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# **Code of Conduct Policy**

At our multi-code Sports Complex, we are committed to providing a safe, respectful, and enjoyable environment for all participants, spectators, officials, and staff. This Code of Conduct outlines the expected standards of behaviour for everyone involved in our sports complex.

## **Respect and Fair Play:**

- 1. Treat everyone with respect, including players, coaches, officials, volunteers, spectators, and all other facility users/hirers regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, or ability.
- 2. Embrace the spirit of fair play and sportsmanship. Respect the rules of each sport and the decisions made by officials.

## Safety:

- 1. Prioritise the safety of all participants. Follow all safety guidelines and protocols set forth by the sports complex and/or individual codes.
- 2. Report any unsafe conditions or incidents to Kerikeri Sports Complex Management Committee immediately.

#### **Behaviour:**

- 1. Refrain from engaging in any form of verbal or physical abuse, harassment, discrimination, or intimidation.
- 2. Avoid disruptive behaviour, including excessive noise, use of offensive language, or aggressive gestures.
- 3. Respect the facilities and equipment provided by the sports complex. Report any damage or misuse to staff.

#### Alcohol and Substance Use:

- 1. Consumption of illegal substances is strictly prohibited on the premises.
- 2. Participants and spectators are prohibited from attending matches or events under the influence of drugs.
- 3. Alcohol consumption must occur in accordance with liquor license(s) held by the Sports Complex.

#### Compliance:

1. All participants, including players, coaches, officials, and spectators, are expected to comply with this Code of Conduct.











2. Failure to adhere to the Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action, including removal from the premises and suspension of privileges.

# **Reporting Violations:**

- 1. Any violations of this Code of Conduct should be reported to Kerikeri Sports Complex immediately, as per the Complaints and Grievances policy.
- 2. Reports will be handled confidentially and investigated promptly.

By adhering to this Code of Conduct, we can ensure a positive and inclusive environment for all participants and visitors to our multi-code sports complex. Let's work together to promote respect, fairness, and enjoyment in sports.

Adopted by the Kerikeri Sports Complex on March 3, 2025:









