FREDERICKSBURG SOCCER CLUB INCORPORATED - FSCI PHOENIX



Youth Travel Soccer Club based in the Fredericksburg VA area

FSCI Code of Conduct

To maintain a positive safe environment, the following code of conduct applies to each parent and player. Violations of this code of conduct can result in the consequences listed at the bottom.

Violent or Criminal Conduct

- 1. A parent or player shall not make physical contact with a coach, referee, or club official.
- 2. A parent or player shall not threaten physical harm towards a coach, referee, or club official.
- 3. A parent or player shall not threaten to kill the coach, referee, or club official.
- 4. A parent shall not instruct a child to physically harm, threaten, or intimidate an opponent.
- 5. A parent or player shall not throw objects at a coach, referee, or club official.
- 6. A parent or player shall not sit on the vehicle of a coach, referee or club official.
- 7. A parent or player shall not impede the coach, referee, or club official's pathway to and from activities.
- 8. A parent or player shall not use profanity or use the middle finger towards a coach, referee, or club official.
- 9. A parent or player shall not perform any of the preceding violations towards a child or other parent.
- 10. A parent or player that has been found guilty in court of any crime towards a child shall not be at FSCI.
- 11. A parent that is on the sex offender registry shall be banned permanently from being at FSCI.

Interruption of Activities

- 1. A parent shall not interrupt the coach during a game or practice to complain.
- 2. A parent shall not run onto the field to confront a referee.
- 3. A parent shall not intimidate or force the coach to play a player that is injured.
- 4. A parent or player shall leave without delay if expelled by the referee to a location 200 feet away from field.
- 5. A parent shall not provide instruction to their child during a game or practice.
- 6. A parent shall not instruct the coach on roster decisions, playing time decisions, or any coaching decisions.
- 7. A parent shall not criticize a referee or draw the attention of the referee during the game.

Sportsmanship

- 1. Unless there is a safety issue, each player must shake hands with the opponent at the end of a game.
- 2. A player shall not criticize the performance of a teammate.
- 3. A player shall not engage in trash talk to an opponent.
- 4. A player shall not use profanity towards an opponent or the referee.
- 5. A player shall not engage in verbal abuse, harassment, or bullying of a teammate.
- 6. A parent or player shall not have alcohol or drugs at any team event.
- 7. A player shall not play for another soccer club while playing at FSCI.

Consequences

- 1. Violations of violent or criminal conduct results in the following actions
 - a. FSCI shall at minimum ban the parent or player from all activities for a specified time and issue a fine or security deposit for the child's continued participation in the program.
 - b. FSCI reserves the right to terminate the child's membership and permanently ban both the parent and the child from further participation without any refund of membership dues.
- 2. If there is misconduct regarding the interruption of activities or sportsmanship, FSCI reserves the right to take the following actions.
 - a. FSCI shall ban the parent, the child, or both for a specified time.
 - b. FSCI shall issue a fine or security deposit to the parent for the child to participate.
 - c. FSCI shall mandate that the parent participate in referee training and referee a specific # of games.