

## Victor Harbor Tennis Club

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## Players Code of Conduct

- **Know the rules and play by them (check out the new GSTA By Laws on our website [www.victorharbortennisclub.com](http://www.victorharbortennisclub.com) – lots of improvements!)**
- **Treat all players as you would like to be treated** - do not bully, take unfair advantage of or interfere with another competitor.
- **Control your temper and never argue** – verbal abuse of an official or another player is not acceptable and will not be tolerated.
- **Treat all equipment and property with respect** - whether it is your own, another player's or the clubs.
- **Be a good sport** - provide encouragement and acknowledge good play whether by your team or the opposition.
- **Co-operate** with your captain/team manager, your team mates and your opponents at all times. Without them there would be no competition.
- **Deal with disagreements and grievances through appropriate channels** - approach your captain, team manager or committee member for discussion.
- **Work equally hard for yourself and your team** - your performance will benefit and so will your team.
- **Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants** and have reasonable expectations of others. Remember all great players have to start somewhere.
- **Support team managers, umpires and committee members** - they are all volunteers and you would not be able to participate without them.

The VHTC reserves the right to adjudicate and apply a penalty on members who have been found to breach the 'Players Code of Conduct'.