



Saline FC

SALINE FC PLAYER DEVELOPMENT PHILOSOPHY

Our Purpose

At Saline FC, long-term player development is our top priority. We are dedicated to building skilled, confident, and disciplined players in a positive, challenging environment. Our success is rooted in a shared commitment from players, parents, and coaches to uphold the values of the club.

Failure to meet these expectations may result in suspension or removal from the program.

PLAYER COMMITMENTS

Players at Saline FC will:

- Give full effort in all trainings, games, and team events
 - Demonstrate sportsmanship, integrity, and respect at all times
 - Prioritize academics and personal responsibility
 - Represent themselves and the club in a professional manner
 - Use appropriate language and behavior on and off the field
 - Respect teammates, coaches, opponents, and officials
 - Listen to and follow coaching instruction
 - Support teammates and contribute positively to team culture
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WHAT TO EXPECT FROM SALINE FC

We are committed to providing:

- A structured, professional, and development-focused environment
- Consistent, high-quality, and purposeful training
- Opportunities for advancement (ODP-Olympic Development Program, regional, national, collegiate levels)



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- Clear, honest, and respectful communication with families
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PARENT COMMITMENTS

Parents are expected to:

- Support the club's long-term development philosophy
 - Understand team schedule and obligations-Update availability on TeamSnap
 - Promote sportsmanship, effort, and teamwork
 - Communicate respectfully with coaches and staff
 - Discuss only their child with coaches at appropriate times (not during or immediately around games)
 - Follow all club policies and procedures
 - Avoid negative comments about players, coaches, or officials/calls
 - Refrain from coaching from the sidelines
 - Never approach or engage with game officials
 - Always represent the club in a positive manner
 - Provide volunteer support for team and club activities
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Zero Tolerance Policy

Saline FC has zero tolerance for:

- Hazing
- Bullying (including cyberbullying)
- Harassment or discrimination
- Substance abuse (alcohol, drugs, vaping)
- Threatening or violent behavior



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Violations will result in immediate disciplinary action, including possible suspension or removal from the club.

Code of Conduct Violations

1st Offense

- Warning: formal verbal or written, including parents/guardian contact.

2nd Offense

- Expulsion from club-related events; sideline of games, friendly scrimmage, practice, tournaments.

3rd Offense

- Removal from club
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Payment & Financial Obligations

Participation in Saline FC requires a financial commitment to support team and club operations.

By registering with Saline FC, parents/guardians agree to the following:

- **Timely Payments**
All club fees, including tuition, tournament fees, and other assessed costs, must be paid according to the agreed-upon schedule.
- **Commitment to Full Season Fees**
Registration represents a commitment for the full seasonal year. Fees are **non-refundable**, for schedule conflicts, or voluntary withdrawal, unless otherwise stated by the club.
- **Missed or Late Payments**
Failure to make payments on time may result in:
 - Late fees
 - Suspension from training sessions or games



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- Ineligibility for tournaments
- Loss of roster spot if unresolved
- **Financial Communication**
Families experiencing financial hardship are expected to communicate **proactively and promptly** with club leadership to discuss possible arrangements.
- **Uniforms & Additional Costs**
Families are responsible for required uniforms, travel expenses, and any additional team-related costs not included in base club fees.

Accountability

All participants are expected to uphold these standards. Failure to comply with standards, may result in disciplinary action up to and including removal from Saline FC.

Acknowledgment & Agreement

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and agree to abide by the Saline FC Code of Conduct, including the Zero Tolerance Policy and Financial Obligations. I understand that failure to follow these guidelines may result in disciplinary action.

Player Name (Printed): _____

Player Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Guardian Name (Printed): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

OUR SHARED GOAL

To develop players who compete at the highest level possible while growing as responsible, respectful, and confident individuals—on the field, in the classroom, and in the community.