs:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Time Offence:  
Netball Coordinator to coordinate and run a restorative session between both parties (If both parties belong to the Club, if not offer the process to opposition club)
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Time Offence:  
Junior Club Coordinator and Netball Coordinator to meet with the player and his or her parents to outline the clubs zero tolerance to bullying behaviour. Junior Club Coordinator to provide an official warning and player suspended for one week.
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Time Offence:  
Player suspended from the club for 4 weeks
  - 4<sup>th</sup> Time Offence:  
Player removed from club
- No back chatting coaches/umpires:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Time Offence:-  
Player will be taken off the court at the next break, given a warning by the coach and or team-manager and educated on the core values of the club.
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Time Offence:-  
Player will be taken off the court at the next break and not permitted to play for the remainder of the game. Netball Coordinator will meet with the Player and parents to provide them with an educative process regarding the policy of the club.
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Time Offence:-  
Player will be suspended for the following game
  - 4<sup>th</sup> Time Offence:-  
Player will be suspended for four weeks
- For other instances of player misconduct, the Club can exercise a player stand-down (i.e. suspension) process. The period of suspension will be decided by the Junior Coordinator, the Netball Coordinator and the Coach of the player's team.



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### PARENTS & SUPPORTERS CODE OF CONDUCT

- Please ensure your children arrive at training and games on time;
- Please ensure coaches are advised if your child will not attend training / game day (*Please encourage your child to do this via text or phone message*);
- Training WILL end at the designated time – be on time to pick up your child/children;
- No coaching during breaks;
- Let the coach “coach”;
- Please support your child and be positive about their on-court performance;
- Act as support staff to the coaching panel by either assisting with time keeping, scoring etc.;
- Parents to acquaint themselves and carefully follow the Parents Code of Conduct;
- Parents to acquaint themselves with Club policies, (including Netball Selection Policy);
- Any issues or concerns must be directed to the Netball Coordinator or the Junior Club Coordinator; **at NO time are parents to approach your child’s coach.**
- Remember that you are there for the participants to enjoy the game.
- Never ridicule mistakes or losses – supporters are there to support not downgrade.
- Lead by example and respect all players, coaches, umpires and spectators – physical or verbal abuse will not be tolerated.

### Document History:

Date	Comments	Performed by
29 January 2017	Extracted details from the Club Handbook to make this a stand-alone document. Added player stand-down clause.	Jeff Ellerton