



PARENT CODE OF UNDERSTANDING

The Azalea Youth Soccer League is committed to teaching the sport of soccer in an environment that fosters sportsmanship, teamwork and a love of the game. The league asks that, as parents, you do your part in helping us carry out this mission by observing this Code of Understanding.

1. I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, and officials at every game and practice.
2. I will place the emotional and physical well being of my child ahead of a personal desire to win.
3. I will support coaches and officials working with my child, in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.
4. I will do my best to make youth sports fun for my child.
5. I will encourage my child to treat other players, coaches, fans and officials with respect, regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability.
6. I will help my child enjoy the youth sports experience by being a respectful fan and supporting the team in a positive manner.
7. I will see that my child regularly attends scheduled practices and games and will inform the coach in advance in cases where he/she is unable to attend.
8. I understand that it is my responsibility to have my child picked up promptly after being dismissed by the coach at the end of the scheduled practices and games.
9. I understand that the overall health and success of the league is critically dependent on volunteers and that I may need to help my team and the league as a volunteer.
10. I understand that decisions regarding the assignment of coaches, training curriculum for players and whether a team is registered to play at AYSL are the responsibility of the Board of Directors.
11. I understand that the coaching and management of club teams must comply with AYSL adopted policies and procedures.
12. I understand that my child's picture may be taken during a game and later posted on the league website and/or included in league publications. If this is not acceptable I will inform a league official prior to my child's first scheduled game.
13. I agree not to bring a pet to the AYSL soccer fields during practices and games.
14. I agree not to smoke on or in the vicinity of the playing fields.
15. I will ensure that my family members and/or guests attending my son/daughter's practices or games abide by this Code of Understanding.

I have read and agree to follow this Code of Understanding.

Signature _____

Print Name _____

Date _____