

## WEST PERTH FOOTBALL CLUB (INC)

## CODE OF CONDUCT

The West Perth Football Club is the oldest club in the West Australian Football League and aims to be a premier location for entertaining, family friendly football in comfortable and social surroundings.

The below Code of Conduct applies to all Members of the West Perth Football Club at home-and-away games, official Club or League functions and other non-football situations or events endorsed or supported by the Club.

## All Members and supporters are therefore requested to uphold the following requirements and values including:

- 1. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all persons involved in the West Perth Football Club (WPFC) and the West Australian Football League (WAFL) by treating everyone equally regardless of gender, race, ethnic origin or religion.
- 2. Demonstrate appropriate social behaviour by not using foul or abusive language, racial vilification or physical intimidation towards umpires, opposition players and coaches, game officials or other spectators.
- 3. Not engage in conduct which would be likely to bring the WPFC or WAFL into disrepute.
- 4. Respect the right of other spectators to enjoy the game in an enjoyable and safe environment.
- 5. Respect the player's space whilst on the oval and allow them room to warm up, enter and leave the oval and at game breaks.
- 6. Not engage in verbal abuse or direct foul language towards umpires or umpires officials at any stage during or after the game and allow all game officials to enter and depart the playing arena without interruption or disturbance.
- 7. Follow the directions of WPFC appointed game day security or club administration staff in relation to all matters both on and off the field.
- 8. Adhere to the no smoking policy at HBF Arena, Joondalup and surrounds.
- 9. Drink responsibly and adhere to the responsible service of alcohol guidelines at HBF Arena, Joondalup. Patrons are also advised that it is an offence to bring any alcohol onto the premises at HBF Arena, Joondalup.

All members who attend matches agree to abide by the above Code of Conduct and associated policies in keeping with crowd behaviour. WPFC reserves the right to revoke memberships or casual game day tickets should any offence be committed. Should a ban be warranted, no compensation will be provided and all penalties are at the discretion of WPFC.

The Club treats breaches of this code very seriously. Should you experience continual issues with other members or supporters surrounding you, please email a written complaint to <a href="mailto:reception@falconsfc.com.au">reception@falconsfc.com.au</a> and a staff member will contact you to discuss the follow-up actions required.