

UNDERAGE MENTORS / VOLUNTEERS

CODE OF CONDUCT AND BEST PRACTICE

- Only paid up members of the Clonduff GAA Club can be involved in mentoring with underage teams.
- Respect the rights and dignity of each player.
- Treat everyone equally, regardless of age, gender, ability or family connection. Avoid perceptions of partiality or favouritism in selection criteria.
- Ensure that no one involved with the team acts towards, or speaks, to another person in a manner, which threatens or insults them.
- All players deserve equal attention and opportunities.
- Help all players reach their full potential.
- Be punctual, properly attired, avoid smoking and bad language in the company of young people.
- Ensure that all games, equipment, and training, are customised to suit the needs of those involved in terms of age and ability.
- Be positive during coaching sessions so that players always leave with a sense of achievement and increased levels of self-esteem.
- Remember that young children play for fun and enjoyment and that winning is only part of their motivation.
- Players are to be dressed in full Clonduff club colours for all games, competitive and challenges.
- Breaches of the Codes of Conduct should be dealt with by management as far as possible. Where a resolution cannot be met, the issue should be brought to the club Chairman and if the issue can still not be dealt with, the disciplinary committee will intervene.
- Never use social media to make negative comments about Clonduff GAA Club or its members.

Declaration

I understand and agree to abide by this Code of Conduct. I understand that failure to abide by this Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action by the club committee.

Signed: _____

Date: _____