

## Player Code Of Conduct

**Purpose:** To provide players with rules and expectations, in order to enhance their experience and help them achieve their potential. **All players must sign a code of conduct each “soccer year” (August 1 – July 31) prior to participation on Moscow United competitive teams.**

Players are expected to comply with all of the following rules and expectations each season:

1. Be fully dressed and ready to play on time for every practice and game. Players who will be late to or miss a practice or game may be excused if they notify coaches in advance. Injured players should attend all practices and games unless prior arrangements have been made with the coach. Players who are late to or miss a practice or game due to extenuating circumstances (e.g., family emergencies) will be considered excused.
2. Be properly equipped for all practices and games. Players should bring cleats, shinguards, long socks, appropriate clothing, and water to all practices. Players should have appropriate uniform items at all games.
3. Demonstrate good sportsmanship. Disrespect, defiance, or violence directed at Moscow United coaches, teammates, game officials, opposing coaches, or opposing players will not be tolerated.
4. Avoid using foul language during practices, games, and team functions.
5. Wash all team equipment after the season is over and return at a time and place designated by the coaches.
6. Comply with all applicable Idaho Youth Soccer Association (IYSA), Washington State Youth Soccer Association (WSYSA) and/or United States Youth Soccer Association (USYSA) rules regarding registration, rules of play, etc.
7. Comply with all local, state, and federal laws.
8. **Represent Moscow United to the best of your ability. Act appropriately during (and while traveling to/from) practices, games, tournaments, and other team functions.**
9. **Be committed to the team by attending all team functions and doing everything possible to create a positive experience for everyone involved in the Moscow United competitive soccer program.**
10. **Come to practices and games prepared to work hard and have fun!**

Violations of these may result in disciplinary actions, including but not limited to, extra conditioning, reduced playing time, and/or suspension or dismissal from Moscow United teams. Coaches may expand the above rules/expectations at their discretion, and may have additional rules/expectations for their players. Coaches will be expected to communicate all changes to the above and/or all additional rules/expectations to players prior to each season. Coaches are responsible for enforcing team rules/expectations and for determining appropriate consequences for violations.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (Player Name) have read the rules and expectations above and agree to and agree to comply with them throughout the \_\_\_\_\_ soccer season.

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Player Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date