

# Bay Port Rugby Football Club Players Code of Conduct

USA Rugby and N.E.W. Youth Rugby expect all teams and players to abide by the following code of conduct:

- 1) Players who represent their teams are ambassadors of our club, N.E.W. Youth Rugby, Wisconsin Rugby Union, Midwest and USA Rugby, as well of the game of rugby in general. As such, each player is expected to be on good, responsible behavior at all times, both on and off the field.
  
- 2) Players should not exhibit obnoxious, impolite or antisocial behavior (dangerous play) of any sort that would adversely affect the image of the game as a serious and disciplined endeavor. This includes verbal abuse of opponents by players or their supporters.
  
- 3) Players must not before, during or after a match under the jurisdiction of an affiliated Union threaten or address a referee or touch judge in insulting terms, or act in a provocative manner towards a fellow player, referee or touch judge.
  
- 4) Players and supporters must abide by all rules and regulations applicable to the club imposed by the International Rugby Board, USA Rugby, the governing territory, the governing local area Union, the school, and local hosts.
  
- 5) AT NO TIME WILL ALCOHOL, TOBACCO PRODUCTS, OR ILLICIT DRUGS BE ALLOWED AT ANY MATCH, PRACTICE, OR EVENT BY PLAYERS, STAFF OR TEAM SUPPORTERS.
  
- 6) Academic eligibility is a prerequisite to participation in any team activity. Students who are determined to be ineligible at the onset of the sports season will not be able to participate in any games or contests.

**7) I understand that I am representing the Bay Port Rugby Football Club and will conduct myself in an appropriate manner.**

Violations of this Code of Conduct will be immediately addressed by the Bay Port Staff and the N.E.W. Youth Rugby Disciplinary Chair. All sanctions by the Disciplinary Chair will be enforced by the league and coaching staff.

***I understand that my participation in competition is dependent upon my signature on this document and by my actions at all matches and team functions.***

**Signed by Player:**

**Signed by Parent:**

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Signature

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Printed Name

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