



Perth Shotokan Karate Academy

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Code of Conduct – Spectators

Being a Positive Supporter

Perth Shotokan Karate Academy is dedicated to nurturing the enjoyment and enthusiasm of every child within our sport, through a safe, fun environment, recognising that children participate for fun and encouraging all of our athletes/teams to do well. BUT not at all costs. It is important that children participate in the right spirit and in a supportive atmosphere; which allows them to perform to the best of their abilities; valuing and recognising effort as well as results.

To achieve this, we rely heavily on spectators to give their support in the right way, all club activities both in and out of the dojo are covered by this code of conduct. Spectators are asked to abide by this Code of Conduct at all times.

Positive Supporters:

1. Encourage all members of the club by applauding their effort
2. Show understanding when athletes make mistakes or if they don't win
3. Be positive. Discuss performances in a constructive manner at an appropriate time, focus on things the athlete(s) did well. Don't dwell on mistakes
4. Abide by the Club's Acceptable use of mobile phone policy and Social Media Policy
5. Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities
6. Applaud other athletes and teams for their efforts, not just your own
7. Respect other athletes, coaches, volunteers and spectators and make them feel welcome
8. Behave responsibly and do not use inappropriate language whilst attending, involved in in or spectating at any and all club activities. Treat athletes, coaches, club volunteers, technical officials and other parents with due respect.

Where a spectator is a member of the Club, any breaches of the Spectator's Code of Conduct will be dealt with in accordance with the club's disciplinary procedures.

If the spectator is not a member of the Club, any breaches of the Spectator's Code of Conduct will result in removal from the event / a ban for future events.