

Berkeley Soccer Association Sportsmanship Pledge

Parental Pledge and Code of Ethics

I/we shall show respect and positive support for coaches and officials prior to, during, and after the game.

I/we will ensure that my/our child behaves in a sportsmanlike manner.

I/we will demonstrate respect and support for all players prior to, during, and after the game.

I/we will be mindful of the need for the player development over the need to win.

I/we will insist my/our child play in a safe and healthy environment.

I/we will ensure my/our child does not use performance-enhancing drugs.

I/we will be mindful of my/our role at all times, which is to provide support, and not openly instruct during the game and openly interpret the rules.

I/we will abide by the rulings of the officials, coaches, and league administrators during and after the game.

I/we will demand and demonstrate a healthy sports environment by refraining from drug, alcohol, and tobacco use during all sporting events.

I/we, _____ have read and understand the
(Parent/Guardian name)

Berkeley Soccer Association Parental Pledge and Code of Ethics, and have received a copy of the league Sanctions. I/we pledge to follow the Code and the league policy regarding acceptable parental behavior. I/we will accept and support the league sanctions imposed to foster a sportsmanlike atmosphere.

Date: _____

(Parent/Guardian signature)

(Child's name)

(Parent/Guardian signature)

(Child's name)