## Player Expectations & Code of Conduct:

• Players are expected to attend weekly practices and any other practice that might be assigned by the coaching staff.

All players MUST be picked up on time after practice or games. Only a 10 minute grace period will be allowed after which parents will be required to pay a late pick up fee of \$20 for every 10 mins past the pick up time.

• Players are expected to attend all games during the league and or tournaments.

• Players/ Families will communicate game absences far in advance to allow for team coordination and potential substituting of players.

• Players/ Families will use specific team whatsapp group chat for all games and practices.

• Players will come to practices with all needed equipment including proper Footwear and shin guards.

• Players will train and play with commitment and to the best of their ability

• Players will refrain from cell-phone use during practices- players may ask their trainer for permission to use cell phone to coordinate with family members about rides and in case of emergency.

• Players will check themselves out with their coach at the end of every practice to ensure player safety

• Players will listen and respond to coaches and substitute coaches as apply. Failure to do so will result in players being removed from practice or game at the coaches discretion.

• Players will respect their teammates, coaches, referees, and opponents at all times

• Players, coaches, parents and supporters are expected to actively demonstrate good sportsmanship, teamwork and supportive behavior at games and practices. The use of foul, derogatory, or discriminating language is strictly forbidden.

• Players will play by the rules as directed by the referee

• Players will line up to shake hands with the opponent in a respectful manner after each game NO EXCEPTIONS.

• Players will leave the training field and game-day fields as clean or cleaner than when they arrived- and be responsible for discarding any trash or water bottles.

**No Bullying** Y.S.Y.A.F.C.believes that bullying is serious and has no place within the club. The Y.S.Y.A.F.C coaches and administration has the authority to suspend or ban players that bully others. In Y.S.Y.A.F.C. view, bullying occurs when a player, or group of players, intentionally and repeatedly try to get power over or hurt another player. Bullying occurs in four main ways: physical; verbal; relational; and cyberbullying. All forms of bullying are unacceptable, harmful and preventable. It is the role of coaches,

managers, parents, supporters and players to take responsibility for stopping it.

Parent Signature:\_\_\_\_\_

Player Signature:\_\_\_\_\_