Parents/Guardians Code of Conduct

Parents are expected to co-sign their child's code of conduct form and this specific parental expectation form.
Parents must complete this code of conduct annually.

Parents / Guardians are a valuable and indispensable source of help to Co. Cavan Golf Clubs junior programme, and are requested to assist by

- Providing supervision at group coaching sessions
- Providing supervision and to help with the running of junior competitions.
- Providing transport to away golf competitions and events.
- Teaching their children how to mark their scorecard, the rules of golf, and how to behave on and off the golf course.
- Be a role model for your child and maintain the highest standards of conduct when interacting with young people, other parents, officials and organisers.
- Always behave responsibly and do not seek to unfairly affect a player or the outcome of the game.
- Never intentionally expose any young participant to embarrassment or disparagement using flippant or sarcastic remarks.
- Always recognise the value and importance of the officials and volunteers who provide sporting and recreational opportunities for your child. Do not publicly question the judgement or honesty of referees, coaches or organisers. Respect convenors, professionals, coaches, referees, organisers and other players. Parents are welcome to attend events and coaching sessions but should not interfere with the coach or professional while working with the player.
- Encourage your child to play by the rules. Teach your child that honest endeavour is as important as winning and do all you can to encourage good sportsmanship.
- Set a good example by applauding good play on both sides. Encourage mutual respect for teammates and opponents.

As a parent/guardian of a Young Player I will:

- respect the rules and procedures set down by Co. Cavan Golf Club and Golf Ireland/PGA Ireland
- respect my child's teammates and leaders as well as players, parents and coaches from opposing teams. I will encourage my child to treat other participants, professionals, coaches, convenors, selectors and managers with respect.

- give encouragement and applaud only positive accomplishments whether from my child, his/her teammates, their opponents or the officials.
- respect my child's leader(s) and support his/her efforts.
- respect the officials and their authority during sessions and events within the organisation and under the auspice of Golf.
- never demonstrate threatening or abusive behaviour or use foul language.

Any misdemeanours and breach of this code of conduct will be dealt with immediately by the Junior Convenor.

Social Media

I understand that photographs/videos will be taken during or at golf related events and may be used in the promotion of golf, including social media reviewed by our Junior convenor before promoting.

Printed name of Parent/Guardian:

Signature of Parent/Guardian:

Date: