**CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS AND GUARDIANS**

We respectfully ask all parents and guardians to abide by the following Code of Conduct:
**Parents/Guardians must:**

* Help your child understand and abide by the Code of Conduct for Gymnasts and understand the reason for the use of sanctions.
* Ensure their child is fit to take part in gymnastic activity. Any child having had sickness or diarrhoea **must not** attend class until clear for 48 hours.
* Ensure that their child is on time for the warm up at the start of the lesson.
* Be aware that other adults do use the facilities provided by the Howard School.
* Ensure that they are on time to collect their child at the end of the lesson.
* Bring their child to the gym door at the start of the lesson and collect their child from the gym door at the end of the class.
* Ensure their child is appropriately dressed for the lesson – leggings/track bottoms/club t-shirt/ leotard. Long hair **must** be tied back and **all** jewellery removed. If your child has newly pierced ears, they may wear small stud earrings but they must be covered with tape.
* Ensure that all term fees are paid on time.
* Update us of any changes in contact details.
* Speak to the Coach if they are concerned about coaching/development matters.
* Take responsibility for their child’s safety before the start of class and after class has been dismissed. Whilst in the gym during the lesson, Firefields Gymnastics will make every effort to ensure the safety of all class members.
* Ensure that their child does not bring items of value to the lesson such as mobile phones or watches.
* Promote good sportsmanship at all times.