



# CHIPSTEAD FOOTBALL CLUB

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## CODE OF CONDUCT MATCH OFFICIALS

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## 1. MATCH OFFICIALS

The behaviour of the match official has an impact directly and indirectly, on the conduct of everyone involved in the game – both on the pitch and on the sidelines.

### **I WILL:**

- Be honest and completely impartial at all times
- Apply the Laws of the Game and competition rules fairly and consistently
- Manage the game in a positive, calm and confident manner
- Deal with all instances of violence, aggression, unsporting behaviour, foul play and other misconduct
- Never tolerate offensive, insulting or abusive language or behaviour from players, team officials or spectators
- Support other match officials at all times
- Set a positive example by promoting good behaviour from players and team officials
- Set a positive personal example by showing respect to everyone involved in the game
- Communicate with the players and encourage fair play
- Respond in a clear, calm and confident manner to any appropriate request for clarification by the team captains
- Complete and submit accurate and concise reports within the time limit required for games in which I officiate

### **I UNDERSTAND THAT IF I DO NOT FOLLOW THIS CODE, ANY/ALL OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS MAY BE TAKEN:**

### **I MAY:**

- Be required to meet with The FA/County Refereeing Official
- Be required to meet with The FA/County Refereeing Committee