

# VILLACOURT ROVERS FC

## VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FORM

### **PART A - PERSONAL DETAILS**

Title : Mr / Mrs / Miss / Ms / Other  
Surname : \_\_\_\_\_  
Forename: \_\_\_\_\_  
D.O.B : \_\_\_\_\_  
Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

P/Code : \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone No : \_\_\_\_\_  
Mobile : \_\_\_\_\_  
Email : \_\_\_\_\_

### **PART B: EMPLOYMENT DETAILS**

Job title : \_\_\_\_\_  
Employer : \_\_\_\_\_  
Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Postcode : \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_  
Duties : \_\_\_\_\_

### **PART C: PREVIOUS VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

Organisation : \_\_\_\_\_  
Start/Finish Date : \_\_\_\_\_  
Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone No : \_\_\_\_\_  
Nature of Duties : \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any other relevant voluntary experience, please use an additional sheet of paper.

### **PART D: SPORTING QUALIFICATIONS**

Qualifications : \_\_\_\_\_  
FA Coaches Assoc : Yes Reg. Number \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Aid : Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach copies of your certificates in respect of these qualifications.

### **PART E: REFERENCES**

Please provide the names and address of two people who know you well (but are not related) who have knowledge of your work with children who we can contact.

One : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Two : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Signed** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name (Print)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Approved by Club Yes / No**

**Signed by Club** \_\_\_\_\_

**Printed** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

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## **CODE OF CONDUCT**

Coaches and Volunteers have an important role to play for people in the sport. Setting the right example is the most fundamental part of the game. Fair Play and respect for all others in the game is very important.

## **CODE OF CONDUCT FOR COACHES**

Coaches are key to the establishment of ethics in football. Their concept of ethics and their attitude directly effects the behaviour of players under their supervision. Coaches are, therefore, expected to pay particular care to the moral aspect of their conduct. Coaches have to be aware that almost all of their everyday decisions and choices of actions, as well as strategic targets, have ethical implications. It is natural that winning constitutes a basic concern for coaches. This code is not intended to conflict with that. However, the code calls for coaches to disassociate themselves from a "win-at-all-costs" attitude.

Increased responsibility is requested from coaches involved in coaching young people. The health, safety, welfare and moral education of young people are a first priority, before the achievement or the reputation of the club, school, coach or parent.

- Coaches must respect the rights, dignity and worth of each and every person and treat each equally within the context of the sport.
- Coaches must place the well-being and safety of each player above all other considerations, including the development of performance.
- Coaches must adhere to all guidelines laid down by governing bodies.
- Coaches must develop an appropriate working relationship with each player based on mutual trust and respect.
- Coaches must not exert undue influence to obtain personal benefit or reward.
- Coaches must encourage and guide players to accept responsibility for their own behaviour and performance.
- Coaches must ensure that the activities they direct or advocate are appropriate for the age, maturity, experience and ability of players.
- Coaches should, at the outset, clarify with the players (and, where appropriate, parents) exactly what is expected of them and also what they are entitled to expect from their coach.
- Coaches must co-operate fully with other specialists (e.g. other coaches, officials, sports scientists, doctors, physiotherapists) in the best interests of the player.
- Coaches must always promote the positive aspects of the sport (e.g. fair play) and never condone violations of the Laws of the Game, behaviour contrary to the spirit of the Laws of the Game or relevant rules and regulations or the use of prohibited substances or techniques.
- Coaches must consistently display high standards of behaviour and appearance.
- Not to use or tolerate inappropriate language.

## **CODE OF CONDUCT FOR TEAM OFFICIALS**

This Code applies to all team/club officials (although some items may not apply to all officials).

### **OBLIGATIONS TOWARDS THE GAME:**

The team official should:

- Set a positive example for others, particularly young players and supporters.
- Promote and develop his own team having regard to the interest of the Players, Supporters and reputation of the national game.
- Share knowledge and experience when invited to do so, taking into account the interest of the body that has requested this rather than personal interests.
- Avoid all forms of gamesmanship.
- Show due respect to Match Officials and others involved in the game.
- Always have regard to the best interests of the game, including where publicly expressing an opinion of the game and any particular aspect of it, including others involved in the game.
- Not use or tolerate inappropriate language.

### **OBLIGATIONS TOWARDS THE TEAM**

The team official should:

- Make every effort to develop the sporting, technical and tactical levels of the club/team, and to obtain the best results by the team, using all permitted means.
- Give priority to the interests of the team over individual interests.
- Resist all illegal or unsporting influences, including banned substances and techniques.
- Promote ethical principles.
- Show due respect to the interests of players, coaches and other officials, at his own Club/team and others.

### **OBLIGATIONS TOWARDS THE SUPPORTERS**

The team official should:

- Show due respect to the interests of supporters.

### **RESPECT TOWARDS THE MATCH OFFICIALS**

A player should:

- Accept the decisions of the Match Official without protest.
- Avoid words or actions which may mislead a Match Official.
- Show due respect towards Match Officials.

## **DECLARATION**

We have read and agree with Villacourt Rovers AFC Club's Code of conduct as it relates to Coaches, Volunteers and Club Officials.

Signed:

COACH/VOLUNTEER/CLUB OFFICIAL