

**Campbell County North Soccer Club
Code of Conduct for Coaches**

As a coach for Campbell County North Soccer Club, I agree to follow the Code of Conduct to take the following specific actions to promote a healthy and enjoyable soccer environment at our Club:

- I will communicate with parents and players and ask for a commitment to acceptable sideline behavior. I will control the behavior of my players and parent/spectators to ensure they respect the referees, show good sportsmanship, and behave in a manner that reflects well on the club. I understand that the referee will look to me to assist in controlling behavior that is deemed unacceptable by the referee.
- I will monitor playing time to ensure each kid gets at least 50% playing time in each match.
- I will respect the authority of the referees. I will not challenge any calls (or non-calls) of the referees on the field and I will not confront the officials after the game. I will follow up with the Ref Scheduler or Head Referee if there is a problem.
- I will contact the (appropriate) Ref Scheduler and opposing coach to cancel any match by 5:00 pm on the Tuesday before the game. I will become familiar with my clubs cancellation and rescheduling tools (i.e. Google Docs) and use those tools to promptly cancel and reschedule any matches. I will promptly inform my parents and players of cancellations and reschedules.
- I will learn The Laws of The Game (official rules) and teach them to my players.
- If I believe match conditions (field, opponent, weather, and/or referee) represent a serious threat of injury to my players, I will abandon the match without regard for its outcome.
- I will not allow my team to run up the score in any match. I will use alternate means to challenge my players in a way that does not demoralize or disrespect the opponent.
- I will ensure my team leaves no litter when we're done at our practice and game fields. I recognize that sometimes that may require cleaning up after others. I will lock the gates at the FTSP if my team has the least last game.
- I will strive to meet the Club's minimum coach education goals. I will be open to new ideas and concepts to improve the experience for the kids.

Coach Name Printed

Team Name / Age / Gender

Coach Name Signed

Date