



Hawaii Rush Big Island 2021-2022

Player Code of Conduct

As a player for the Hawaii Rush Big Island soccer club, I will uphold the following Player's Code of Conduct:

- Be on time for all practices and games with my proper equipment (soccer cleats, shin guards, soccer socks, proper uniform, soccer ball and water bottle)
- Will learn and obey the Laws of the Game, the team and Hawaii Rush Big Island soccer club.
- I accept responsibility for my behavior on and off the field. I understand that what I do and say affects my teammates, my club, and other people- either positively or negatively. I lead courageously and live with integrity by speaking up against injustice and on behalf of others, even when it is difficult or unpopular.
- Act with respect toward myself and the people and things around me, including my parents, my coaches, my teammates, my teachers, and my opponents. I do not put people in boxes according to their race, religion, neighborhood, or abilities. Judge people by the content of their character.
- I act with empathy. I try to understand what is going on in the hearts and minds of others and what is causing those feelings so that I can be supportive and encouraging. I ask , " How can I help you ?"
- I serve as a role model at all times by talking politely and acting courteously toward coaches, teammates, opponents, officials. I understand that it is a privilege to represent my family, club, and community as a student-athlete.
- I give 100 percent effort to practices, games, and events. I understand that this effort demonstrates my commitment to the team and my respect for my coaches and teammates.
- When being subbed, I act in a respectful manner to my coaches and my teammates.
- I display good sportsmanship. I acknowledge and applaud the efforts of others. I encourage my teammates with positive statements. I refrain from boasting to my teammates and "trash-talking" to members of other teams. I accept defeat graciously by congratulating my opponents on a game well played. Because I represent my family, club, and team, I abide by the policies, rules, and guidelines of the team, and coaches.
- I promise I will not leave the field, group or session without the permission of the coach or supervising adult
- I promise to inform my coach in advance if I am unable to attend a practice or game
- I promise I will follow the directions of my coaches and/or designated responsible person (chaperone)

- I understand that playing time is not guaranteed and I recognize that certain games are more competitive than others and that some players will earn more playing time based of effort, ability and attitude at practices and games
- I promise to use social media responsibly. I will show respect and refrain from criticizing any player, coach, or referee
- I promise I will not seek opportunities with other clubs without the permission of my head coach and the Director of Coaching. I understand that if Hawaii Rush Big Island has an available team, that is my priority
- I promise I will not allow my eagerness and dedication for soccer to take priority over my education

I acknowledge that I have read the Parent and Player Promise below and agree to be bound by its terms and conditions. Further, my failure to comply with this document may result in disciplinary action, up to and including expulsion from the Hawaii Rush Big Island soccer club.

DATE SIGNED	PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME
PLAYER(S) NAME	PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE