



Clontarf Youth Cricket Club

Code of Conduct: Parent or Guardian

At Clontarf Cricket Club, we acknowledge the pivotal role that parents and guardians play in shaping the cricketing journey of our young players. This Code of Conduct serves as a guiding document, outlining the responsibilities and expectations of parents in fostering a positive, respectful, and inclusive environment. This document aims to align parents with the club's policies, respect the decisions made by the club, and appreciate the efforts of our dedicated coaches and volunteers. By actively participating in your child's development and promoting the spirit of cricket, you will significantly contribute to creating a supportive community that enhances the overall cricketing experience for our young players.

1. Always uphold the 'Spirit of Cricket.' Encourage your child to play within the rules and respect officials' decisions.
2. Support your child's cricketing journey. Celebrate their effort and personal growth over results.
3. Respect the roles and decisions of coaches and volunteers who dedicate their time for the development of the players and the sport.
4. Encourage your child to participate, do their best, and enjoy the game. Avoid pressuring them to win games.
5. Encourage your child to treat all players, coaches, officials, and other parents with respect, regardless of race, sex, creed, or ability.
6. Understand the importance of rest and recovery in preventing injuries and burnout. Support a balanced cricketing season/training schedule for your child.
7. Ensure your child has the right safety equipment and follows safety advice and/or club guidelines and recommendations.
8. Adhere to all club policies and guidelines.
9. Ensure your child is punctual to training, games, and events.
10. Encourage your child to help the team set up for games/training and clean up afterwards. This helps build respect and fosters team building.

Remember, as a parent or guardian, your actions and behavior significantly influence our young cricketers. Let us continue to uphold the spirit of cricket and the values of Clontarf Cricket Club.

Thank you for your dedication and cooperation.

Conor Murphy
Chair of Youth Cricket
Clontarf Cricket Club