

PLAYERS CODE OF CONDUCT

Rationale

By registering to play football with Hampton Rovers Amateur Football Club, players agree to be bound by the Rules, Regulations and Policies of the Hampton Rovers Amateur Football Club, the Moorabbin Saints Junior Football League & AFL Victoria. In respect to Player's Code of Conduct it is expected that all players will adhere to the following:

- Play by the rules the rules of our club and the laws of the game.
- Never argue with an umpire or other official without these people, you can't play football.
- **Control your temper** verbal abuse of officials and sledging other players doesn't help you enjoy or win any games.
- **Be a team player** It's a team game, treat it that way.
- Treat all players as you would like to be treated fairly.
- **Co-operate –** with your coach, the umpires and team- mates.
- Play for your own **enjoyment** & to **improve your skills**.
- **Don't use ugly remarks** based on race, religion, gender or ability you'll let down your coach, teammates and family if you do – & many such comments are actually now illegal.

Failure to adhere to the Rules, Regulations and Policies of either of the Club, the League or AFL Victoria may result in disciplinary action, which may include being de-registered.

Timing

This policy was accepted with 'nil' objections at the October 2012 General Club meeting and is effective from 9/10/2012.

Policy Review

The policy will be reviewed three months after its introduction and then on an annual basis thereafter. This will ensure that the policy remains current and practical.

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