



Donegal Youth Soccer Parent's Pledge

As the parent or guardian of a DYS soccer player, I pledge to adhere to the following:

1. I will set a good example for the players. I realize that verbal abuse of any coaches, players, referees or club officials will not be tolerated. My job at the games is to cheer, support the team, and display good sportsmanship. I understand that if I do not display proper behavior at games, the coach, referee or any club official has the right to ask me to leave the field before play is continued.
2. I will place the emotional and physical well being of the players ahead of any personal desire to win. Although we always strive to win, winning is not the most important thing.
3. I will remember that the game is for the players, not the adults.
4. I will not bribe or offer incentives to my child. Bribes will distract a player from concentrating on the game, and the importance of teamwork.
5. I understand that the players and teams are members of Donegal Youth Soccer, and I will do what I can to support the Club. I will attempt to participate in functions of Donegal Youth Soccer, for the betterment of the soccer program.
6. I will remember that the coach is the coach, and playing time for my child is at the coach's discretion (within the rules defined by the Club). If I am not the coach, I will not coach from the sidelines. Too many coaches will confuse the players.
7. If I have a complaint, I will try to resolve it with the coach. This will not be done at a practice or game, while other people are in the area.
8. If I am not satisfied with the results of my discussion with the coach, I will contact the appropriate age level coordinator.
9. If I am not satisfied with the results of my discussion with the coordinator, I will contact the secretary or president of DYS, and ask to be included in the agenda of the next board meeting.
10. I will guide my child to follow rules, and will attempt to get him/her to each scheduled practice and game. If a coach tells me that my child is not behaving properly, I will take the responsibility of monitoring him/her at practices and games. If the situation is not handled to the satisfaction of the coach, I understand that my child may be removed from the club program, with no refund.
11. I will make arrangements for my child to have a ride home after each practice and game, at the scheduled quitting time of the practice or game.
12. I will support my child, regardless of his/her performance. I will encourage my child to always do his/her best.

Parent's Consent to upload child(ren)'s photo to DYSC Website.

I understand that photographs of my child(ren) may be taken by me or other parties throughout the soccer season and that these photos are often submitted to the DYSC webmaster for publishing on the website. I understand that photographs ONLY will be displayed and that under no circumstances are any children's names ever posted along with photographs.

CONSENT

(Yes, I give my permission to DYSC to upload images of my child(ren) to the DYSC website)

OBJECT

(No, I do not wish to have my child(ren)'s picture appear on the DYSC website)

Child's name: _____

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I have read the "Zero Tolerance Policy" prohibiting abusive behavior and agree to adhere to the stipulations set forth by DYSC. ([Please check here](#))

Parent's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Printed Name: _____