Equal chances of winning

Fair Play is a body of moral and ethical laws in sports. I do taekwondo and that's why it's important to me. Sometimes we go to competitions where Fair Play rules are respected. None of the participants takes doping, everyone participates for the sake of pleasure and advancement in their careers, and we all respect the decision of the judges and never argue with it.

For me, Fair Play is equal chances of winning and the true athletic behavior of the participants. If you adhere to the principles of Fair Play, then sports will be more entertainment than business. This is also the respect of all participants and judges. The chances of winning depends only on the skills and qualities of the participants. It's hard to imagine what sport would be without Fair Play. Moreover professional sport is often unfair. Many sportsmen buy their victory. That's why I don’t like professional sport and I don’t want go in for sport professionally. For me sport is a hobby.

An example of a person who used Fair Play is Igor Netto. Igor Chislenko scored a goal through the net, but Igor Netto noticed this and informed the judges about it. The goal was not scored.

I think without fair play sport could not be called a sport. It would be a simple competition for money, using doping for the sake of victory and mutual hatred of the participants for each other. Therefore, fair play is absolutely necessary.

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