



Players Code of Conduct

The following are guidelines for you as a member of the Emerald City Netball Club and as a player.

- Play for fun and enjoyment.
- The most important goal is making the most of your abilities.
- Work equally hard for yourself and your team.
- Be a good sport and cheer all good play.
- Cooperate with your coach and your team mates.
- Respect your coach and fellow players.
- Show courtesy to officials, umpires and your opposition.

For practices you are expected to:

- Attend and be on time.
- Advise your coach if you cannot make practice and why.
- Respect and listen to your coach and fully participate in all practices.
- If you have questions/problems these should be raised with your coach during practice.
- If you have any queries/problems that you feel you cannot raise with your coach, contact your team Captain or the Technical Development Manager.

For games you are expected to:

- Wear the correct Club uniform.
- Respect umpires decisions. If you disagree have your Captain or coach approach the official during a break or after the game.
- Control your temper. It is NOT acceptable to verbally abuse officials or other players or deliberately contact or provoke an opponent.
- Play to your full ability and respect your coach's decision and advice.
- Understand and play by the rules.



Umpires Code of Conduct

The following are guidelines for you as a coach.

- Display a professional manner with regard to language, preparation, planning and presentation.
- Ensure that the equipment and facilities meet safety standards and are appropriate to the age and ability of the players.
- Encourage effort and skill; this will increase self-esteem and self-confidence.
- Remember a player's main reason for playing is for fun!
- Be a role model for the principles of fair play and ensure players display the same qualities.
- Show respect, and encourage players to show respect for opponents, team mates, umpires, officials and spectators.
- Ensure players develop their skills and enjoy play by using positive, specific and constructive feedback.
- Avoid over-playing the talented players, The "just-average" players need and deserve equal time.
- Make a personal commitment to keep yourself informed of sound coaching principles.