



SPORTS CODE OF CONDUCT

Building Character, Safety, and Sportsmanship

The Code of Conduct applies to all sports and physical activity where you or your child is representing Bulls School, whether it takes place on our school grounds or not.

BULLS SCHOOL VALUES:

POSITIVITY • RESPECT • INTEGRITY • DETERMINATION • EXCELLENCE

WHANAUNGATANGA • MANAAKITANGA • PONO • MANA MOTUHAKA • WHAKAMANA

Player Code of Conduct

- **Positivity:** Bring a positive attitude to practices and games. Applaud good play from both teams, and never put down or bully anyone.
- **Respect:** Accept referee and official calls without argument, care for all gear and facilities, and thank coaches, referees, and opponents after every match.
- **Integrity:** Always play by the rules and represent your school with pride. Unacceptable behavior may forfeit your spot on the team.
- **Determination:** Work hard with your teammates to achieve goals, focus on developing your skills, and play with heart.
- **Excellence:** Strive for high standards as a player and team mate, by coming organised with the correct gear, attending all practices unless sick/absent, and giving your best effort.

Coach & Manager Code of Conduct

- **Positivity:** Act as a positive role model using supportive language, ensuring all players enjoy a rewarding and fun sporting experience.
- **Respect:** Treat every player with dignity, match player abilities fairly to opponents, and refrain from criticizing players, parents, or other coaches.
- **Integrity:** Maintain professional standards, keep any necessary physical contact appropriate and safe, and protect all players from any form of abuse.
- **Determination:** Provide a safe, well-supervised environment with sound equipment, and keep the school office informed as required.
- **Excellence:** Ensure fair play, equal attention, and development opportunities across the season, promptly reporting any player injuries to staff and parents.

Parent & Spectator Code of Conduct

- **Positivity:** Praise players, encourage effort from the sidelines. Support the volunteers and those who help make sport happen.
- **Respect:** Show appreciation for students, volunteer coaches and referees. Accept their decisions, without them, there is no game. Remember coaches and referees are volunteers. Their time and efforts benefit your child.
- **Integrity:** Model fair play and sportsmanship at all times.
- **Determination:** Help your child learn positively from both wins and losses, focusing on skill development and teamwork over the final score.
- **Excellence:** Support the team's commitment by ensuring your child arrives prepared, on time, and ready to uphold the school's standards.

Acknowledgement & Commitment

By signing below, we confirm that we have read, understood, and agree to abide by the Sports Code of Conduct and uphold the school's PRIDE values throughout the sport they are involved in. This commitment is for the remainder of the 2026 School year. Every year a new commitment will be required from students and whanau.

Player Name (Printed): _____

Player Signature & Date: _____

Parent / Guardian Name (Printed): _____

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