



Have fun with respect



VALUES AND ATTITUDES IN THE GAME

What does it mean?

Values, group of qualities that make someone's personality, and attitudes, the way someone behaves and makes decisions determined by their moral. A person can adopt a lot of different attitudes: violent, respectful... And everyone chooses one.



Why are values and attitudes important?

It's necessary that players respect their adversaries. Nowadays, there is violence in every football match with gobs, hits and fights. It's important that attention focus in the game, in the beautiful plays, tactical aspects... It's important to avoid inappropriate violent, aggressive attitudes. There are important positive attitudes, of overcoming, optimism, that make the players and viewers enjoy the game.

What are bad attitudes consequence of? Are human values falling?

It's important to educate children by being an example, so they become good athletes.

- There are some first level athletes, who win millions of euros every year, but don't set an example of good behaviour. Possibly because

they didn't have the appropriate education.

It's important to know how to behave in a world where those athletes became role models for kids and teenagers.

- **Teenagers and kids see imitate behaviour, values and attitudes, but also mistakes and violent gestures.**



But not only sport attitudes must be taken into account. Public in sport events are also imitated.

- **The public shout and insult players and referees. Kids and teenagers copy these bad manners of some adults.**



Johan Cruyff said one time "there are great managers, but they are a bad example. There are things more important than polemic about results. It's necessary to educate children on how to lose and how to win..."

How can we get the correct attitudes and values?

- **Football clubs have to impede that their players practise free violence and scorn to the opponents.**



- Millions of euros aren't earned only for making goals or for winning championships. We need a little more. It is **education**.
- Lots of **athletes have lost the respect to the game**, to their profession and educational paper they represent and for which they earn money. The **institutions that manage the sport are who have to change it.**

Children realize that managers and parents aren't always an example.

- **Parents and managers have to be an example to follow.**



In conclusion, the most important is education: the act of who are near them, of their idols, what they see, what they hear...

PLEASE, BE A REAL ROLE MODEL