



MEMBER CODE OF CONDUCT – PLAYERS STANDARDS

These are the minimum standards required of all members of the Leopold Cricket Club:

1. All players must be aware of and abide by the GCA Players Code of Conduct as set out in Appendix C of the GCA handbook
2. Adhere to and respect the rules and spirit of the game of cricket at all times
3. The club expects all players, as representatives of the club, to wear the correct attire on field during all games
4. Show respect for your captain, your team and your club at all times on field
5. Never argue with an official. Questions are to go through your captain who will address the matter with the official
6. Control your temper. This includes the use of offensive language – generally as a disparaging remark to an opposing player or toward an umpire, or even as an expression of frustration or self-admonishment. It also includes racial vilification (any act that is reasonably likely to intimidate another person or group based on race, religion, descent, color or national/ethnic origin).
The actions of the dismissed batsman – in failing to leave the crease promptly on being given out and any equipment abuse (eg. Banging the bat into the ground/fence etc or throwing the bat during or after your return to the pavilion)
7. Always display good sportsmanship and always conduct yourself in a way that reflects well on yourself and your club
8. Celebrate your teams' success. Do not ridicule the other teams' failure
9. Regular training attendance is expected. Being punctual and ready to train including wearing appropriate training gear.
10. It is your responsibility to declare availability for selection. Once selected, you are expected to play unless there is a compelling reason why you should be excused. Late notice of withdrawal from a team is not welcomed. If you might not be available for all days of a match, either discuss your situation with the captain or chairman of selectors, or declare yourself unavailable
11. When attending a junior match or event show proper respect to the players and their parents/supporters. Junior players look to seniors for mentoring and as a role model. Encourage and support our next generation of players
12. All membership fees are expected to be paid up to date no later than 31st January