

# WHITLETTS VICTORIA FOOTBALL CLUB



## UNACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOUR POLICY

Whitletts Victoria Football Club will not tolerate unacceptable conduct from the Clubs employees, volunteers, committee members, players or supporters at New Voluntary Park or at any other away football stadia.

We aim to create and maintain an environment where spectators can enjoy the game of football, safe in the knowledge that they are free from all forms of harassment, abuse, un-acceptable or disorderly conduct including racism and sectarianism.

This policy applies for any football matches or events within New Voluntary Park, Ayr.

We condemn racism in any form, either on or off the pitch. Whitletts Victoria Football Club aims to create and maintain a working and spectating environment free from racial harassment and abuse. Everyone connected with Whitletts Victoria Football Club has a responsibility to prevent racial harassment or abuse.

Any supporters (home or visiting) who's behaviour is unacceptable will face eviction from the ground and their actions will be reported to the police. Season ticket holders who conduct themselves in this manner face having their season ticket revoked and all spectators face the prospect of a life ban from New Voluntary Park.

Everyone associated with the Club has a responsibility to prevent and discourage any form of abuse and as such are responsible not only for their own actions but also those of others. We would therefore encourage everyone to bring to the Club's attention, any incident or behaviour, of individuals or groups of individuals, deemed to be in breach of this policy.

ANY PERSON ENGAGING IN UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT MAY BE SUBJECT TO ANY, OR A COMBINATION OF THE FOLLOWING:

- Removal from New Voluntary Park or an away stadium
- Suspension from attending home matches involving Whitletts Victoria Football Club
- Indefinite ban from attending home matches involving Whitletts Victoria Football Club
- Suspension or ban from holding Whitletts Victoria Football Club membership
- Suspension or ban from the Whitletts Victoria Football Club Committee
- Suspension or ban as a Player or Coach from the Whitletts Victoria Football Club
- Report to the police and possible criminal proceedings.

**Signed** – ~~Mark Porter~~, Secretary, on behalf of Whitletts Victoria FC

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