

SPECTATOR BEHAVIOUR

POLICY



*We value respect, safety, and enjoyment for all.
Help us create a positive atmosphere.*

At St Thomas Hawks Basketball Club, we believe that basketball is a recreational activity designed for enjoyment, health, and personal growth. In line with Basketball Victoria's guidelines, this policy outlines the standards of behaviour expected from all spectators to ensure that everyone involved in the game can fully benefit from and enjoy their participation.

Our aim is to create a positive environment that encourages people to start and continue their involvement in basketball. Enjoy the game!

In line with Basketball Victoria's guidelines these behaviours are outlined in our Code of Behaviour Policy and Code of Conduct specifically include :

1. Respect All Participants:

- Show respect to players, coaches, referees, and other spectators at all times.

2. No Abuse or Harassment:

- Verbal or physical abuse will not be tolerated.

3. No Sideline Coaching:

- Let the coach do the coaching. Cheer and support players positively.

4. Keep It Positive:

- Encourage players, avoid negative comments.

5. Adhere to venue rules:

- Respect the facilities and equipment provided, and ensure that under your control children are supervised and behaving in a manner that meets the policy.

6. Support the club's efforts:

- Help us maintain a positive environment by addressing any unacceptable behaviour you witness by escalating to this to a committee member.

7. Speak up:

- If you see or hear something that is not in accordance with the policy, speak up. We are in this together.



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Tolerance Policy



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Code of Conduct