

## **Senior Players' Code of Conduct when playing in the same team as Minors**

- Maintain a high standard of conduct at all times, both on and off the field. The older players should be a good example.
- Accept that the younger players will make mistakes and support them so that they can learn.
- Play the game hard but not unfairly.
- Never show ill-temper or spite. Give assistance to the younger players where possible.
- Maintain a professional team mate relationship keeping in mind that the younger players should not be exposed to Adult themes.
- Communication with younger players outside of training and matches (I.E. Social Media) is not acceptable.
- Ensure appropriate language is used at all times.
- Give congratulations and thanks as appropriate, to younger players on both your team and the opponents.
- Obey the orders or instructions of the umpire, referee or designated official quickly and cheerfully and accept any decisions, however unfavorable, without question.
- The use of drugs, including pain killers, to improve or maintain the performance of any individual player or group of players is contrary to the philosophy of this code.
- Contribute to the team effort as well as to one's personal performance.
- Use barracking to encourage but not to hinder.