



Custom Surfboards & Surf School, Phillip Island, Australia
ABN 61 005 033 718 Since 1969

Island Surf School Surf Coach's code of ethics

- 1/ Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every human being.**
(Within the context of the activity, treat everyone equally regardless of sex, disability, ethnic origin or religion)
- 2/ Ensure the surfer's time spent with you is a positive experience.**
(All surfers are deserving of equal attention and opportunities)
- 3/ Treat each surfer as an individual.**
(Respect the talent, developmental stage and goals of each surfer and help them reach their full potential)
- 4/ Be fair, considerate and honest while keeping the experience Fun.**
- 5/ Be professional and accept the responsibility of your actions.**
(Display high standards in your language, manner, punctuality, preparation and presentation. Display control, respect, dignity and professionalism at all times. Encourage your surfers to demonstrate the same qualities)
- 6/ Make a commitment to providing a quality service to your surfers.**
(Seek continual improvement through performance appraisal and ongoing coaching education. Maintain appropriate records)
- 7/ Operate within the rules and spirit of the sport, as demonstrated by Surfing Victoria, Surfing Australia and the International Surfing Association.**
- 8/ Any physical contact with your surfers should be appropriate to the situation and necessary for the surfer's skill development.**
- 9/ Refrain from any form of harassment towards your surfers. This includes verbal, physical and emotional abuse.**
(Be alert to any forms of abuse directed towards your surfers from and other sources while they are in your care)
- 10/ Provide a safe, fun environment.**
(Ensure equipment and facilities meet International Surfing Association standards)
- 11/ Show concern and caution toward sick and injured surfers.**
(If an accident occurs follow injury procedures as laid out in Island Surf Schools risk management plan. Provide a modified program where appropriate. Allow further participation in lesson only when appropriate. Encourage surfers to seek medical advice when required)
- 12/ Be a positive role model for your surfers.**

Island Surf School Coach Code of Ethics based on Australian Sports Commission Coaches Code of Ethics

