

QRL South East Division Juniors – SPECTATORS CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

- Abuse, verbal or physical, of Players, Match Officials and of other Spectators in any way shape or form, is not tolerated by the QRL South East Division Juniors, or its affiliated clubs.
- Never, under any circumstances, enter the field of play.
- At all times, follow the directions of Duty Officials and other Game Day Officials.
- Avoid confrontation with other spectators. If necessary, walk away and report any breaches of this code to the relevant authority.
- Support all efforts to remove verbal, racist and physical abuse from rugby league.
- Remember that young people learn best by example.
- Encourage players to play by the rules and to respect opposition players and match officials.
- Remember, young people are involved in the sport for their own enjoyment, not yours.
- Never ridicule, shout at or abuse any child for making a mistake. Remember, mistakes are part of the learning process.
- Encourage both teams for good play.
- Emphasise the positives in your team's skills, play down any negatives. They will learn through the coaching process.
- Recognise the value of volunteer coaches, referees and officials. They give up their time to provide recreational activities for your children.
- Remember, you attend junior rugby league games with the permission and license of the QRL South East Division Juniors and affiliate clubs. Breaches of the above Code of Conduct can result in expulsion from grounds where matches are in progress and repeat offenders may be banned from all grounds under the control of affiliate clubs.