



Athlete Code of Conduct

- Contribute to a safe sporting environment and respectful culture which is accepting of individual differences and free from all forms of harassment, including sexual harassment.
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of fellow athletes, coaches and Academy staff.
- Abide by the rules and respect the decision of the referee / umpire / judge; making all appeals through the formal process and respecting the final decision.
- Conduct myself in a professional manner relating to personal behaviour, social responsibility, ethical standards, language, manner, temper and punctuality when in competition, traveling and at other official functions as directed by my coach.
- Comply with the training and service requirements of my sport as set by my coach.
- Work equally hard for myself and my team.
- Be honest with my coach and the Academy concerning illness and injury and my ability to train fully within the program requirements.
- Be aware of the appropriateness of public comment. Check with my coach, or Academy Staff before making comment to the media on matters relating to South West Sydney Academy of Sport.
- Wear the South West Sydney Academy of Sport uniform in a clean and neat way when in competition, traveling and at other official functions as directed by my coach.
- Care for the equipment provided to me as part of my program Scholarship.
- Cooperate with coaches and Academy staff in the development of programs, to adequately prepare me for competition, at a higher level.