



# CDO Soccer Club

## Social Media Policy

Policy Number: 004

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**Purpose:** *To ensure that all social media\* postings protect member's privacy, maintain clear boundaries, and that bullying and harassment do not occur.*

**Social Media\*:** *All postings, blogs, status updates, and tweets are considered public comment. This includes, but is not limited to texts, email, Facebook, YouTube, Twitter, SnapChat, or Instagram.*

### **What we ask of ALL CDO Soccer Club members:**

#### **All electronic communication:**

- Should be positive –this includes all postings-written, photos, or videos.
- Must not be misleading, false, or likely to injure a person's reputation.
- Must not offend, intimidate, humiliate, or bully another person.
- Should respect and maintain the privacy of our members.
- Must not bring CDO Soccer Club into disrepute.

**Please note:** *Coaches and others who work with youth MUST direct electronic communication through the child's parents. Direct one way flow of information via text messaging through a safe and anonymous form of communication such as the "Remind" app is permissible.*

### **Non-Compliance:**

**Members who do not comply with this policy will face disciplinary action as determined by a D&R board in accordance with CDO Bylaws.**

**Please note: Under certain circumstances, cyber bullying is a criminal offense that can be reported to the police.**

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**I have read and understood the Social Media policy and will abide by it as a member of the CDO Soccer Club.**

**Player Name/Signature:\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_**

**Parent Name/Signature:\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_**

**Parent Name/Signature:\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_**

**Coach Name/Signature:\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_**

**Team:\_\_\_\_\_**

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