
	MONIFIETH ATHLETIC FOOTBALL CLUB			
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Code of Conduct

Monifieth Athletic Football Club firmly believes that everyone associated with the Club has a part to play in displaying high standards of behaviour to promote the Club in a positive manner. As part of the Club, you are expected to follow the **Code of Conduct** outlined below.

MAFC CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PLAYERS

1. Follow the coaches' instructions at all times, respect them and their decisions.
2. Show respect to fellow Club members, team mates, match officials, supporters and opponents, at all times.
3. Know and abide by the Laws, rules and spirit of the game, and the competition rules.
4. Dress appropriately for training and match day with kit provided, shin pads and watches/ jewellery removed. Bring tape if you cannot remove ear studs.
5. Treat all equipment with respect.
6. Do not eat or drink during training sessions without the consent of a coach.
7. Do not use bad or inappropriate language.
8. Do not use mobile phones during training except as a training tool in cooperation with the coach.
9. Do not leave the training area without the consent of the coach.
10. Use social media responsibly and in a positive fashion. Do not post anything derogatory or hurtful about the club or any of its members.



MAFC CODE OF CONDUCT FOR COACHES & VOLUNTEERS

1. Follow all guidelines laid down by the Club, DDYFA and SYFA Code of Practice for Coaches and Officials.
2. Know and abide by the Laws, rules and spirit of the game, and the competition rules.
3. Show respect to fellow Club members, match officials, supporters and opponents, at all times.
4. Hold appropriate valid qualifications and insurance cover.
5. Develop an appropriate working relationship with participants and parents based on mutual trust and respect.
6. Display consistently high standards of behaviour, language and appearance.
7. Communicate openly and regularly with players' parents keeping them abreast of their development.
8. Set a good example to players by displaying a positive attitude and exemplary behaviour.
9. Encourage players to value their personal improvements and performance and not just results.
10. Avoid the use of mobile phones during training, except in emergency circumstances or as a coaching tool.
11. Use social media responsibly and in a positive fashion. Do not post anything derogatory or hurtful about the club or any of its members.

MAFC CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS

1. Encourage your child to learn the rules (code of conduct) and participate within them.
2. Help your child to recognise the value of making progress through working hard as opposed to just good results.
3. Never punish or belittle a child for poor performance or making mistakes.
4. Set a good example by recognising good sportsmanship and applauding the good performances of all.

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5. Ensure your child brings a water bottle and healthy snacks for training and Match days.
6. Be punctual at drop off and pick up and keep the club informed if your child is ill or unable to attend sessions.
7. Endeavour to establish good communications with the club and coaches for the benefit of all.
8. Share any concerns or complaints about any aspect of the club through the approved channels and use correct and proper language at all times.
9. Show respect to fellow Club members, match officials, supporters and opponents, at all times.
10. Pay any fees for training, membership and competitions or events promptly.
11. Use social media responsibly and in a positive fashion. Do not post anything derogatory or hurtful about the club or any of its members.

Talk to the Club's Protection Officer or another Club official if you are unhappy about anything at the Club.

MONIFIETH ATHLETIC CHILD PROTECTION OFFICER

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