

South Queensland Archery Society Inc.

Code of Ethics – Coaches

Coaches at South Queensland Archery Society events shall be qualified as Archery Australia coaches and shall follow the following Code of Ethics.

Sanctions may be applied where coaches do not follow this code and these sanctions may include removal as a coach from SQAS activities.

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1. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every human being.
2. Ensure the athlete's time spent with you is a positive experience.
3. Treat the athlete as an individual.
4. Be fair, consistent and honest with athletes.
5. Be professional and accept responsibility for your actions.
6. Make a commitment to providing a quality service to your athletes.
7. Operate within the rules and spirit of the sporting activity.
8. Any physical contact with the athlete should be appropriate to the situation and necessary for the athlete's skill development.
9. Refrain from any form of personal abuse towards your athletes.
10. Refrain from any form of harassment towards your athletes.
11. Provide a safe environment for training and competition.
12. Show concern and caution towards sick and injured athletes.
13. Be a positive role model for your sport and the athletes.

Adopted from *Get Active Queensland Fair Go Program* Sport and Recreation Queensland and the Archery Australia *Coaches Code of Ethics*

Refer to the *Harassment-free Sport Guidelines* Australian Sports Commission for more guidance.