



## **PARENT PLAYER AGREEMENT**

### **CLUB MISSION STATEMENT**

The Crossfire Select Soccer Club provides an environment that promotes a life-long love of the game while developing teamwork as well as individual responsibility, commitment and leadership through quality training and appropriate competition for all participants.

### **THE PLAYER**

Crossfire Select encourages potential players and their parents to consider all of their club options and choose what best suits the individual, taking into consideration each person's goals and aspirations as a soccer player. Once a commitment to join a Crossfire Select team is made, the player and their parents agree to abide by the policies of the Club and the team.

The player commitment is for one season only. The season begins in June and runs through the first week in December. (High School aged girls teams run June through August, and December through March) with an optional post season tournament. Players must go through the tryout process the following year if they wish to play again.

Players agree to:

- Show respect for teammates, opponents, officials and coaches.
- Exhibit fair play, sportsmanship, and proper conduct on and off of the playing field.
- Refrain from the use of profanity, vulgarity, and other offensive language and gestures.
- Adhere to the established rules and standards of the game and of the Club.

### **THE PARENT**

Parental support and involvement in the Club are essential. If your son or daughter has made the commitment to play for Crossfire Select, the parent must assure that the player attends all possible team functions and follows all established rules and guidelines.

Parents agree to:

- Ensure that their player is able to attend practices and games, and all team functions.
- Fulfill the required number of volunteer hours as established by the Club.
- Show respect to all players on the team, referees, all players of the opposing team and their fans.
- Not coach their children or any other members of the team, during practices or games.
- Make no comments to officials before, during or after games.
- Not make critical remarks to others about players, coaches or coach's decisions.

### **COMMUNICATION**

Clear communication between the player and the coach is essential. If there is uncertainty about what is expected of the player, it is their responsibility to speak to the coach about the matter.

All parent/player meetings with the coach or manager will be on a one on one basis. Groups of parents will not meet with team coaches/managers to discuss individual player/coach issues.

If any issues remain unresolved after the player/parent has met with the coach/manager then the Crossfire Select Director of Coaching may be contacted directly for assistance in resolving the issue. E-mail [coachingdirector@crossfireselect.com](mailto:coachingdirector@crossfireselect.com) with any issues.

## **DISCIPLINE**

In the event that disciplinary actions are necessary, the following steps will be taken:  
The team coach, manager, and/or Coaching Director will discuss the issue directly with the player or with the parent if they are the problem.

In the case of a player, if the problem is not resolved, the team coach, manager, and/or Coaching Director will discuss the issue with the player's parents.

If the problem persists with the player or parent, the Coaching Director and team coach in conjunction with the Select Board, may temporarily suspend the player or parent from training and games. If the situation warrants, the Coaching Director may recommend to the Select Board that the player be removed from the Club.

The parents of any player recommended for suspension or removal may request to meet with the executive committee of the Select Board along with the Coaching Director and the team coach.

## **REFUNDS**

No refunds will be given in the event that a player is removed from the Club due to disciplinary reasons.

No refunds will be given if the player leaves the Club to play for another club in the region.

If a player is required to leave the team due to injury or relocation, then a refund will be given on a pro rata basis depending on the amount of time left in the season.

## **SIGNATURE SHEET**

I have read the Player/Parent Agreement attached and made available at [crossfireselect.org](http://crossfireselect.org) and agree to abide by these policies and the Bylaws of Crossfire Select.

Player Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Team: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Signatures:**

Player: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_