

## **REPRESENTATIVE PLAYER AGREEMENT**

### **Year 9 & 10 Boys 2022**

As a player selected for a South Canterbury Cricket District team, I understand I am in a privileged position, which attracts certain responsibilities. During my time as South Canterbury Representative Player, from the signing of this agreement until I return home from tournament.

**The following rules and protocols are based on common sense and responsibility to you and the District Cricket Squad. They are designed to give both the team and individuals the best chance of performing to full potential and reflect the investment that has been made in the player and the privilege of representing South Canterbury.**

I \_\_\_\_\_ AGREE to adhere to the following South Canterbury Cricket Representative Player Agreement

I \_\_\_\_\_ as the parent/caregiver of \_\_\_\_\_

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1. That I prioritise SC trainings, games and festivals, attend all trainings in a timely fashion unless otherwise agreed with the head coach.
2. **Coaching and management staff will set fitness standards.** That I will train at my individual best to ensure I create an environment that is conducive to producing excellence and will work to increase my fitness level outside of SC trainings to meet standards set by the coach.
3. That I will act in a professional manner at all times, including, but not limited to;
  - a. Punctuality, language, physical standards and respect of coaches
  - b. Respecting umpires and officials at both national and local competitions, avoiding personal penalties and disciplinary measures
  - c. A high standard of behaviour, and following the directions of the coach/s and manager/s.
  - d. USE COMMON SENSE in regard to activities leading up to, and during a match. Team uniform to be worn when advised by team management.
4. That I will follow all Drug Free Sport NZ rules and regulations. **POSSESSION OR USE OF PROHIBITED DRUGS BY ANY MEMBER OF DISTRICT CRICKET REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS AT ANY TIME WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE EXPULSION FROM THE TEAM.** South Canterbury Cricket then reserves the right to inform the Police for prosecution.

5. **ALCOHOL** – NO PLAYER UNDER THE AGE OF 18 MAY DRINK ALCOHOL AT ANY TIME WHILE REPRESENTING THE SOUTH CANTERBURY CRICKET ASSOCIATION. Players who are legally entitled to drink alcohol must first seek permission from the Team Management and abide by any team protocols that are set in place.
6. **THE FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE ALCOHOL POLICY AND/OR MANAGEMENT PROTOCOLS BY ANY MEMBER OF DISTRICT CRICKET REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS AT ANY TIME WILL RESULT IN IMMEDIATE EXPULSION FROM THE TEAM.**
7. That the manager may remove me from the team at any time due to misconduct, and that if I must be removed from the tournament, all flights and/or other costs to get me home will be at my expense.
8. That I will not criticise South Canterbury Cricket, New Zealand Cricket, their staff, officials or coaches in social media or any public forum.
9. That I will ensure I am financial with my local club, school and/or association.
10. That I will pay all fees and costs required by me by the due dates set out below, unless I have made special arrangements with SCCA.
11. Should I withdraw from the team at short notice prior to the team departing 6 weeks or less that I will still be liable for costs incurred by the team. There may be discretion by SCCA due to the circumstances.
12. I understand the **player deposit is non-refundable**. There may be discretion by SCCA due to the circumstances.
13. That the coaches/managers have the discretion to take cell phones/devices from me overnight and prior to games to eliminate unnecessary distractions. If necessary my parents/guardians will be able to contact me via the manager/s at any time.
14. That I am responsible for all my own costs until payment is received from a sponsor. If sponsorship money is not received by SCCA by the due date, I am responsible for the full amount.
15. I understand that all sponsorship funding and all fundraisings are **not refundable in any form**. The only funds that will be refunded are any extra top up funds paid additional to the player deposit, sponsorship, and fundraising.
16. I will travel with the team, unless I have special arrangements approved by the manager/s.
17. That I will return all SCCA uniform on the last day of the tournament to the manager. Should any item/s of uniform be damaged by improper use and require specialised cleaning/repair or replacement, SCCA may charge me for this.