



# University of WA Cricket Club - Code of Conduct

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The University of Western Australia Cricket Club (**UWACC**) is committed to maintaining the highest standards of behavior and conduct amongst its members and stakeholders. This Code of Conduct applies to all players, spectators, committee members, employees and all those representing the club in either an official or unofficial capacity.

## Purpose

The purpose of this Code of Conduct is to outline the UWACC's expectations of behaviour and conduct amongst all those representing the club, to help ensure that their actions are consistent with the spirit of cricket and the best interests of the University of Western Australia Cricket Club.

## Club Objectives

The UWACC's overarching goal is to 'be the best club in the competition'. This will be achieved by reference to three key areas:

- Environment** Providing a professional, hardworking and enjoyable atmosphere around the Club, both on and off the field.
- Development** Encouraging players to improve and develop both physically and mentally to reach their individual potential.
- Community** Challenging members, players, coaches and committee members to improve the Club's standing amongst the WACA competition and the broader UWA community.

## Club Values

All members of the UWACC are expected to align themselves with the club's values. Displaying these values, both on and off the field, will play a pivotal role in the club's endeavours to produce and maintain success in the immediate and long term future, as well as achieve its overall objectives.

<b>Teamwork</b>	By supporting each other on and off the field, we will develop stronger relationships between players throughout the club, in turn creating an enjoyable environment and fostering development.
<b>Respect</b>	Players and members are to respect each other, the club, officials and the opposition at all times, helping build our standing amongst the wider community.
<b>Honesty</b>	Players must be honest, in both self-evaluation and interactions with others to assist players' development and create a professional environment.
<b>Perseverance</b>	Players must be relentless during match situations, and persevere through adversity in our efforts to become the best club in the competition, thereby developing our mental strength and respect amongst our opposition and the wider competition.

## Demonstrating Alignment with the Club's Values

### Player Expectations

1. Respect the game. Play by the laws of the game and in accordance with the spirit of cricket. Respect the decisions given by the umpire. Respect all officials, opposition, coaches, parents, friends and spectators. Know that abuse to any involved in the game is unacceptable. Show respect for all good play on both your side and the opposition's. Offer your hand to the opposition at the conclusion of each match. Always demonstrate concern and caution towards injured players.
2. Respect the club. Arrive on time to training and matches, with all you require to fulfill your commitments. Pay all outstanding debts to the club on time. Cooperate with your coach, captain and teammates.
3. Respect your teammates. Always support your teammates and respect them, irrespective of the situation they may find themselves in. Work equally hard for your team as you would yourself.
4. Respect yourself. Do not be overly harsh on yourself based on your performance. Seek help when needed. Utilise the club's resources to get the best out of yourself. Take care of your physical and mental health. Participate for your own enjoyment and benefit, not only to please others.
5. Respect others. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person, irrespective of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.

6. Respect for facilities. Do not damage the club's facilities and do not damage other club's facilities in any manner. Comply with all relevant policies of the University of Western Australia.
7. No player shall attend a game or training under the influence of drugs or alcohol. Illicit drugs are not to be brought to the club's premises or any grounds for any reason whatsoever.