

## **Tennis West of Scotland**





# **CODE OF CONDUCT for 8U, 9U and 10U PLAYERS**

## **ESSENTIALS**

- √ keep yourself safe by listening to your team captains
- √ behave responsibly and speak out when something isn't right
- √ when you're with us, stay in the places where you're supposed to, don't wander off or leave without telling your team captain
- √ take care of equipment and premises as if they were your own

## **BEHAVIOUR**

- √ respect and celebrate differences in your team and treat everyone the same
- √ report any accidents to your team captain, even if you're just a witness
- √ make your team a welcoming and friendly place to be
- √ respect the selection decisions of your team captain and be open to coaching during matches if it is allowed
- $\checkmark$  support and encourage other players in your team. Tell them when they've done well and be there for them when they're struggling
- $\checkmark$  respect the staff and players from other teams and appreciate that everyone has different levels of skill and talent
- √ be a good sport, celebrate when we win and be gracious when we lose
- √ compete hard, try your best, play by the rules, and have fun
- √ bring the right kit and equipment to the competition each day

# **EXPECTATIONS**

- √ enjoy the time you spend at the event and know that you're safe
- √ be told who you can talk to if something's not right
- √ be listened to
- √ be included
- √ be respected by your team captains and other team members and be treated fairly
- √ feel welcomed, valued, and not judged
- √ be encouraged and develop skills with our help
- √ be looked after if there's an accident or injury and have your parents informed if needed

