



Statement of Intent

Mooroolbark Soccer Club
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Mooroolbark Soccer Club is proud to be one of the first sporting clubs in the country to work with the Australian Drug Foundation as part of a project funded by NIB Foundation called *Good Sports Junior*.

Sport is an activity for good health, fun and family. We want to make sure that we promote this philosophy through our club environment, especially for our young junior players.

Good Sports Junior builds on and complements the *Good Sports* program which works to make community sporting clubs healthy, safe and family-friendly environments by reducing alcohol and tobacco related harms such as drink driving, violence and aggression. *Good Sports Junior* will help us make changes more relevant for young people at our club and create safe and healthy clubs for juniors to participate and thrive in.

As part of our involvement in *Good Sports Junior*, during this season we will be enforcing the following new practices around our club:

- ***NO SMOKING IN OR AROUND THE JUNIOR GROUNDS***
- ***NO ALCOHOL IN OR AROUND THE JUNIOR GROUNDS***
- ***NO ABUSIVE LANGUAGE OR BEHAVIOR IN OR AROUND THE JUNIOR GROUNDS***

Mooroolbark Soccer Club is committed to making positive changes within our club to better support our junior players and to provide a safe, family-friendly and supportive environment in our club.

We welcome your feedback on these initiatives. To get in touch with the committee on email us at secretary@thebarkers.com.au

Signed

Mick Ashworth - Club President

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