



Players Code of Conduct – Agreement
Cary Defenders

Prior to participating in the **Cary Defenders Traveling Soccer Club**, players and their parents and/or guardians are required to read and complete the following **Player – Cary Defenders traveling soccer agreement**. This agreement outlines the general conditions governing a player’s participation within the club.

Participants in the club:

1. Agree to use his or her best efforts to support the team and team mates accordingly to the coaches directives
2. Agree to actively participate in all scheduled training sessions, games, and tournaments set forth by the coach. The player will do their best to attend all practices and games. They also recognize that other outside commitments must be considered by the player so that it does not negatively impact your growth as a soccer player on the team.
3. Recognize that playing time in games may not be equally divided amongst all team members. The coaching staff will determine playing time based on skill, commitment, and game situations. Each player must earn their position and playing time during training sessions, including a team’s pre-season camp.
4. Treat all team mates, opponents, officials, coaches and parents with courtesy and respect.
5. Fulfill all required academic responsibilities. Club training, games, travel etc shall not be an excuse for missing or not fulfilling any academic requirements. Students not maintaining a passing grade in school must meet with their coach and parents to discuss an action plan established by the parent.
6. Notify my coach immediately if approached by anyone for the purpose of recruitment, guest playing, training, games, or tryouts with any other soccer club or organization.
7. Notify the Director of Coaching immediately if approached by anyone within **Cary Defenders Soccer Club** for the purpose of recruitment or tryouts with a club other than **Cary Defenders Soccer Club**.
8. Represent **Cary Defenders Soccer Club** with values and principles of the highest standard both on and off the field. The player shall exhibit proper conduct at all practices, games or club activities. Any behavior which may be construed as detrimental to the club may result in that player’s suspension or dismissal from the team.
9. Maintain and wear all apparel issued to them. Players will be required to wear official **Cary Defenders Soccer Club** uniforms at all games.
10. Refrain from using foul language, alcohol, drugs, nicotine or tobacco products, or any substance that in any way degrades or damages my condition or performance as an athlete, student, or member of the club.
11. Players who have a problem with a team mate, coach or club official should bring the problem or concern to the parent or coach’s attention. When possible resolving the issue directly with the individual is best. Your parent or coach will understand who to speak with if you are not sure.

Print Players Name

Print Parent and/or Guardians Name

Players Signature

Parent and/or Guardian Signature

Date Signed

Date Signed

Complete and return one copy – retain one copy for your records