

## 10 Simple Rules for being a sporting supporter!

1. Honour thy coach and thy team
2. Thou shalt applaud ALL goals scored
3. Thou shalt not boo if the opposition plays well
4. Thou shalt refrain from coaching from the sideline
5. Thou SHALT NOT abuse the umpire
6. Thou shalt not call out an infringement BEFORE the umpire
7. Thou shalt not see infringements unless the umpire does, neither shalt thou not see infringements that the umpire sees
8. Thou shalt open BOTH eyes in order to see BOTH teams
9. Thou shalt buy a rule book, thou shalt practice counting 3 seconds accurately, and thou shalt cut a piece of wood exactly 0.9m (3 feet) long and study it
10. THOU SHALT ENJOY WATCHING THE GAME.

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**It's Not OK.**

**I WILL remember:**

- This is a game
- Coaches are volunteers
- Referees are human
- This is not the World Cup

**BE A SPORT, JUST SUPPORT!**

**I will set an example by...**

- Supporting our team champion
- Encouraging participants to play within the rules and respect the efforts of their opponents
- Applauding good performances by both teams
- Giving positive comments that motivate and encourage continued effort
- Respecting the decisions of the referees
- Helping when asked by a coach or official
- Thanking the coaches, officials, referees and other volunteers who give their time
- Respecting the rights, dignity and worth of all people involved in the game