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CODES OF CONDUCT
COACHES, TEAM MANAGERS AND CLUB OFFICIALS

We all have a responsibility to promote high standards of behaviour in the game.

Play your part and observe The Football Association's Respect Code of Conduct in everything you do.

On and off the field, I will:

- Show respect to others involved in the game including match officials, opposition players, coaches, managers, officials and spectators.
- Adhere to the laws and spirit of the game.
- Promote Fair Play and high standards of behavior.
- Always respect the match official's decision
- Never enter the field of play without the referee's permission.
- Never engage in public criticism of the match officials.
- Never engage in, or tolerate, offensive, insulting or abusive language or behavior.

When working with players, I will:

- Place the well–being, safety and enjoyment of each player above everything, including winning.
- Explain exactly what I expect of players and what they can expect from me.
- Ensure all parents/carers of all players under the age of 18 understand these expectations.
- Never engage in or tolerate any form of bullying.
- Develop mutual trust and respect with every player to build their self- esteem.
- Encourage each player to accept responsibility for his or her own behavior and performance.
- Ensure all activities that are organised are appropriate for the players' ability level, age and maturity.
- Co- operate fully with others in football (e.g., officials, doctors, physiotherapists, welfare officers) for each player's best interests.
- Never smoke / vape at training, during matches or when representing TIBS FC.

Social Media, i.e., Facebook, Instagram, Twitter or Email etc. must not be used to be disrespectful or to criticize any player, team, official or club. Using any form of communication including social media you must be aware that you have any necessary consents and that you do not inadvertently post anything which may be antagonistic, or cause upset in the wider community.

I understand that if I do not follow the code any or all of the following actions may be taken by my club, County FA, League or the FA.

- Required to meet with the club, TJFA or FA.
- Required to meet with the club committee.
- Monitored by another club coach.
- Required to attend an FA education course.
- Suspended by the club from attending matches.
- Suspended or fined by the County FA.
- Required to leave the club.

I ..... dated ..... confirm that I have read, understood and agree to abide by the TIBS Codes of Conduct as described above.