

MASHPEE YOUTH SOCCER ORGANIZATION

MYSO TRAVEL SOCCER PLAYER'S CODE

It is a privilege to play on an MYSO travel soccer team. As an MYSO player, I will:

1. Play the game because it is my strong desire to be an MYSO soccer player. I am not playing because my parents or my coach want me to; I am a member of an MYSO travel soccer team because *I want to play soccer*.
2. Be modest and generous when I win and gracious in defeat.
3. Respect the game of soccer and its rules, learn the rules and try to follow them, and play the game fairly.
4. Work for the good of my team and give my best effort at all times.
5. Show respect for the authority of the referee even when I disagree with him/her. I will also respect my team-mates, my coaches, and all of the parents and fans that attend my matches.
6. Demonstrate good sportsmanship before, during, and after every match and at every practice session. I understand that soccer is a game and that the players on the other team are my opponents, not my enemies.
7. Conduct myself with honor and dignity and treat other players as I would like them to treat me.
8. Help my parents and fans understand the rules of soccer so that they can watch and enjoy the game better.
9. Control my temper and not retaliate even if I believe that I have been fouled.
10. I will not use or possess tobacco, alcohol, or illegal performance enhancing drugs.

Acknowledgement

I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the MYSO Player's Code of Conduct.

Player's Name: _____ Today's Date: _____

Player's Signature: _____

MYSO Team & Coach: _____