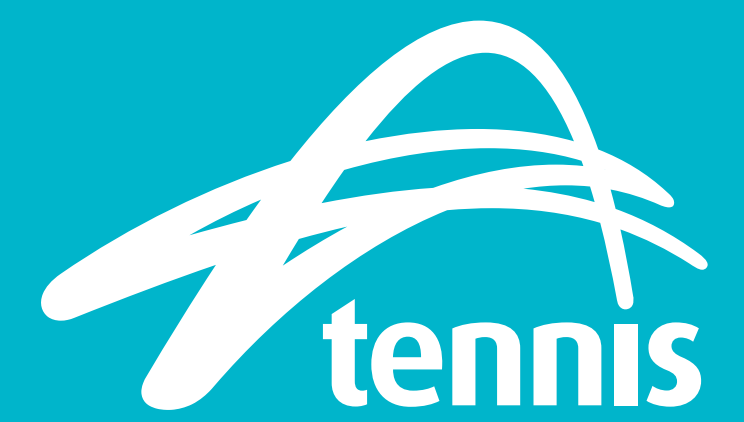


CODE OF CONDUCT

PARENTS & GUARDIANS



REMEMBER TENNIS IS FUN	Children play for their enjoyment not yours.
REMEMBER TO LEAD BY EXAMPLE	Children learn best by example. Applaud good play by all players.
REMEMBER YOUR ACTIONS	Do not distract or intimidate players. This is not acceptable or permitted
REMEMBER TO BE QUIET	During matches you can not speak with players on court. Ensure your child knows this so they are not tempted to speak with you during a match.
REMEMBER YOU ARE NOT ON THE COURT	Anyone outside the court is not in a good position to judge if line calls are correct.
REMEMBER TO OFFER SUPPORT	Coaches, Court supervisors, Umpires and Officials need positive support.
REMEMBER NOT TO ENTER THE COURT	You are not able to walk onto the courts during tournaments or games.
REMEMBER TO OFFER ENCOURAGEMENT	Participation and effort are far more important than winning matches.
REMEMBER TO MOVE AWAY	If you can't watch your child play without becoming involved in disagreements with others, please move away from the court.
REMEMBER NO SHOUTING	Be enthusiastic but don't shout from the sideline.
REMEMBER TO BE CALM	Children's behaviour and performance can be affected when they know you are anxious or angry.

AND MOST IMPORTANTLY.....

Remember these are children playing. They are learning to play and master their emotions. They are children. They will make mistakes and get upset. They will also be excited and happy. They are able to hear negative comments about them made from the sideline or clubhouse. Keep your comments positive and offer encouragement or say nothing at all.