



Code of Conduct for Parents and Spectators of Tankerton FC

Tankerton FC believes parents and spectators have a great influence on children's enjoyment and success in football. All children play football because they first and foremost love the game – its fun. It is important to remember that however good any child becomes at football within the club it is important to reinforce the message that your positive encouragement will contribute to:

- The children enjoying their football.
- A sense of personal achievement.
- The children improving their skills and techniques.

As a parent or spectator your expectations and attitudes have a significant bearing on a child's attitude towards:

- Other players.
- Officials.
- Managers.
- Spectators.

By signing this Code of Conduct the Club accepts that you agree to:

- Always offer positive and encouraging comments towards not just your own, but all the children on the pitch.
- Applaud the opposition as well as your own team.
- Not offer any coaching to the children during the game.
- Not to shout, scream or use any foul or abusive language.
- Respect the referee's decision at all times.
- Give attention to each of the children involved in football not just the most talented.
- Adhere to the club's Child Protection Policy.

Please read and retain this copy and sign and return the Parental/Player Consent Form to acknowledge you agree to abide by this code of conduct