

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS/GUARDIAN

SKERRIES ATHLETIC CLUB

- Be a role model for your child and maintain the highest standards of conduct when interacting with children, other parents, officials and coaches.
- Encourage your child to learn the rules and play within them.
- Discourage unfair play and arguing with officials or coaches.
- Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results.
- Never force your child to take part in sport.
- Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding good performances of all.
- Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
- Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport.
- Use correct and proper language at all times.
- Encourage and guide your child to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour.
- Ensure you are familiar with the start and finish time of your child's training session and that they are picked up on time.
- If your child is not attending training consistently, you may be asked to give up your child's place to accommodate another child on the waiting list.
- Children aged 10years and older must participate in at least 3 Dublin Athletic Board organised race meetings per year in order to validate their membership for the following year. (Ratified at AGM 2012)
- From time to time photographs may be taken at various race meetings etc. which will appear on the clubs website or social networking sites such as Facebook. Please advise if you do not wish for your child to be photographed at such events.