



Unacceptable Behaviour Policy 2023

Reviewed by Clive Wolstenholme, Club Secretary - 01/07/23

Strathspey Thistle have a duty to ensure its players, officials, supporters and anyone else connected with the Club, do not engage in any conduct deemed unacceptable.

This applies to all our home games at Seafield Park or at any game played away from home.

Definition of unacceptable conduct covers conduct which is violent and/or disorderly.

Violent Conduct covers

Actual, attempted or threatened violence against a person or/and intentional damage to property

Disorderly Conduct includes

1. Conduct which is designed to stir up or sustain hatred against a group of people based on their membership or presumed membership of the following defined groups or categories
 - a) Female or male gender
 - b) Colour, race, nationality, ethnic or national group
 - c) Membership of a religious group or a group with perceived religious affiliation
 - d) Sexual orientation
 - e) Transgender identity
 - f) Disability
2. The use of threatening, abusive or insulting words
3. The display of written or other visual display which is deemed threatening, abusive or insulting
Strathspey Thistle accepts its responsibilities to ensure these rules are adhered to, and will not tolerate any behaviour deemed unacceptable under these rules.

Any Strathspey Thistle official, employee or anyone else connected with the club, who engages in such unacceptable behaviour, will be dealt with under the Clubs internal code of discipline.

Any supporter who engages in such behaviour will be liable for sanctions imposed by the Club, which could include withdrawal of season ticket, exclusion from any Strathspey Thistle game, or in a case of persistent offending, an application being made towards obtaining a football banning order.

Strathspey Thistle will work closely with the Police Service of Scotland in relation to enquiries in this respect as and when required.