



## **LCFC Rec Basketball**

### Players Code of Conduct

#### ***All players must:***

- Recognize and appreciate the efforts made by coaches, parents, game officials and administrators in providing the opportunity for you to play the game and enjoy the sporting environment.
- Ensure that the game is played and conducted in accordance with disciplined and sporting behavior and acknowledge that it is not sufficient to rely solely upon that good officials to maintain those principles
- Not repeatedly breach the laws of the game
- Accept and observe the authority and decisions of match officials and all other disciplinary bodies
- Promote the reputation of the game and take all possible steps to prevent it from being brought into disrepute
- Not use foul language, abusive language, or gestures towards match officials, spectators, or opponents
- Not do anything which is likely to intimidate, offend, insult, humiliate or discriminate against any other person on the ground of gender, race, disability, age, religious or political belief, sexual orientation, social background, ethnic origin, language, marital or civil partnership status or pregnancy
- Arrive for games in good time to prepare thoroughly
- Display consistently high standards of behavior
- Always warm up and cool down properly
- Play for fun and enjoyment
- Learn and play by the rules
- Recognize and applaud all good play
- Be a good sport - win with modesty, lose with dignity
- Co-operate with coach, teammates and opponents



- Thank officials and opponents after competition

### ***VIOLATIONS OF CODE OF CONDUCT***

Violations of the Code of Conduct will not be tolerated. Rough play or intentional hard or flagrant fouls at any time is forbidden. If the conduct of a player is deemed unsportsmanlike, malicious, or too aggressive by the referee, the player will either receive a warning with a technical foul or be ejected from the game depending on severity. The commissioner may also ban any player from the league if that player's on or off-court actions are deemed inappropriate, unsportsmanlike, or threatens the concept of camaraderie of the league.