Ottawa International Soccer Club Coaching Code of Conduct – Team Managers

The coaching staff and officials of the Ottawa Internationals Soccer Club (OISC) understand that children participate in soccer to improve their soccer skills, make friends, attain and maintain their physical fitness and to have fun with their peers in an enjoyable environment. Managers of OISC teams hold a very responsible position with the OISC and as such shall uphold a Code of Conduct that will reflect favourably on the team, the OISC and the league.

By accepting the role of team manager with the Ottawa International Soccer Club I will:

1. Give my team and my players the full extent of my managerial abilities at all times.
2. Act a liaison person between the coaching staff parents and OISC executives as required.
3. Treat all of the coaching staff, my players, parents, club officials, spectators and visitors with respect at all times.
4. Not verbally or physically abuse any referee or assistant referee.
5. Treat all visiting teams and team officials with respect.
6. Be a Role Model for my team at all times.
7. Assist the coaching staff as required to maintain team discipline.
8. Treat the OISC club executives and staff with respect at all times.
9. Take any disputes with team coaches, club executives or staff directly to the coach, club executives or staff concerned.
10. Not engage in any dispute with coaches or parents but will contact the appropriate vice-president, club head coach or other club authority for assistance and guidance.
11. Encourage all parents to be role models for their children.
12. Encourage all parents to respect the play of their opponents.
13. Notify the appropriate club authority of any situation that I feel may cause embarrassment to my team, the OISC or club authorities.
14. Support all club sponsored programs (Fall, Winter, Spring etc.).
15. Abide by directions issued by the club officials and staff.
16. Attend all club sponsored managers training and meetings.
17. Not use electronic media such as mass emails, websites, Facebook, tweeter, etc. or any other form of communication to publicly embarrass the OISC, my coach, my team, the referee or club officials.

These Codes of Conduct have been approved by the Ottawa Internationals Soccer Club. Any violation of these codes may be grounds for suspension or expulsion from a team or the club.