



Orange Netball Association

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ONA Code of Conduct – All Competitions

The ONA Committee hope you all have some fun and experience the thrills of playing competitive Netball, whether it be Mid-week, Saturday or other competitions.

ONA is an affiliated member of Netball NSW and generally we adopt the NNSW Policies in particular the Netball NSW [Code of Behaviour](#) and [Member Protection and Complaint Handling Procedures](#).

There is a specific [code of behaviour](#) for each group of people who are at a netball game:

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6. Parents / Guardians / Spectators- page 11

There is one common theme across each code **Respect!**

Respect for the Umpire's decisions,
Respect for the Coach's decisions,
Respect for the Player's and
Respect for the Competition Official's.

Netball is a game, there are rules of this game and each game has umpires to ensure the rules are followed. An umpire will call a game and they are responsible for the game. Players and Coaches are expected to accept and respect an Umpire's decision. Any questions are to be raised with the umpire in the break by the team Captain or in junior games by the team Captain and Coach. Decisions are not to be questioned during the play.

Under no circumstances are spectators or parents / guardians to question an umpire or make critical and unpleasant comments to players, coaches or umpires during a game. If there is concern for the conduct of a game or welfare of those participating please seek advice from a Committee member, they will be at the grounds during competition and wearing identifiable clothing.

In the event there is an incident please report to orangenetball1@bigpond.com using the incident report form from the ONA website. The [Netball NSW Disciplinary Policy](#) specifically relates to on-court matters. If a matter concerns the welfare of a player or child please refer to the [Netball NSW Member Protection Policy](#).

ONA has Member Protection Officers listed on the website for support if required or please ask a Committee Member.



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ONA and Affiliate Club Committees are volunteers and essentially individual sponsors - we don't get paid - we do it for our love of netball and providing a vibrant strong competition in Orange.

So please respect the time we give 😊. We are committed to managing matters in a timely manner and we ask you to be patient and respectful. In addition to Netball administrator's we are parents, wives, sisters, workers and friends.

We are always looking for new committee members and our ONA AGM is in June each year. Please nominate if you would like to work with our energetic and passionate committee to continue to provide a vibrant and dynamic competition in Orange, to the envy of the rest of NSW!