

# TRAILBLAZERS FC

## Coach Code of Conduct

- I will prioritize my personal relationship with Jesus Christ, recognizing that I am unable to adequately fulfill my role in accordance with the Club Vision unless I am submitted to and dependent on Him.
- In my role(s) with the club and in my personal life, I will conduct myself in a manner that supports the Club Vision and Statement of Faith, understanding that I represent the club, which in turn strives to represent Jesus Christ.
- I will submit myself to the authority of club leadership in all matters related to the goals and operations of the club.
- I agree with the club's Statement of Faith, including its distinction between biological male and biological female participants and teams.
- I will model sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy, and by demonstrating positive support for all players (on both teams), coaches, officials and spectators at every game, practice or other sporting event.
- I will be a student of the Laws of the Game, so that I can competently teach players to compete within their spirit and intention.
- I will not instruct players in any technique, strategy, or style of play that is not in clear alignment with the spirit and intention of the Laws of the Game.
- I will ALWAYS place the safety and overall welfare of each player above the value of winning. I will actively discourage any behaviors or practices that would endanger the health and well-being of the players.
- I will not ridicule or yell at any player.
- I will be a positive role model for the players on the team(s) for which I am privileged to serve as coach, as well any other players I encounter in my capacity as coach, including those on opposing teams.
- I will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent such as booing and taunting; refusing to shake hands; or using profane language or gestures.
- I will respect the officials and their authority during games, and will always admonish players to do the same.

I pledge to abide by this code of conduct to the best of my ability. I understand that failure to do so may result in appropriate sanctions up to removal from the team.

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Coach Printed Name

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Coach signature and date