CODE OF CONDUCT

MARCONI

The behaviour of players, their parents, spectators, officials and administrators is absolutely critical in ensuring that young players enjoy an appropriate environment when playing football. Bearing in mind that the whole philosophy of football at Marconi Stallions is to create a winning mentality which includes a positive attitude, disciplined approach and self-belief. Below are a series of codes of behaviour that all people involved at Marconi Stallions must be aware of and abide by.

PLAYER CODE

- Play by the Rules and within the spirit of the game
- Be prepared and punctual to training and games
- Do not argue with the match official or other players
- Maintain your focus and work hard for yourself and your team
- Be a good sport and be prepared to acknowledge good play whether it is from your team or the opposition
- Treat all players as you would like to be treated. Do not interfere with, bully or take unfair advantage of another player
- Cooperate with your coach, teammates and opponents.
- Play for your own enjoyment, and not just to please parents and coaches
- Remove all jewelry prior to training and match play

PARENT CODE

- Remember that children/players play sport for their enjoyment, and not yours
- Encourage children/players to play according to the rules and spirit of the game
- Focus on the child's/player's efforts and performance rather than the result
- Encourage children/players to always participate according to the rules
- Never ridicule, yell at a children/players for making a mistake or losing a game
- Remember that children/players learn best by example, so applaud good play by both teams
- Respect the match official's decisions and teach your child/player to do likewise
- Show respect and appreciation to Club volunteers, including coaches, officials and administrators. Ensure any issues are raised through the correct channels
- Smart Supporting – not loud and intense but calm, relaxed and positive
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every young person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion;
- Do not smoke or consume alcohol at training or games

I acknowledge that I have fully read, and accept the Fees and Payment Terms and Refund Policy of the Club Marconi.

Parent/Guardian Name:_____

Parent/Guardian Signature:_____ Date: _____