



MK United Parent Pledge & Code of Conduct

As a parent of an MK United player, I pledge to accept responsibility for the following:

1. I will not be a sideline coach or referee. I will provide positive reinforcement, care, and encouragement to my child and his/her teammates. I will also refrain from making negative comments to my child and his/her teammates.
2. I will encourage fair play and good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, and officials at every practice, game, or tournament.
3. I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my child ahead of a personal desire to win.
4. If my child develops a behavior-related problem that repeatedly disrupts practices and/or games, I promise to work with my child's coach to resolve that problem.
5. I will support coaches and officials who instruct my child in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.
6. I will not sit/stand on the players' sideline during a match unless invited by the coach.
7. I will insist that my child play in a safe and healthy environment.
8. I will demand a soccer environment for my child that is free of drugs, including alcohol and tobacco, and will refrain from their use at all practices and matches.
9. I will remember that the game is for my child and his/her teammates, not the adults, and I will do my best to make soccer fun for my child.
10. I promise to treat other players, coaches, and fans with respect, regardless of race, sex, or ability. I will ask the same of my child.
11. I will remember that, as a fan, I represent MK United. I understand that poor behavior during practices, games, or tournaments may result in expulsion from the soccer complex. (I must then wait in the parking area for my child.) Multiple occurrences may result in expulsion from the club.
12. I understand that my child's commitment is for both the fall and spring seasons of the soccer year. By accepting a spot on the roster, I am agreeing to accept financial responsibility for the year regardless of my child's status with the team.
13. During the fall and spring outdoor seasons, if my child is invited to play with another soccer team for an indoor or outdoor event, I must notify my child's coach. I must have permission from the MK United coach for my child to participate in such an event.

Signature

Print Name

Date