



**NORTHERN  
SUBURBS  
FOOTBALL**  
EST. 1957



**NSFA & Northern Tigers FC has implemented Codes of Conduct for all its stakeholders**

## **COACH PLEDGE**

**Please make yourself familiar with the code as it applies to you as a coach**

- I will remember that players participate for enjoyment and winning is only part of the fun.
- I will never ridicule or yell at a youth player for making a mistake or not winning.
- I will be reasonable in my demands on players' time, energy and enthusiasm.
- I will foster and promote a positive team environment.
- I support and promote the Club policies, philosophy and culture.
- I will operate within the laws and spirit of the game, and teach the players to do the same.
- I will not use offensive language around youth players.
- I will not harass players, match officials, coaches or spectators.
- I will not participate in public arguments with players, coaches, parents, spectators.
- I understand that any abuse of match officials is not acceptable or permitted behaviour.
- I will ensure the players safety is a priority at all times.
- I will display control, respect and professionalism to all involved with the sport including all players, match officials, coaches, club officials, administrators, the media, parents and spectators. I will encourage the players to do the same.
- I will ensure the players display a fair play, rather than a 'win at all costs' attitude.
- I will obtain appropriate qualifications and keep up to date with the latest coaching practices and the principles of growth and development of young players.
- I will not smoke, drink alcohol or take illicit drugs at or before matches and training.
- I will respect the rights, dignity and worth of every player regardless of their gender, ability and cultural background.
- I will fulfill the Football NSW and/or FFA mandatory Child Protection requirements.
- I will not engage in social media, forums, email, blogs or other electronic media to comment on NSFA/Northern Tigers or opposition clubs (includes teams, players, coaches, match officials, club officials, parents or spectators).
- I understand player and parent contact details are not to be used for any purpose other than operating and managing the team.

I agree to abide by this code of conduct and to be subject to the rules and policies of the Northern Suburbs Football Association (NSFA) and Northern Tigers Football Club.

If I breach the above code of conduct, I understand NSFA/Northern Tigers FC may impose a penalty ranging from a written warning to immediate de-registration.

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Coach Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Coach Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_