



## Subiaco Marist Cricket Club (SMCC)

### Code of Conduct – Clubman, Player, and Volunteer Behaviour (Combined)

#### Purpose

This Code of Conduct outlines the expected standards of behaviour for all **players, coaches, officials, volunteers, Woolworths Blast participants, and Metropolitan Junior Community Cricket (MJCC) participants** of Subiaco Marist Cricket Club (SMCC), both **on and off the field**, in accordance with:

- The club's values and Code of Conduct (refer below)
- **WASTCA competition rules and policies** (WASTCA Code of Conduct)
- **Metropolitan Junior Community Cricket competition (MJCC) rules and policies** (MJCC Code of Behaviour)
- **Woolworths Blast Code of Behaviour** (Woolworths Blast Program)
- **Cricket Australia's Code of Conduct and Spirit of Cricket** (Cricket Australia Code)
- **WA Cricket code of Conduct**

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#### Resources and references from websites -

- <https://www.cricket.com.au/integrity/code-of-conduct>
- <https://www.wacricknet.com.au/support>
- <https://static1.squarespace.com/static/5e15c5aaf0949f1fb7514678/t/6750eb59df868144a93e7778/1733356378246/WASTCA-Participants+Code+Of+Conduct-Season+2024-2025.pdf>
- <https://play.cricket.com.au/community/resources/clubs#wwcb>

## 1. General Behaviour Expectations

All club members agree to:

- Demonstrate **respect, integrity, and professionalism** towards teammates, opposition, umpires, club officials, and spectators at all times.
  - Uphold the **Spirit of Cricket**, promoting fairness and good sportsmanship.
  - Avoid any behaviour that could bring the club, WASTCA, MJCC, Woolworths Blast, or cricket in general into disrepute.
  - Refrain from abusive, discriminatory, harassing, or threatening language or behaviour.
  - Comply with all directions given by team captains, coaches, or club officials relating to conduct and match preparation.
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## 2. On-Field Expectations

- Compete to the best of your ability and within the rules of the game.
  - Accept umpire decisions without dissent or abusive language.
  - Avoid excessive appealing, intimidation, or sledging contrary to the spirit of cricket.
  - Wear official club uniform and maintain personal presentation standards during matches.
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## 3. Off-Field Expectations

- Represent the club positively in all social settings, including club events, social media, and public forums.
  - Avoid excessive alcohol consumption or behaviours that may cause harm or risk to yourself or others while representing SMCC.
  - Respect the property of SMCC, other clubs, and competition venues at all times.
  - Refrain from illegal activities that could damage the reputation of the club, WASTCA, MJCC, Woolworths Blast, or competition.
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## 4. Compliance

Adhere to all policies and guidelines issued by **WASTCA, MJCC, Woolworths Blast, Cricket WA and Cricket Australia**, including but not limited to:

- Anti-Discrimination and Harassment Policies
  - Social Media Policy
  - Player Behaviour Codes
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## **5. Breach of Agreement**

Breaches of this code of conduct may result in:

- Disciplinary action under SMCC's Code of Conduct
  - Suspension or removal from team selection or volunteer roles
  - Referral to SMCC Committee for formal disciplinary proceedings
  - Termination of club membership or volunteer role for serious or repeated breaches
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## **6. Acknowledgement**

By registering as a volunteer and/or player, I acknowledge:

- I have read and understood the expectations outlined above and the linked Codes of Conduct.
  - I agree to uphold these standards as a condition of my involvement with SMCC.
  - I understand the consequences of breaching this agreement.
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