

River City Soccer Club

*Professionalism Policy
Revised 5-7-09*

The club will be upgrading its image to present a more professional image.

Team Names (Applicable to all premier teams U13 and older)

Teams will be registered as River City Soccer Club followed by the age group abbreviation.

For example: **River City Soccer Club GU16**

Multiple teams in age groups will be distinguished by color name posted following the age group abbreviation.

Teams will be assigned a color in the following order: Black, White, and Red

For Example: **River City Soccer Club GU16 Black**

Practice Outfits

Teams will wear training shirts at practice. These shirts may be purchased through the club as official team gear, or may be designed and made on an individual team basis.

Game Appearance

Players will wear matching outfits, including socks of the same color and approved River City Jersey and Short.

Game Behavior

Players will uphold the Laws of the Game. Players will behave sportingly and with class. Swearing, "cheap shots" and unsporting behavior will not be tolerated. Abuse of the referees and other officials (including coaches) is strictly forbidden both verbally and physically.

Sideline Activity

Coaches will be responsible for all sideline behavior. Controlling of parents and players to keep the sidelines organized and professional both physically and verbally. Parents, players or coaches whose behavior is deemed unprofessional may receive game suspensions.*

Coaches are responsible for cleaning the sidelines of any trash after team has left the team area.

If another team is using the field immediately after, coach will remove players and player's equipment from field and team area and may do their postgame talk in another area off the field.

Field Upkeep

Teams will refrain from use of the marked 18-yard box during warm-ups and practice. If absolutely necessary for goal reasons, exceptions may be made. During practice, if it is possible to move the goal to the top of the "18" then it shall be done. Goal will be moved back into place when team is finished with its use. Ladders or any repetitive field wear will be done off of the marked field. (Ladders are NOT ALLOWED at all for use at Planters Ferry Soccer Complex)

Players will not pick grass while stretching or sitting on the playing surface.

We are a professional soccer club and we shall present ourselves as such. That includes our fields, personnel and every aspect of club activity.

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RCSC President

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RCSC Director of Coaching

*Suspension will be determined by severity of behavior and enforced by a vote from the RCSC Board. Assessing parties shall be a combined report from two of the following witnessing parties: Team coaching staff, rostered players, officiating crew or RCSC board member.