

Clinton Youth Soccer Player Expectations

1. Attend all scheduled training sessions and games. Excused absences due to illness, family functions, or school activities shall be communicated to the team coach ahead of time.
2. Arrive to games/practices on time. We will let you know how early travel teams can arrive prior to the official game start properly prepared with game jerseys, shin guards, water, and everything necessary to play including hand sanitizer and a mask.
3. Arrive to practice sessions on time, dressed in appropriately with shin guards, water, soccer shoes, and a properly inflated ball, hand sanitizer and a mask.
4. Be attentive, respectful, and cooperative to coaches, officials, teammates, and parents. Players will exercise maximum effort during the training sessions and games.
5. No use alcohol, tobacco, vaping materials, or drugs. 6. Abstain from the use of profanity.
6. Strive to conduct themselves in a manner so as to avoid yellow and red cards.
7. Players will recognize that they are responsible for the success of their own development.
8. Players will display an inclusive attitude with their teammates.
9. Communicate with their coach about questions or concerns relative to their participation within the team.
10. Always promote the Clinton Youth Soccer in a responsible manner.
11. Properly dispose of individual and team trash before and after practices and games.
12. Remember to say 'Thank-you' to anyone who has helped you during the day to succeed.
13. Understand that the journey to being good takes time, effort, patience, and commitment. There may be some challenging days however with hard work and discipline players can achieve their goals.

Clinton Youth Soccer Role of a Parent

1. Support their child in a positive manner throughout their developmental journey.
2. Adhering to all of the COVID Protocols – sent forth in the CYS Spring Return to Play [2021 Spring RTP Clinton Youth Soccer \(sportsmanager.us\)](https://sportsmanager.us).
3. Assist in the development of players' decision-making abilities by not offering instructions from the sidelines during training and games.
4. Entrust soccer decisions to the coaches.
5. Assist players' timely arrival and pick up to and from training sessions, games, and events.
6. Be a supportive and respectful spectator of all teams, players, officials, coaches, and family members.
7. Allow the coach, referee assignor, or CYS Board Member to handle all communications with the referees during and after all matches.
8. Clinton Youth Soccer observes a Zero Tolerance policy regarding disrespectful interactions of any kind on our fields between referees, parents, players, and coaches. If one of our Covid Officers asks you to comply to the COVID Protocols please do so – these are rules from Mass Youth Soccer and by abiding by them we are allowed to play a full season. Our Board, coaches and volunteers are all donating their time they do not need to be called names or treated poorly – they are ensuring that your player has a great experience with Clinton Youth Soccer.
9. Observe the game from the designated spectator sideline area. Spectators are not allowed behind the goals or on the end lines during match play.
10. Please do not use alcohol, other intoxicants, vaping materials, or tobacco products during training sessions or games.
11. Abide by our 'No Pet' policy during training sessions and games.
12. Communicate directly with the coach regarding questions or concerns as they relate to your child via email, please do not approach coach on game day.
13. Continue to be a positive role model for your child, our program, and the soccer landscape.
14. Adhere to all guidelines regarding COVID19 including sanitization, masks, social distancing, and keeping your child home if they are exhibiting symptoms.