



Parents Code of Conduct

Parents of CRUSA players are expected to follow the club rules.

Purpose: We are here to teach soccer skills and help develop a child's self esteem. In order to achieve our goals, we feel parents should be aware of certain points.

1. Children play for fun, not pay. They are not here to entertain you. They are learning to play a skill game. Did you boo or criticize them when they are learning to walk? They will make mistakes.
2. Criticism, negative, or profane language at players, coaches, referees or other parents is prohibited. Treat people with respect and courtesy that you want for yourself.
3. Instruction is the duty of the coach. Don't confuse the players by yelling instructions that could be contrary to those issued by the coach. If you can do better, please step up and volunteer. We always need coaches.
4. If you have a question about strategy or officiating, talk to the coach, discreetly, after the game. Parents are not permitted to express dissatisfaction directly to a referee. The referee can eject the coach and parents.
5. Parents are responsible to see that players report for scheduled practices and games. If a player cannot make a scheduled practice or game, a phone call to the coach is a common courtesy. You would call your babysitter if you couldn't make it.
6. Parents should see that their children are dressed in full uniform.
7. **Don't litter; take your trash home.**
8. Obey the parking regulations. Never park on the grass or prohibited areas. Please use caution driving in the field parking lots. ***The police will ticket.***

Please keep in mind this is not the world cup. ***It's a kid's game.*** You can help us make it a better operation. Your participation is always welcome. Get involved. If the tone appears harsh, it's for the very small percentage of parents and coaches to whom it applies.