

PETANQUE NEW ZEALAND

PLAYER CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

This Code applies to all members of Petanque New Zealand affiliated clubs.

During all games players are expected to:

- 1. Play and abide by the rules of the game as instructed by the Tournament Organising Committee and Umpires of the day.
- 2. Play the game in a sporting manner.
- 3. Not use or abusive language, particularly to other players, officials and spectators.
- 4. Accept without argument the decisions of the Umpire(s).
- 5. Observe the correct dress of the day.
- 6. Not drink alcohol during games, and to excess for the duration of the competition (i.e. arriving under the influence at the start of the day is unacceptable).
- 7. Not smoke during games, and on the terrain at any time (i.e. even when spectating).
- 8. Ensure that supporters and/or family or friends do not encroach onto the terrain or allow any pets or children to do so during play.

Any player who is found to be in breach of this code of behaviour will be considered to be guilty of improper behaviour and liable to the penalties in Articles 37, 38, and 39 of the rules of the game.

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