

NOGSL COACHES CODE OF CONDUCT

Coaches are responsible for their conduct as well as the conduct of their parents and spectators during and after a game. Coaches are the teachers, as well as role models of the players, and their Actions must be beyond reproach. Therefore, the following updated rules of conduct have been adopted.

1. Any red card administered by a referee to a coach or assistant coach will result in a 4 (four) game suspension for that offending coach or assistant coach. This suspension will be for the next 4 (four) League games and carried on into a subsequent season, if necessary. If a coach has two or more teams in the league, they may be permitted to continue to coach the other teams.

2. Any coach or assistant coach who receives a second red card during their tenure with our League will be permanently removed from 'Approved' status for all teams. They will no longer be permitted to have any contact with players during any/all practices or games. The League rosters must be revised to remove that coach and their pass must be returned to the League President.

3. Good Sportsmanship

Every team should attempt to play with an equal number of players because this is a travel league and healthy competition is emphasized. A reduction of players at the start of the game in an effort to equalize the playing field is strictly up to the coach's discretion. (Forcing players off the field from a team that shows up with a full roster of players at the start of the game may create an "unfair" disadvantage to that team and denies some players valuable game experience and playing time).

The coach of a team that attains a 4 (four) goal lead in a game must immediately remove one player from the field. The losing team must be given the option of adding additional players onto the field. If a team attains a 6 (six) goal lead in either half, the coach must immediately remove a second player from the field. The player maybe replaced if the losing team scores a goal.