



## **Scots Lions Football Club Disclaimer 2024**

### **Terms and Conditions**

Players, coaches, guardians, parents and spectators are required to follow and abide by the following Policies and Codes of Conducts:

Soccer NSW

St George Soccer Association

### **De-registration/Refund policy**

- If a player wishes to deregister/transfer (before their first game) a refund will be provided **minus \$50** for administration fees
- If a player wishes to deregister/transfer after they have played their first game **NO refund** will be provided

### **Codes of conduct**

Players, Coaches and Parents/Guardians must be aware of their responsibilities when representing Scots Lions Football Club. We expect that all participants will represent Scots Lions FC with respect and act responsibly, being aware of safety at all times.

### **Players**

- Play by the rules and within the spirit of the game
- Do not argue with any officials. Concerns should be brought to the attention of the captain or coach at appropriate times in or after the game
- Show respect for coaches and other members of your team. If you have a concern about the team discuss with coach/manager and then if any concerns continue contact the committee
- Use appropriate language at training and games

### **Coaches/Managers**

- Ensure your **Working with Children's Check** is handed to club. Our clubs Working with Children's Officer will oversee the collection of these documents
- Teach the players to abide by the rules of the game and show good sportsmanship
- Ensure training space and equipment is safe before training.
- Read club and association policies (e.g. heat policy, code of conducts)

- Ensure that equipment meets a reasonable safety standard and report any issues to committee
- Communicate positively with players and parents. Discuss any issues or concerns with committee
- Attend club meetings to ensure that you stay up to date with Association and club information
- Report any child safety concerns to committee immediately

### **Parents/Spectators**

- Parents/Guardians are responsible for their children's safety and supervision during ALL training sessions, games and club activities
- Toilet trips - parents or guardians are to take their own child and supervise, letting the coach know when they go and when they return
- Remember that children participate in sport for fun as well as competition opportunities
- Encourage children to participate
- Focus on your child's efforts and performance rather than if they win or lose
- Encourage children to play according to the rules and to settle disagreements with positive behaviour
- Support all efforts to promote positive behaviour at sporting events
- Respect and thank officials, teach your child to do the same
- Respect coaches and managers. To discuss any concerns please see an executive member
- Appropriate language and behaviour is required at all games and training sessions
- Show appreciation for volunteers, managers, coaches and administration members. Without these people soccer games would not be able to be played

### **I understand that if I do not follow the Code of Conduct and Policies the following actions may be taken by my club. I may:**

- Receive one formal warning
- Upon a second formal warning my child/my registration will be cancelled

### **The club reserves the right to at any time cancel a registration if a serious breach of code of conduct/policy occurs.**