

LUVC Code of Conduct -Guardians' Commitment

Guardians of athletes with the Lanark United Volleyball Club are expected to:

- Complete the OVA Respect in Sport course.
- Ensure their athlete knows and understands the scope of their commitment to the team prior to accepting a position on it.
- Ensure their athlete is punctual (early) for practices and games.
- Ensure the availability of their athlete to attend all tournaments unless the absence is approved with substantial notice.
- Provide early notification (if possible) of any practice absences.
- Demonstrate, at all times and in all situations, respect and support for the members of the team and its coaches, as well as the officials, opponents, and spectators encountered during competition.
- Voice positive support for the team during matches.
- Refrain from participating in any personal or electronic communication that is critical, derogatory, hateful or disrespectful toward any member of the team, the Club, or an opponent.
- Refrain from approaching a coach during a game or tournament to discuss player selection, playing time or strategy.
- Respect the right of the coaching staff to conduct practice as they see fit.
- Follow the Club complaint protocol.
- Observe the 24-hour rule before raising a concern during a tournament.
- Empower your athlete to communicate and address any concerns early by having them set a meeting with the coaches.
- Refrain from coaching your athlete from the sidelines during practices and matches.
- Have appropriate and adequate food and drinks available during tournaments.
- Ensure payment of any Club fees in a timely manner.