

# Castle Hill RSL Cricket Club

## Parents Code of Behaviour



The game of cricket shall be played within the Spirit of Cricket as defined by MCC.

The following Code of Behaviour is in addition to the Spirit of Cricket.

### Our Policy

The Castle Hill RSL Cricket Club is committed to the highest level of integrity and ethical standards. You are required to behave in a manner consistent with current community and sporting standards.

### Your Responsibility

This code of behaviour applies to ALL current members. You are required to comply with the Code as a condition of being a valued member of the cricket club.

### The Code

- Do not force an unwilling child to participate in cricket;
- Remember, children are involved and participate in cricket for their enjoyment, not yours;
- Encourage your child to play by the rules;
- Focus on the child's efforts and performance rather than winning or losing;
- Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or losing a game;
- Remember that children learn best by example. Appreciate good performances and skillful play by all participants;
- Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities;
- Respect officials' decisions and teach children to do likewise;
- Show appreciation for volunteer coaches, officials and administrators. Without them, your child could not participate;
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- Applaud good performances and efforts from all individuals and teams. Congratulate all participants on their performance regardless of the outcome of the game.

