



# Belmont School

*Mā te mahi tahi ka piki kōtuku*  
**Succeeding together**

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## **BELMONT SCHOOL SPORTS CODE OF CONDUCT 2023**

### **FOR ALL PLAYERS, COACHES/MANAGERS, AND SUPPORTERS**

Everyone involved with Belmont School Sport is expected to follow Fair Play rules and be responsible, well behaved representatives of our School.

*Good sport is about having a positive attitude. You can set the right tone and help make the game a success. Play your part, and play fair.*

If you have any issues throughout the season, please communicate with the School first before making any complaints to Coaches, Managers, Volunteers or Sports Providers.

**Please ensure you read this Code of Conduct carefully and share it with your child before registering them for their chosen sport.**

#### **BELMONT SCHOOL SPORTING POLICY:**

- I have a responsibility to listen to my coach and try my best at all times. I realise they give up a lot of their free time to train me
- I have a responsibility to attend all trainings and give 100% attention and effort when there
- I have a responsibility to turn up to the game at the assigned time
- I have a responsibility to inform my coach as soon as possible if I am unable to attend a practice or game
- I have a responsibility to my teammates to be a supportive team member at all times and to realise I am no more important than anyone else in my team
- I will abide by all umpiring/refereeing decisions and appreciate that these people have given up their time to enable me to play
- I have a responsibility to myself that I give 100% effort at all times, so I can be proud of myself

#### **THE FAIRPLAY PROMISE FOR BELMONT SCHOOL STUDENTS/PLAYERS:**

To the best of my ability I will:

- Play by the rules
- Never argue with an official
- Work hard to do my best at all times
- Turn up to practice
- Be a good sport and recognise good players and good plays by all involved
- Remember to thank my coach, the officials, the opposition and supporters
- Help others in my team when I can
- Avoid putting people down and bullying them

## **THE FAIRPLAY PROMISE FOR BELMONT SCHOOL PARENTS/CAREGIVERS AND SUPPORTERS:**

To the best of my ability I will:

- Encourage my child, and other people's children, in their efforts in sport
- Insist that my child plays within the rules and by the principles of fair play
- Respect my child's efforts the same regardless of whether s/he has won or lost
- Display self control on the sideline. Be positive, never shout at or ridicule players
- Watch my child play and let him/her enjoy the game
- Show my appreciation and respect to people who volunteer their time so my child can play and practise
- Remember that my child plays sport for his/her reasons not mine
- Never place undue pressure on my child to play or perform
- Give it heaps and don't get ugly

**Copies are available at the School Office. Any questions about the Code of Conduct can be emailed to [sports@belmont-lowerhutt.school.nz](mailto:sports@belmont-lowerhutt.school.nz)**