



Kitsap Alliance FC

POLICIES & PROCEDURES

Parent Code of Conduct – 04/22/2022

Parent support and involvement at Kitsap Alliance FC (KAFC) is essential. If your son or daughter has made the commitment to play for KAFC, you must assure that you are following the *Parent Code of Conduct*. Violations may result in a variety of consequences, including player suspension and parental bans. Each parent agrees to:

➤ ACCOUNTABILITY

- Ensure that your child attends practices, games and events on time and with appropriate gear.
- Honor your financial agreement with the club. If you fall behind on payments to the club or team, the privilege of playing with teammates may be suspended until financial obligations are fulfilled and overdue balances are paid.
- Show respect to all people (players, coaches, officials and other spectators) at all times – win or lose.

➤ SUPPORT YOUR CHILD

- Motivate your child through confidence. Keep it fun by encouraging your child positively. Achievement is a great motivator.
- Support goals and objectives of the coaching staff and Director of Coaching (DOC).
- Understand that your role at games, practices and other events is to support and cheer for the team. You will not coach from the sidelines.

➤ MODEL APPROPRIATE BEHAVIOR AND GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP

- Soccer is for the kids; let them play.
- No coaching, taunting, yelling or making inappropriate comments.
- Show and encourage respect to all players of both teams, their fans, and referees.
- Withhold comments to officials before, during or after games.
- Withhold critical remarks to others about players, coaches, or coach's decisions.
- Please refrain from stepping onto the game and/or playing field.
- Understand that the game is played for the benefit of athletes and is not played for the benefit of parents, coaches, officials or any other adult.
- Respect the authority of the officials and coaches and never shout, question, or interact with them in any way.
- Be completely supportive of the coaching staff and the decisions they make on behalf of the team.

- Do not act in a way that discredits myself, my family, or KAFC during any game, training, tournament or other event(s).

➤ LET THE COACH, COACH

- The club has hired qualified coaches and empowered them to make coaching decisions all while keeping the entire team in mind. Parents are welcome to discuss any and all issues regarding the team with the coach but should not try to influence the coach's decision. For example, playing time is at the discretion of the coach.
- If you have an issue, please use the 24-hour rule, and wait until the next day to have a calm discussion with the coach.

➤ ADHERE TO ALL FIELD RULES, HOME AND AWAY

- Respect and adhere to rules and protocols set forth by the WSYSA, RCL and local associations/clubs (i.e. wearing masks, parking in designated locations, chewing gum on the fields, etc.)
- I understand that the failure to adhere to this Code of Conduct can result in the following action taken by Kitsap Alliance, FC at its sole discretion:
 - First offense: I will not be allowed to attend our team's next game.
 - Second offense (or if first offense is ignored): I will not be allowed to attend any further trainings of my child's team, or games until I have a meeting with the DOC, Board of Directors and Coach of my son/daughter's team.
 - Third offense (or if first or second offenses are ignored): My child will be removed from the team, and no refund of any kind will be provided to me.

By signing below, I understand and acknowledge that as a parent of a KAFC player, if I fail to abide by the Parent Code of Conduct, I, and/or my child may be subject to disciplinary action by my child's coach, the Club, and/or RCL. I also agree to waive my right to legal action against KAFC, or any of its employees, based on their enforcing the penalties show in this Parent Code of Conduct due to my violating the standards shown above.

Parent Name (Printed)

Parent Signature

Date



CHARACTER SKILLS PERFORMANCE QUALITIES

- ✓ **HARDWORKING**Paying the price with effort
- ✓ **COMPETITIVE**Striving to be your best
- ✓ **POSITIVE**Good and useful thinking
- ✓ **FOCUSED**Eliminating distractions
- ✓ **ACCOUNTABLE**Taking ownership of your actions
- ✓ **RESILIENT**Correcting your course when needed
- ✓ **CONFIDENT**Head high, proud
- ✓ **ENERGETIC**High tempo
- ✓ **DISCIPLINED**Self regulating
- ✓ **MOTIVATED**Having a strong purpose



CHARACTER SKILLS MORAL QUALITIES

- ✓ **UNSELFISH**..... Putting the team first
- ✓ **HONEST**..... Telling the truth
- ✓ **RESPECTFUL**..... Showing consideration
- ✓ **APPRECIATIVE**..... Recognizing the good in others
- ✓ **HUMBLE**..... Distributing credit
- ✓ **LOYAL**..... Show allegiance
- ✓ **TRUSTWORTHY**..... Reliable
- ✓ **ENCOURAGING**..... Giving confidence and support
- ✓ **SOCIALLY AWARE**... Reading the room
- ✓ **CARING**..... Empathy for other's feelings