Code of conduct for bowlers



- All bowlers must play within the rules and respect officials and their decisions.
- All bowlers must respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of age, gender, ability, race, cultural background, religious beliefs or sexual identity.
- Bowlers should keep to agreed timings for training and competitions or inform a coach or Secretary if they are going to be late.
- Bowlers must wear suitable bowling attire for training and match sessions, as agreed with the Coach/Secretary.
- Bowlers must pay any fees for League or events promptly.
- Bowlers are not allowed to smoke or drink alcohol whilst representing the club at competitions or during league play.
- Bad language/swearing, improper gestures, or abuse of bowling equipment/machinery will not be tolerated by the club and will result in suspension.
- Bullying of any sort will not be tolerated.
- All rules will be followed when representing the club at tournaments.
- You will be representing the club and we expect your best behaviour.

If your behaviour is not of an acceptable level you will be warned verbally, if you do not respect the decisions of the coaches or officials you will be asked to leave the lanes. Your scores will be removed and you will not participate in the rest of the league that week.

If the situation arises and you are asked to leave the lanes on 3 separate occasions, you may be asked to leave the club. There will be no club appeal to this decision and will be asked to return any Lewisham YBC equipment, you may appeal to the BTBA. Any tournament entry fees will be forfeit and will not be reimbursed once payment and squad allocation has been agreed with tournament managers.

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Code of conduct for parents/guardians



- Encourage your child to learn the rules and play within them.
- Ensure that your child/s fees for League or events are paid promptly.
- Discourage unfair play and arguing with officials.
- Help your child to recognise good performance, not just good results.
- Never force your child to take part in sport.
- Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding good performances of all.
- Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
- Publicly accept officials' judgements.
- Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport
- Use correct and proper language at all times.
- Encourage and guide bowlers to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour.
- Coaching is the responsibility of the coaches and you are asked to refrain from providing coaching advice during match play.
- At all times the bowling and seating area within the bowl is for bowlers and officials, please refrain from sitting in the bowlers seating area during tournament or league play

If your conduct is not of an acceptable level you will be warned verbally, If the situation arises and your conduct is not respectful, you and your child/children may be asked to leave the club. There will be no club appeal to this decision and will be asked to return any Lewisham YBC equipment, you may appeal to the BTBA. Any tournament entry fees will be forfeit and will not be reimbursed once payment and squad allocation has been agreed with tournament managers.

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