

Code of Conduct

GEELONG FOOTBALL CLUB CHEER SQUAD CODE OF CONDUCT

The Geelong Cheer squad is a supporter group that brings together our most committed and passionate members. As a representative of our Club, being a Cheer squad member comes with a responsibility that is above what is expected of other members. As such, membership into the Cheer squad is subject to guidelines and it is important that you are both familiar with and accepting of, these expectations.

As a member of the Geelong Football Club Cheer squad, I will behave in a manner that is respectful for all and contributes positively to Geelong Football Club matches, events and activities associated with the club.

- It is my responsibility to create a loud, colourful and passionate group that is also inclusive, family friendly and a welcoming environment for anyone that flies the Blue & White flag.
- I will not engage in nor endorse any form of vilification on the basis of race, religion, colour, descent or national or ethnic origin, special ability/disability or sexual orientation, preference or identity.
- I will not conduct myself in a violent or aggressive behaviour, use abusive or bad language or rude gestures or engage in unacceptable or unwelcome conduct.
- I will comply with the terms and conditions of entry at all AFL venues, club matches and club events and conduct myself in a manner that does not damage (or have the potential to damage) the reputation of the Geelong Football Club.
- I will not engage in repeated unreasonable behaviour.
- All flag poles used by Cheer Squad members must be no longer than four (4) metres in length and 3.2cm in diameter (edge to edge, externally).
- When representing the Geelong Football Club or identifiable as a cheer squad member in any way (match days, events, social and mainstream media) I will not engage in conduct that could bring the Club or the Australian Football League into disrepute.

I agree that should I breach the above conditions that the Club reserves the right to take the following actions:

- Provide written warning with clearly identified actions required by the member
- Suspension from the cheer squad during which time conflicting behaviours are assessed
- Cancellation of cheer squad membership