



# CAYTHORPE & FULBECK JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

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Season 2023/24



## CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PLAYERS

- 1) We all have a responsibility to promote high standards of behaviour in the game. As a player, you have a big part to play. That's why the FA is asking every player to follow a RESPECT Code of Conduct. Playing for the team, and for the team to win, is the most fundamental part of the game, but not winning at any cost. Fair play and respect for others is of utmost importance.
- 2) This code is what is expected from each and every player when representing Caythorpe and Fulbeck Junior Football Club.
  - a) **OBLIGATIONS TOWARDS THE GAME**
    - ◆ Make every effort to develop their own sporting abilities, in terms of skill, technique, tactics and stamina.
    - ◆ Give maximum effort during a game irrespective of the match score.
    - ◆ Set a positive example to others.
    - ◆ Play fairly – do not cheat, complain or waste time.
    - ◆ Do not use inappropriate language.
  - b) **OBLIGATIONS TOWARDS ONE'S OWN TEAM**
    - ◆ Make every effort to help his / her own team win.
    - ◆ Resist any influence which might, or might be seen to, bring into question commitment to the team winning.
  - c) **RESPECT FOR THE LAWS OF THE GAME AND COMPETITION RULES**
    - ◆ Play by the rules, as directed by the referee.
    - ◆ Accept success and failure, victory and defeat, equally.
  - d) **RESPECT TOWARDS OPPONENTS**
    - ◆ Treat opponents with respect at all times, irrespective of the score or result of the game.
    - ◆ Shake hands with the opponents at the end of the game.
    - ◆ Show concern to injured opponents.
  - e) **RESPECT TOWARDS MATCH OFFICIALS**
    - ◆ Accept the decisions of the match officials without protest and shake hands at the end of the game
    - ◆ Avoid words or actions that may mislead match officials.
  - f) **RESPECT TOWARDS TEAM OFFICIALS**
    - ◆ Listen and respond to the coach / team manager.
    - ◆ Show respect towards the team officials of the opposition.
  - g) **OBLIGATIONS TOWARDS THE SUPPORTERS**
    - ◆ Show respect to the interests of supporters.

**Players must understand that if they do not follow the Code, any or all of the following actions may be taken by the club, County FA or the FA:**

- Be required to apologise to team mates, other team, referee or team manager
- Receive a formal warning from the coach or club committee
- Be dropped or substituted
- Be suspended from training
- Be required to leave the club

**In addition:**

- My club, County FA or The FA may make my parent or carer aware of any infringement of the Code of Conduct
- The FA/County FA could impose a fine and suspension against my club.
- **A player can talk to the Welfare Officer if they are unhappy about anything at the club.**
- **The Welfare Officer for CFJFC is Victoria Windsor Email: [welfare@cfjfc.net](mailto:welfare@cfjfc.net)**



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