



SOCS Athletics – Code Of Conduct

1. Players will respect and abide by the code of conduct that has been outlined by the McMaster Athletics and Recreation Department.
2. Playing or participating in SOCS intramurals while under the influence of drugs and/or alcohol is prohibited.
3. No player shall argue with any official. If there is a concern or discrepancy, bring it to the attention of the Vice President Athletics (or co-captain, where applicable), who will decide what, if any, actions need to be taken. This is to be done either at half time or at the end of the game.
4. Players will treat each other with respect.
5. Players will treat captains and the VP Athletics with respect. If there are concerns, players are to bring it to the above parties at an appropriate time and will be handled in private.
6. Players will be modest regardless of outcome.
7. Poor attitude and poor sportsmanship will not be tolerated under any circumstances and will be dealt with according.
8. Comments and language will be kept appropriate at all times, whether on or off the playing surface, including comments made on social media accounts (no racial comments, bullying, verbal abuse, swearing, threats, teasing, etc.).
9. During regular season, the captains and VP Athletics will strive to provide equal playing time to all participants.
10. During playoffs, length of playing time will be determined based on attendance records, attitude and other merits as seen fit by the above parties.
11. Players are to wear a SOCS shirt or orange coloured shirt to all games, unless otherwise noted.
12. Players are to join the roster through IMLeagues prior to the first game day, unless other arrangements have been made and approved by the VP Athletics.

Failing to comply with the above conditions may lead to one or more of the following:

Verbal warning
Ejection from the game
Loss of playing time

Loss of SOCS athletics privileges

Loss of SOCS membership

Serious offences could also warrant university sanctions