BARRENS TRAVEL SOCCER CLUB

Code of Conduct

<u>Definition:</u> The Code of Conduct is the standard of behavior which is expected of all Barrens players, coaches and parents. It is in effect at all practices, matches and any other team functions. If the team is attending a function lasting more than one day, such as a tournament, this Code is in effect at all times during the stay.

The undersigned player participating in the Barrens Travel Soccer Club (BTSC) agrees to abide by the standards of conduct outlined below and any additional guidelines established by the club which will be presented at team meetings.

All players and parents will adhere to all rules and regulations and will refrain from illegal and inappropriate behavior that would detract from a positive image of the team or be detrimental to its performance objectives. This includes but is not limited to the following:

- During practices, all players are expected to conduct themselves in a manner which promotes a learning atmosphere for everyone involved. Abusive language and behavior or disrespectful acts toward teammates or coaches will not be tolerated.
- 2. Theft or stealing of any sort, vandalism or willful damage to any facilities or equipment will not be tolerated. Inappropriate behavior, like throwing items, rude remarks and physical contact will not be permitted.
- 3. Sportsmanship is the rule at all times. This includes showing respect for officials, competitors, teammates, coaches, parents and the public. A player represents the BTSC at all times. His or Her actions reflect on the Club both on and off the field. Players, coaches and parents are to uphold the values of integrity, respect, teamwork and positive encouragement at all times.
- 4. Insubordination to members of the coaching staff or others will not be permitted.
- 5. Team members, coaches, and spectators must refrain from any offensive action, words, or gestures, including obscenities, disrespectful cheers, or other inappropriate forms of behavior.
- 6. At matches and practices, team members must stay with the team until dismissed by the coach.
- 7. Other acts of misconduct determined by the coaching staff to be in conflict with the mission, goals, and policies of the BTSC will result in disciplinary action.

Violations of this Code of Conduct will result in disciplinary action up to and including immediate expulsion or non-retention for the following year as determined by the Club.

I have read the Code of Conduct and fully understand the behavior that is expected of me.	
Signature of Player	Printed Player Name
Signature of Parent	Printed Parent Name