TUGGERANONG VALLEY CRICKET CLUB
Code of Behaviour

As a player or volunteer of the Tuggeranong Valley Cricket Club (TVCC or the Club), I agree to abide by the playing conditions as outlined in the Premier Cricket Competition handbook issued by Cricket ACT, especially those provisions relating to player behaviour. TVCC is committed to ensuring the spirit and traditions of cricket are observed and as such have adopted a code of behaviour to support Cricket ACT's own code of conduct. By registering to play cricket or volunteer for the TVCC and signing this declaration, I acknowledge that I am aware of my responsibilities in respect of behaviour as outlined in the Cricket ACT Premier Cricket Competition handbook. I also agree to abide by the general code of behaviour (below), the Constitution, and rules of the game and to promote the values held by the TVCC.

I acknowledge **my financial obligation** to the TVCC and agree to make full membership payment as detailed at the Annual General Meeting. In applying for membership, I acknowledge that I have read and understand my obligations with respect to my behaviour and the possible consequences if I fail to abide by those behaviours and values. I acknowledge that my fees are subsidised by the volunteer work performed by the Executive Committee and agree that when able, I will volunteer my time to assist the club in different capacities to keep fees at the lowest level possible for the club.

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As a member of the TVCC, it is expected that you meet the following standards in respect of your conduct during any activity held or sanctioned by the club, or the ACT Cricket Association and in any role you hold within the game:

1. Respect the rights, dignity and value of others within the club. The club has a zero tolerance for racist, sexist, or homophobic behaviour.

2. Respect the opposition as guests at our facility and respect the facilities of the opposition.

3. Always be fair, considerate and honest in your dealings with others and always accept responsibility for your own actions. Remain professional at all times and treat umpires, teammates, volunteers and the opposition with respect.

4. Ensure you are aware of, and respect, cricket's laws and etiquettes, including the individual competition rules, regulations and policies. You should always seek to operate within the laws of the game.

5. Do not use your involvement with the club to promote your own beliefs, behaviours or practices where these are inconsistent with the Club or community expectations.

6. Demonstrate a high degree of individual responsibility especially when dealing with minors, or minorities within our community. Always remember that your words and actions are an example to be followed. You should avoid unaccompanied and unobserved activities with persons under 18 years of age, wherever possible.

7. Refrain from any form of harassment or ridicule of others, whether they are the opposition, teammates, an official of any club (including your own), or a visitor to your club.

8. Refrain from any behaviour that may bring cricket, the club, a member association or an affiliated club into disrepute.

9. Provide a safe environment for the conduct of any activity held or sanctioned by the club and show concern and empathy towards others who may be sick or injured.

10. Be a positive role model and respond positively to advice and direction provided by club officials and Team Captains.

TVCC seeks to embody everything that is good about the game of cricket. By applying to become and being accepted as a member of the club, you agree that you have read and understand the above and agree to abide by the code and to respect the dress code, behavioural expectations, and commit to the responsible service of alcohol to ensure our licensing obligations are maintained. Failure to abide by the code will result in disciplinary action being taken and in extreme or repeated cases, consideration will be given to the withdrawal of your membership.