



PORT HEDLAND NETBALL ASSOCIATION

SPECTATORS CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

1. Most players (in particular children) participate in netball activities for fun – they are not participating for entertainment of spectators only.
2. Applaud good performance and efforts by all players when watching the game and congratulate both teams on their performance regardless of the game's outcome.
3. Respect the umpires and coaches' decisions – if there is a disagreement follow the appropriate procedure in order to question the decision and teach children to do likewise.
4. Never ridicule or scold a player for making a mistake during a competition – positive comments are motivational.
5. Condemn the use of violence in any form, be it by committee members, coaches, players, umpires or parents/guardians.
6. Show respect for your teams' coach, the umpire and opponents – without them there would be no game.
7. Encourage players to play according to the rules and the official decisions and develop your own knowledge of the rules.
8. Demonstrate appropriate social behaviour by refraining from using foul language, harassing committee members, coaches, players or umpires.
9. If you are asked by a committee member to leave the premises because of a breach of this code, respect that decision.

Above is in accordance with Netball Australia's Code of Behaviour