



Alkimos Ball Club Inc

Code of Conduct



The Alkimos Ball Club Inc (ABCI) Code of Conduct applies to all ABCI Committee members, players, coaches, umpires, spectators as well as to individuals using ABCI facilities.

1. Play by the rules – the rules of your Club and the laws of the game.
2. Verbal abuse toward players, managers, coaches, officials or spectators will not be tolerated.
3. Never argue with an umpire, opposition umpire or official. If you have a problem, discuss it with your coach and allow him to take the necessary action.
4. Control your temper - no criticism by word or gesture.
5. Co-operate with your coaches, team mates and umpires. Show respect for the participants and their skills.
6. Accept that at times you may be required to take a turn on the bench. When on the bench encourage your team and be prepared to play at all times.
7. Respect the equipment provided for your use. Baseball & Softball equipment is very expensive and should be used responsibly. Abuse of equipment such as throwing helmets or bats will not be tolerated.
8. Any activity likely to result in the loss or wilful damage to private property or to cause a disturbance will not be tolerated.
9. No drug use of any kind will be tolerated unless prescribed by a licensed physician.
10. Refrain from profanity at all times.
11. Be friendly to all participants.
12. The uses of any form of tobacco or alcohol of any description on the field, or while in uniform, are banned.
13. No smoking in the clubrooms and on or around the baseball/softball field.
14. Chewing gum on the baseball/softball field is at the players own risk and drinking shall be limited to non-alcoholic beverages. All gum and rubbish is to be disposed of appropriately.
15. Report all injuries to an coach or official and schedule proper treatment with the doctor or physiotherapist when necessary.
16. Promptness for meetings, training sessions and games is mandatory.
17. Uniformity and sharpness in proper on-field dress is a must.
18. Always think safety to avoid injury to yourself and others.
19. Dress and act like a baseball/softball player at all times. Remember you are all ambassadors for our sport as well as our Club.
20. Do not use remarks based on race, religion, gender or ability as many such comments are politically incorrect and it is your coach, team-mates, Club and family that are let down with such remarks.

I _____ have read the Alkimos Ball Club Inc Code of Conduct and fully understand and accept the responsibilities and conditions disclosed.

I will, to the best of my ability, abide by the Code of Conduct during all Alkimos Ball Club Inc games, training sessions and events.

Signature (Player or Parent/Guardian)

Date