



Discussion Notes

- Encourage the group to discuss what Respect in Sport means to them.
- Ask them to give examples of fair and respectful behaviour they have experienced in sport?
How did that make them feel?
- Ask them to give examples of harassment or abuse either directed at them or others?
How did that make them feel?
- Consider the role each of these people has to help create an environment of respect for all.
Determine positive actions they can promote for building respect in their club and keeping sport fun!

Players

Eg. Listening to coach, shaking hands and thank opposition, accepting umpire/referees decision, attend training and events,

Coaches

Eg. Encourage positive environment, no yelling, encourage players, accept decisions, acknowledge positive behaviours

Parents & Spectators

Eg. Encourage players and support umpires/ officials from the sidelines; communicate perceived issues rather than gossip

Club Officials

Eg. Promote the codes of conduct, develop guidelines for selection, lead by example, efficient and fair complaint handling

Referees/Umpires/Officials

Eg promote an environment that is fair, polite and set the standards for others to follow, acknowledge good behaviour

Ask each participant to complete the statement on their certificate stating how they will contribute to Respect in Sport.