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Carmel College provides a variety of sporting opportunities for students to have positive experiences with physical activity and competitive sport. We welcome the attendance of members of the wider College community, such as parents, family and friends, to support our athletes at these events, and we recognise that your positive presence reflects on the College as a whole. Therefore, when attending events either at the College or when College students are competing, it is expected that all spectators:

- Maintain positive relationships with team officials and administrators regarding the wellbeing and conduct of all students.
- Support team officials and administrators in maintaining a safe and respectful environment for all students.
- Encourage participation, teamwork, diligence and resilience amongst all competitors.
- Display and model good sportsmanship.
- Encourage honest effort, skilled performance and team loyalty.
- Demonstrate respect for opposing players and supporters.
- Demonstrate appropriate social behaviour.
- Be courteous and constructive in your communication with players, team officials, game officials and administrators.
- Make any new parents feel welcome.
- Allow officials and administrators to conduct events without interference.
- Cooperate with the school and associated officials to achieve the best outcomes for the students.
- Support School Sport Australia’s policy of a smoke and alcohol free environment.

Breach of this code of conduct

Carmel College staff may deal with breaches of this code of conduct immediately by:

- In the first instance, reminding offenders of their responsibilities to follow the code.
- For continued violations of the code, asking offenders to leave the venue.
- Calling police or officials to intervene when necessary.