



NORTH HARBOUR JUNIOR RUGBY SIDELINE BEHAVIOUR INCIDENTS PROCEDURE

Should any off-field sideline behaviour incident occur at a junior rugby match, the procedure is as follows:

- The team management person (Coach or Manager) concerned about the incident should talk to the opposition team management and advise them of their concerns about the behaviour.
- Should this behaviour continue or escalate, the team management should report the incident verbally to his junior club official (Junior Club Captain or Junior Chairman) within 24 hours of the completion of the match.
- The junior club official of the reporting team's club considers the verbal report and decides if he/she should contact the opposition junior club official to discuss the incident.
- After discussion with the opposition junior club official and if it cannot be dealt with satisfactorily between the two clubs, the reporting junior club official then asks his team management person to complete a North Harbour Junior Rugby Match Incident Report Form and forwards this to Junior Rugby Committee Chairman who attempts to resolve the matter.
- If the incident cannot be resolved by the Junior Rugby Committee Chairman, it is passed to the Operations Manager, North Harbour Rugby Union within 48 hours of the incident who will take the necessary action through NZRU discipline procedures.

Junior Rugby Match Incident Report forms can be found at - www.harbourrugby.co.nz / under General Information – Forms, Rules and Formats

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