



# Parent's Code of Conduct

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Get In The Game!

The Brecksville Soccer Organization has a goal of teaching our players the love of the game. Parents' and coaches' support of the above will insure our success in reaching this goal. Coaches are responsible for their parents' actions on the sidelines. The following is a set of sideline behavior guidelines. These guidelines are to be adhered to by all parents, coaches and spectators.

- 1) Do support your players with positive comments from the sidelines after a play has been completed. A player enjoys compliments after a good pass or a good shot.
- 2) Do not shout instructions to the players. The player must learn to make decisions without your input. Your instructions may conflict with what the coach is teaching.
- 3) Do encourage players to use the skills they are being taught by their coach. Please attend a practice and learn what the coach is teaching the players.
- 4) Do not abuse game officials with verbal dissent. Referees make far fewer mistakes than players do. Many of our youth referees are learning to call a game; they need your support.
- 5) Do support a minimum of one silent Sunday per season. This program is helping teach communication skills among our players, as well as encourage decision-making.

Coaches of teams whose parents violate the above guidelines will be subject to a hearing conducted by BSO officials and their community representative. The league can issue sanctions against the team including eligibility. The league retains the right to ban any parent who consistently violates any of the rules after a proper hearing.

Parents'/Guardians' Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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