



# Linhill Celtic Football Club

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## PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

Players are the most important people in the sport. Playing for the team is the most fundamental part of the game. Fair Play and respect for others in the game is fundamentally important. This Code of Conduct is valid for players at all levels of the game.

### ***A player should:***

#### **Have obligations towards the game**

- Make every effort to develop his/her own sporting abilities, in terms of skill, technique, tactics and stamina.
- Give maximum effort and strive for the best possible performance during a game, even if his/her team is in a position where the desired result has already been achieved.
- Set a positive example for others, particularly young players and supporters.
- Avoid all forms of gamesmanship, and time-wasting.
- Always have regard to the best interests of the game, including where publicly expressing an opinion on the game and any particular aspect of it, including others involved in the game.
- Not use inappropriate language.

#### **Have obligations towards one's own team**

- Make every effort consistent with Fair Play and the Laws of the Game to help their own team win.
- Resist any influence which may or may not seem to bring into question their commitment to the team winning.

#### **Respect the Laws of the Game and competition rules**

- Know and abide by the laws, rules and spirit of the game, and the competition rules.
- Accept success and failure, victory and defeat, equally.
- Resist any temptation to take banned substances or use banned techniques.

#### **Respect Opponents**

- Treat opponents with due respect at all times, irrespective of the result of the game.
- Safeguard the physical fitness of opponents, avoid violence and rough play, and help injured opponents.

#### **Respect Match Officials**

- Accept the decisions of the Match Official without protest.
- Avoid words or actions which may mislead a Match Official.
- Show due respect towards Match Officials.

#### **Respect Team Officials**



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- Abide by the instructions of his Coach and Team Officials, provided they do not contradict the spirit of this code.
- Show due respect towards the Team Officials of the opposition.

**NOTE:** Under no circumstances will the use of profanity or obscene gestures be tolerated against any fellow player, opposition, match officials, spectators or own coaches and managers be tolerated on or off the field. Any contravention of the above stated code of conduct will result in a disciplinary hearing and immediate suspension pending the outcome of such process.

If an official disciplinary hearing is convened by any association and a fine is imposed on the club then the cost of the hearing plus the cost of the fine will be for the offender's own account, failure to pay such account will result in immediate expulsion from the club.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

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