

Matamata Swifts



Parent's Code of Conduct

How well your child plays football is not a reflection of you. How your child behaves while playing football is a reflection of you.

Please:

1. Encourage your child to always play fair and play by the rules.
2. Teach your child that hard work and a positive attitude will give them the best chance of winning.
3. Help your child turn defeat into victory by working on skill improvement and good sportsmanship.
4. Keep your sideline comments positive.

Remember:

5. If you require clarification about team selection, or any other important matter related to junior football, you must contact the club's management committee, in writing, by sending your query to:
admin@matamataswifts.com.
6. Respect the referee – do not question the referee's judgement. The referee is always right.
7. Recognise the value and importance of your club's coaches. They are volunteers and give their time to your child. Please avoid undermining them through shouting conflicting instructions during games.
8. There are plenty of ways for you to step up and help the club – perhaps as an assistant coach or team manager. Your positive support is always welcome.

Most of all, please help your child to enjoy their time learning to play football for Matamata Swifts.