

UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS RUFC

Code of Conduct

This Code of Conduct is aimed at players, coaches, officials and supporters.

1) Players should attend training sessions as frequently as possible. When a session cannot be attended, players will speak to the club coach to let him know, with sufficient notice, to enable any necessary changes to be made to the planned session. If a player fails to notify the coach then this will be considered in selection. Players will be punctual to both training sessions and games.

2) When a player is injured he should still attend Monday training to be assessed by the club physio to aid diagnosis and recovery.

3) Players and coaching staff will wear club gear to all League and Cup games.

4) All players should ensure that they have the correct playing kit and training kit is worn during all pre match preparation.

5) No player is to consume alcohol to excess prior to a League or Cup game.

6) Replacements will provide touch judge cover if required and support their teammates by bringing on water, sponge bag, kicking tee etc.

7) Players will abide by and conduct themselves within the laws and spirit of rugby. The game must be played and conducted in accordance with disciplined and sporting behaviour.

8) Leeds players, coaching staff and supporters shall accept and observe the authority and decisions of referees, touch judges and all other rugby disciplinary bodies.

9) No player, official or supporter shall abuse, threaten or intimidate a referee, touch judge, member of the opposition or spectator.

10) Strict discipline on and off the pitch on match days and other Leeds events shall be maintained – transgressions may result in substitution and subsequent match bans.

11) All players and coaches are to set a positive example to others through their attitude and commitment.

12) Players should address any concerns, including selection, to the coaching staff or Captain. Feedback and coaching will be given on development needs.

13) Comments made to coaching staff, club officials, spectators or other players should always be positive and never derogatory.

14) All players will pay their match fees and give availability for the next game prior the game.

Club Captain. ROB ELLISON Date. 18/16/11

Club Secretary. TOM DAVIS Date. 18/10/11

Treasurer. JAMES RADCLIFFE Date. 18/10/11