



Waza FC Player and Parent Code of Conduct Contract

Player's Name (please print clearly)

Player's Team Name, e.g., Waza FC 95 Boys Blue (please print)

The Waza FC organization is committed to the long-term development of the youth soccer players as well-rounded athletes, and productive and respected members of society. Excellent gamesmanship in the form of healthy competition coincides with an overall attitude of community awareness and the desire to be a good citizen. Therefore, each player will be expected to follow the Waza FC Code of Conduct values and each parent is expected to help enforce these values:

- Waza FC players understand that soccer is a team sport and any absences, whether from practice or games, affects the overall team. Players unable to attend a practice or game will notify their coaches or manager as soon as the coming absence is known.
- Waza FC players will not use profanity (swearing) at any time, especially at practices and games.
- Waza FC players will show respect to the referees. Players will not show any dissent to a referee. Players will accept responsibility for all fouls issued. Players will positively acknowledge the referee's efforts after a game regardless of the game's outcome.
- Waza FC players will show respect to the other team's players. Players will not be allowed to taunt an opposing player. Players will not retaliate against an opponent for a previous foul. Players will shake hands with their opponents after each game.
- Waza FC players will accept victory and defeat with dignity.
- Waza FC players will show respect to their teammates, coaches, managers, Waza FC staff and their parents.
- Waza FC players will not use alcohol or illegal substances at any time.
- Waza FC players will adhere to proper nutritional guidelines for practices, games and tournaments.
- As a Player on the team it is your responsibility to hold accountable all other players on your team. For example, asking them why they show up late to games and practices, calling them to make sure they are taking care of their injuries as per coaches instruction (such as, "are you icing?"), or speaking up when players are fooling around during practice.
- Waza FC players will work to promote a model of a top soccer athlete: good skills, sound fundamentals, clean and fair play.

I have read and understand the Waza FC Code of Conduct Contract, and I agree to abide by these values at all times. I understand these values also apply to out-of-state tournaments, both on and off the field. I also agree to accept actions taken for failure to abide by these values.

Players Signature

Date

Parents of Waza FC players serve as important role models to their children and to all the other children that they come into contact with on the soccer field. Therefore, the Waza FC organization expects each parent to agree to the following code of conduct values:

- Waza FC parents will learn and understand the rules of the game for each specific league/tournament, etc.
- Waza FC parents will respect the integrity and judgment of the referees. Parents will refrain from challenging referee calls.
- Waza FC parents will show appreciation of good play by both teams.
- Waza FC parents will refrain from "coaching" any player from the sidelines or "joy-sticking" their kids during games.
- Waza FC parents will cheer and show encouragement at all times and refrain at all times from making negative or abusive remarks about the opposing team.
- Waza FC parents will refrain "over-cheering" the play of their kids; *i.e.*, avoid cheering every time they touch the ball or make any play.
- Waza FC parents will follow the "24-Hour Rule" before contacting coaches or managers after a game.
- Waza FC parents will not talk negatively about any players, parents, coaches or Waza FC staff.
- Waza FC parents will report to the coach all injuries, special medical conditions (such as asthma) or extenuating circumstances (such as lack of sleep or family crisis) that may affect the player.
- Waza FC parents will promote proper nutritional guidelines for practices, games and tournaments.
- Waza FC parents will get their kids to practice, games and tournaments on time.
- Waza FC parents will help enforce the Player Code of Conduct Contract as shown above.

We have read and understand the Waza FC Code of Conduct Contract, and we agree to abide by these values. We also agree to accept actions taken for failure to abide by these values.

Parent's Signature

Date