



# Cricketklubben Soranerne

## Code of Conduct

1. The Club is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well-being of all its members. Therefore, the Club endeavours to provide an environment free of any unlawful discrimination. Any player, official or member representing any visiting club or our own club, especially umpires, shall be treated with respect and dignity.
2. It is all club members responsibility to familiarise themselves with and adhere to all club policies and procedures.
3. Players shall, at all times, address their teammates on the field of play with positive remarks, in order to promote team spirit. Senior players are reminded of their responsibility to encourage and motivate younger players and set an example of sportsmanlike conduct. Negative and derisory comments have a negative effect on team spirit, and should be avoided at all costs.
4. Club members are reminded that they represent the Club at all matches, and are required to always behave in a polite and sportsmanlike manner, in line with the Spirit of Cricket. Any improper behaviour (pre or post-match) will result in sanction from the board.
5. To ensure the safety of all players, appropriate protective equipment should be always worn.
  - a. Juniors (under 18s): For their own safety, those who are under the age of 18 are required to wear all appropriate protective equipment when batting or wicket-keeping. This applies at all times during match play and training, and is not open to debate.
  - b. Seniors (18 and over): The Club also strongly recommends that members over the age of 18 always wear all appropriate protective equipment. However, this decision ultimately remains with the individual. As a result of this, all Senior Members will be required to sign a waiver absolving the Club of responsibility of any injury that may be sustained, should they refuse to wear appropriate protective equipment at any time.
6. Behaviour and dress both on and off the field should be in keeping with the dignity and best traditions of the game of cricket.
7. Foul, abusive and inappropriate language on or off the field of play is unacceptable.
8. Intimidation, aggressive behaviour and deliberate distraction of opponents by words or actions are unacceptable.
9. Dissent at umpiring decisions is unacceptable.
10. The game should be played competitively, but the highest standards of sportsmanship must always be maintained. Recognise the achievements of both your team-mates and your opponents. Do not glory in their failures.
11. Remember that your conduct is a reflection not only on yourself but also on the Club as a whole. Any conduct that damages the reputation of the Club will not be tolerated.



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12. Team spirit is an important part of the enjoyment of cricket, which is to be promoted by the board and team Captain. As such, the Captain is always responsible for ensuring that play is conducted within the Spirit of Cricket, as well as within the Laws. Members have a responsibility to oppose and report any discriminatory behaviour, and promote the equality of everyone.
13. Any player who is seen to be disrespecting his/her team-mates by ignoring these common-sense requirements, or refused to perform any reasonable task delegated by the team Captain, Cricketklubben Soranerne, and/or Coach/Trainer, will be reported to the board, and have an appropriate sanction imposed upon them. Owing to the fact that we are using Gentofte Sportspark grounds and facilities, it is of the utmost importance that each player, member and all associated with Cricketklubben Soranerne, treat these grounds and facilities with the utmost care and respect.

**Failure to comply with this code of conduct may result in disciplinary action being taken in accordance with the Club's disciplinary procedures.**

I, the undersigned, have fully read and understand the above Code of Conduct, and by signing this document, agree to abide by this Code of Conduct, to the best of my ability.

**Name**

**Sign**