

# T.B.M.F.A.

## Coaches Code of Conduct

1. The primary goal of all our coaches will be to provide a FUN first program. We want players to enjoy playing football. Coaches will not be judged on their win, loss record.
2. Safety is our number one priority. We want to teach all players fundamental football skills, good sportsmanship and fair play. This will ultimately help them to be better players, teammates and people.
3. We will be reasonable when scheduling practices by following the leagues mandate. We allow coaches 4 football days a week this includes games and practices. We must understand that player's and their families have other obligations. A player's opportunity to achieve success on the football field should not be more important than their opportunity to achieve academic success.
4. Have realistic expectations of players. They are not professionals and cannot and should not be judged by professional standards.
5. Be a positive role model for players, parents, officials and spectators by displaying emotional maturity. Maintain personal self-control. Your actions reflect on TBMFA but you are ultimately responsible for the consequences of your decisions and actions.
6. Know the rules of the game and the association. Do not disregard the rules as they are in place to keep the game fair for all participants.
7. Do not ridicule or criticize players publicly. Be honest in your evaluation of players and their performance.
8. Respect all game participants. Never verbally or physically harass, abuse or insult other coaches, managers, players, parents and spectators, unacceptable behaviour towards them will not be tolerated.
9. The officials' decision is final. TBMFA will not tolerate unacceptable conduct towards officials. Should it occur it will be dealt with in accordance with the constitution and by-laws of TBMFA.

I have read the Coaches Code of Conduct and understand that failure to follow the Code may result in my disciplinary action by TBMFA.

Print: \_\_\_\_\_ . Date: \_\_\_\_\_ .

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ . Date: \_\_\_\_\_ .