

Blackrock Bowling and Tennis Club

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Code of Conduct for Junior Licensees

The tennis player will:

- Play fairly and have fun
- Abide by the rules set down by team managers when travelling to away events
- Behave in a manner that avoids bringing the game of tennis into disrepute
- Respect the officials and accept their decisions
- Talk to the children's officer if you have any concerns
- Respect opponents and always shake hands at the end of a match
- Use his / her best efforts in competitive matches
- Refrain from the use of bad language and inappropriate gestures
- Refrain from ball / racquet abuse
- Refrain from the use of coaching during competition
- Never use unfair or bullying tactics to gain advantage on or off the court
- Never use bullying tactics to isolate another player
- Never to pass on gossip about another player or adult
- Never to make false allegations about another player or adult
- Never to keep secrets about anyone who has caused you harm
- Win with grace and lose with dignity.

Junior Licensees have the right to:

- Be safe and be listened to
- Be respected and enjoy privacy
- Enjoy sport in a protective environment
- Participate on an equal basis, appropriate to their ability
- Experience competition and the desire to win
- Be believed and ask for help