

LA CITY DUCKS FOOTBALL 2022 TACKLE SEASON



PLAYER / PARENT / GUARDIAN / COACH / VOLUNTEER CODE OF CONDUCT

The objectives of the LA City Ducks Football Club (the “Club”) include the development of self-discipline, self-confidence, physical fitness, good citizenship, and sound character of our youth. We seek to bring our players and our community together through sportsmanship. We seek to provide a fun, safe and supervised environment for our players to learn the proper techniques of football. At all times we seek to keep the welfare of the players first and foremost. To achieve our objectives, anyone connected with or who participates in the Club must adhere to the following standards of conduct as it pertains to any interaction with coaches, players, teammates, officials, board members, volunteers, and other parents involved in the Club.

CODE OF CONDUCT: By registering a child for whom you are the responsible adult, you agree that you, your child, and all other family and guests associated with your child, will abide by the following:

1. I will remember that as an adult associated with Club, I have a unique and privileged opportunity to be a positive influence on the lives of our children.
2. I will remember that the members of the opposing teams are children that deserve — and may well need — caring attention and encouragement from a responsible adult like me.
3. I will remember that winning at all costs is not a message we wish to impart on our youth. Instead, we want them to have fun, play safe, and learn sportsmanship.
4. I will not publicly argue with or disparage players, teammates, cheerleaders, coaches or game officials.
5. I will not publicly argue with or disparage the opposing team, coaches or fans.
6. I will not use abusive or profane language with any person connected with the Club or any other football program during any related activities.
7. I will not physically, verbally or in writing abuse anyone in or associated with the Club, another football program or the Gold Coast Youth Football League.
8. I will not seek to undermine the authority of the coaching staff or game officials.
9. I will set an appropriate example by my conduct at all times in front of all persons connected with the Club.
10. I will not use alcohol, tobacco, or drugs at any practice, game or function, nor will I attend such practice, game or function while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
11. I will not send my child to practice, game or any team event if my child is ill or seems ill. I understand that children can be contagious and spread illness very easily playing a contact sport.

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VIOLATIONS: Any violation of this Code of Conduct may result in suspension from the Club for one or more practices, games and/or tournaments or disqualification from future participation in Club programs, events and activities.

ENFORCEMENT: If a complaint is made to the Club regarding an alleged violation of the Code of Conduct, the Board of Directors of the Club (the "Board") will conduct an investigation. If the Board determines there is some minimum amount of evidence that the Code of Conduct has been violated, the offending person will receive written notice of the alleged violation. Thereafter, the President of the Club will consider the matter and render a decision. The written decision of the President will be final.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND AGREEMENT: The undersigned is the parent or legal guardian of the child/player whose name is printed below and/or is a coach or volunteer. By signing below, you acknowledge that you have read the Code of Conduct and agree to be bound thereby on behalf of yourself, your child/player (if applicable), and all family and guests attending any Club activity or event.

Print Name of Parent / Legal Guardian / Coach / Volunteer

X

Signature of Parent / Legal Guardian / Coach / Volunteer

Print Name of Player (if applicable)

Date