

St. Paul's Boxing Academy

Code of Conduct for Parents and Carers

This code of conduct for parents summarises the essence of good ethical conduct and practice within boxing. This applies not only to parents, but also to guardians, carers, families and spectators alike.

- ✓ Encourage your child to learn the Amateur Boxing International rules and participate within them.
- ✓ Discourage unfair play and teach your child to respect the event officials.
- ✓ Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results.
- ✓ Never force your child to take part in boxing.
- ✓ Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding good performances of all boxers.
- ✓ Treat everyone equally and sensitively, and do not discriminate on the grounds of age, gender, ethnic origin, religion, sexual orientation or disability.
- ✓ Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
- ✓ Show respect and trust the coaches working with your child.
- ✓ Publicly accept officials' judgements/decisions.
- ✓ Always support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport.
- ✓ Always use correct and proper language at all times.
- ✓ Encourage and guide your child to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour.
- ✓ Set a good example by applauding all good performances, whether by your child or by another.
- ✓ Be courteous and respectful to child's boxing opponents and their families.