



Parent Code of Conduct

FC Torjäger is committed to serving the youth of our community, beyond our basic mission of educating youth and the game of soccer. This is best accomplished in a supportive environment that acknowledges each child's success. FC Torjäger seeks to accomplish this goal by emphasizing positive reinforcement, teamwork, tolerance, cooperation and personal responsibility. Therefore, we expect all our members to demonstrate respect for teammates, coaches, opponents, officials, the facilities we use and the game of soccer.

As a parent of a player for FC Torjäger I agree to the following:

- I will remember that my child plays soccer for his/her benefit, not mine.
- I will not give instructions to players - that is the coach's role.
- I will encourage my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility, intimidation or violence.
- At all times I will support all players on the team.
- I will remember that children learn best by example. I will applaud good plays by my child's team and their opponents.
- I will never ridicule or yell at my child or another participant for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- I will never question the official's judgment or honesty.
- I will support all efforts to eliminate verbal and physical abuse from the game of soccer.
- I will respect and show appreciation for the coaches, who give their time for the benefit of my child.
- I will make sure that my child and all his/her equipment arrives for scheduled games and practices at the time designated by the coach.
- I will be responsible for any fine I, or the Club may incur due to my actions, the actions of my guest or my child.
- I realize that the team or club can be penalized for my misconduct. If required, I and any of my guests must obey a request by an official or coach to leave the vicinity of the field.
- I realize any misconduct on my part may result in a hearing and possible disciplinary action.
- I will de-emphasize winning and focus on my child's development.
- I will not interrupt a coach during a game or practice to resolve troublesome issues. I will discuss these issues privately and discreetly with the coach and if this is not prudent or satisfactory I will contact the appropriate official in the club.
- I will inform the coach on any injury or physical disability that may affect the safety of my child or other children.

Your team manager is the first person you should contact if you feel a parent's, player's, or coach's behavior warrants corrective action (e.g., confronting a referee or verbal abuse of players, coaches, referees, or opposing fans). The team manager will attempt to resolve or correct the issue, but may refer it to the Executive Board for further investigation and remedy.

I have read the Code of conduct detailed above and by signing. This document will remain in effect for as long as the parent is affiliated with FC Torjäger.

Signature of Parent(s)

Printed Name of Parent(s)

Date