



**INDEMNITY FORM**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (FULL NAMES AND SURNAME)

being the Parent/Guardian of \_\_\_\_\_  
(FULL NAME AND SURNAME OF PLAYER)

hereby:

1. Give permission for our child to go on outings or do activities with the sports club mentioned above
2. Indemnify GERMISTON SIMMER JUNIOR RUGBY CLUB or their staff, agents, coaches, volunteers or employees harmless in respect of all harm, loss or damage, whether to person or property, from any cause howsoever arising, which may be sustained by the player stipulated above or to his / her property or possessions whilst on club property or under club control during any club excursion, sporting activity or outing.
3. Agree that I shall be responsible for the payment of all medical and/or hospital accounts where applicable, should an injury be sustained to the player above, whilst on club property or under club control during any club excursion, sporting activity or outing.
4. I understand that I am welcomed and encouraged by the Club to keep myself informed regarding my child's involvement in the Club's activities, though personal attendance and observation at practices and matches, by reading the newsletters and any communication from the Club's coaches and personnel.
5. Agree that this indemnity shall commence on the date of signature hereof and shall remain in force and be of effect for the duration of the player's involvement with GERMISTON SIMMER JUNIOR RUGBY CLUB.
6. Consent to my child being treated by the paramedics who are on duty during official club matches.
7. By submitting the registration form, I subscribe to the Club's and Code of Conduct as set out below on behalf of myself and my child and I will make sure that my child is aware of this, as anyone else present with me at any Club activity home or away.
8. I undertake to pay the Club's membership fees and the club has the right to exclude my child if the money due is not paid in full.

THUS SIGNED and dated at \_\_\_\_\_ on this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2025

Witnesses:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian (SIGNATURE): \_\_\_\_\_

## Germiston Simmers Juniors Rugby

### CODE OF CONDUCT

A code of conduct aids to remind administrators, coaches, parents, and supporters that rugby must be administered, organized and presented for the benefit and enjoyment of children of all ages who want to play the game at a club affiliated to the GLRU.

#### Definitions:

- Horseplay: rough play in which people push and hit each other or behave in a silly way.
- Property Damage: destruction or damage of items belonging to the club or that of hosting clubs, private owners, or corporate owners.
- Abusive language: Extremely rude, insulting, or offensive words.
- Assault: Physically attacking another person.
- Harassment: behaviour that demeans, humiliates, and intimidates a person.
- Discrimination: the unjust or prejudicial treatment of different categories of people, especially on the grounds of ethnicity, religion, age, gender, sexual orientation, or disability.
- Negligence: failure to exercise appropriate and/or ethical ruled care.
- Unlawful distribution:
- Fraud: the intentional use of false or misleading information in an attempt to illegally deprive another person or entity of money, property, or legal rights.

#### Code of Conduct for field use:

##### **ALL PERSONS:**

- must ensure that the Game is played and conducted in accordance with disciplined and sporting behaviour and acknowledge that it is not sufficient to rely solely upon the Match Officials to maintain those principles.
- shall co-operate in ensuring that the spirit of the Laws of the Game are upheld and refrain from selecting players guilty of foul play.
- shall not repeatedly breach the Laws of the Game.
- shall accept and observe the authority and decisions of referees, assistant referees, Match Officials, and all other rugby disciplinary bodies.
- shall not publish or cause to be published criticism of the way a referee or assistant referees handled a Match.
- shall not publish or cause to be published criticism of the way any rugby disciplinary body handled or resolved any dispute or disciplinary matter.
- shall not engage in any conduct or any activity on or off the field that may impair public confidence in the honest and orderly conduct of a Match, tour, tournament, or Series of Matches (including, but not limited to, the supply of information in relation to the Game, directly or indirectly, to bookmakers) or in the integrity and good character of any Person.
- shall promote the reputation of the Game and take all possible steps to prevent it from being brought into disrepute.
- shall not commit a Doping Offence as defined in Regulation 21 of the International Rugby Board or the SARU Anti-Doping Regulations.
- shall not abuse, threaten, or intimidate a referee, assistant referee, or other Match Official, whether on or off the field of play.
- shall not use crude or abusive language or gestures towards referees, assistant referees or other Match Officials or spectators.

#### Code of Conduct

##### **ALL PERSONS:**

- Shall not engage in horseplay during practices or matches.
- Not consume or possess alcohol on match days or during practices.
- Show respect for the property of the club, stadium, hosting clubs, private owners and/or corporate owners.

- Must refrain from using abusive language or gestures.
- Refrain from smoking in prohibited areas.
- Zero tolerance for theft.
- Zero tolerance for the falsification of records.
- Zero tolerance for Assault.
- No fighting will be tolerated at any practices, matches or events attended.
- Zero tolerance for the possession or use of drugs/illegal substances.
- may not be in possession of dangerous weapons.
- Zero tolerance for sexual abuse or harassment of any kind. (This includes belittling or berating your own child)
- Shall not bring the club's name into disrepute.
- Any sabotage or misuse of property will not be tolerated.
- Must avoid discrimination or victimization of any kind.
- No disclosing any confidential information of the club, a player, coach, or any person affiliated with the club to an unauthorized third party.
- Gross negligence will not be tolerated.
- Conducting private business without written permission from the chairperson is not allowed.
- No unlawful distribution of alcohol or drugs is allowed during practices, match days or on any club or hosting club property.
- Grossly offensive language and behaviour will not be tolerated.
- Fraud and attempting to commit fraud will be tolerated.
- Racial comments and actions will not be tolerated.
- Sexism (any discrimination due to sex or sexual presentation) will not be tolerated.
- Absence from the club's practices, match days and meetings without valid reasoning for two or more consecutive instances will not be tolerated; players report to coaches and coaches/management must report to the chairperson.
- Supporters, parents/guardians are to always stay off the field; if your child is injured wait for the paramedic to call you.
- Equal opportunities must be given to each player; this includes game time and attendance of IPT trials (if age group is represented).

**NB: - All children must be registered before they can play.**

Signed:           Parent \_\_\_\_\_  
                           Player \_\_\_\_\_  
                           Date        \_\_\_\_\_