

Chelsea Baseball Club – Code of Conduct

RESPECT: Team / Club / Game / Yourself

This Code of Conduct has been developed for all registered players, members and parents of Chelsea Dolphins Baseball Club ("CBC").

Any behaviour that is unlawful or disrespectful to others is an insult and indictment of everyone associated with club.

If, on the report of a member, umpire, team coach or club official, there is a serious breach of the Code of Conduct, the member will be cited to appear before representatives of the CBC Disciplinary Committee and shall be dealt with according to the CBC Disciplinary Protocol as outlined in the constitution. .

It shall be the duty of CBC committee members and coaches to ensure all of its registered players, members and parents are aware of the Code of Conduct. The observance of the Code of Conduct shall be considered a condition of membership to CBC.

- We will show respect to all people at all times.
- We will compete by the competition conditions and rules and in the spirit and intent contained therein.
- We will be and act as a team and club.
- We will abide by the directions of the coaches, umpires and officials
- We will support our members
- We will treat the equipment and facilities with respect and ensure it is maintained at a high standard
- We will be available to volunteer various times throughout each season or when required (e.g. umpiring, cleaning, coaching, working bees)
- We will not act aggressively towards others.
- We will not criticise, threaten, or abuse umpires or opposition players
- We will not blame, abuse, or ridicule our members when they fail
- We will not accept the use of profanity, especially where minors are present
- We will not endanger others with our actions
- We will not allow others to feel insulted, belittled, bullied, or otherwise from our actions and words

Players, members and parents will be bound by the Communication Policy (attached) and adhere to all guidelines associated with the Communication Policy.

NOTE: All registered members of CBC are also held to the Codes of Conduct put forth by Baseball Australia, Baseball Victoria and the Dandenong Baseball Association which can be found on their websites.