

AFL & parents combining for our kids

THE AFL ASKS PARENTS TO OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING CODE OF CONDUCT:



- 1** Remember that children play sport for their enjoyment, not yours.
- 2** Encourage children to participate – do not force participation upon them.
- 3** Focus on the child's efforts and self-esteem rather than whether they win or lose.
- 4** Encourage children to always participate according to the rules.
- 5** Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or for the team losing a game.
- 6** Remember that children learn best by example – applaud the efforts of all players in both teams.
- 7** Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.
- 8** Show appreciation of volunteer coaches, officials and administrators, without whom your child could not participate.
- 9** Respect umpires' decisions and teach children to do likewise.
- 10** Remember that smoking and the consumption of alcohol is unacceptable at junior sport.



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We're
not playing
for
Sheep Stations!