



Rochdale RUFC is bound by IRB Regulation 19 – Code of Conduct for which key aspects include that all associated persons including players, officials and spectators:

- 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 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 Match Officials and rugby disciplinary bodies, and not abuse, threaten or intimidate them whether on or off the field of play;
- shall not publish or cause to be published criticism of decisions made by Match Officials and rugby disciplinary bodies;
- shall not engage in any conduct or any activity that may impair public confidence in the honest and orderly conduct of a Match 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;
- shall not use crude or abusive language or gestures towards Match Officials;
- shall not do anything which is likely to intimidate, offend, insult, humiliate or discriminate against any other Person on the ground of their religion, race, colour or national or ethnic origin.

Rochdale RUFC also supports the RFU in promoting rugby's core values: these are

Teamwork,  
Respect,  
Enjoyment,  
Discipline and  
Sportsmanship.

For more details of the game's core values visit

<http://www.rfu.com/TheGame/CoreValues>