



ADULT SPORTS CODE OF CONDUCT

The Parks and Recreation Department is dedicated to providing safe, welcoming, and inclusive spaces where all community members can enjoy high-quality programs, facilities, and services. To achieve this, it is essential that everyone—participants, staff, volunteers, and visitors—upholds a shared standard of respect, integrity, and responsibility. This Code of Conduct outlines the expectations for behavior that foster a positive environment, ensure safety, and reflect the values of our organization. By following these guidelines, we collectively protect the quality of experiences that make our parks and recreation system a place for all to enjoy.

PARTICIPANTS CODE OF CONDUCT

- Demonstrate good sportsmanship before, during, and after games.
- Taunting, trash-talking, or baiting opponents, officials, or spectators is prohibited.
- Respect decisions made by officials.
- Physical altercations or threats are not allowed or will not be tolerated.
- Respect all park and facility rules.

TEAM CAPTAIN CODE OF CONDUCT

- Represent the team in all league communications.
- Lead by example in respect, fairness, and sportsmanship.
- Communicate respectfully with league officials and staff.
- Ensure team members follow the Code of Conduct.
- De-escalate tense situations.

SPECTATORS CODE OF CONDUCT

- Cheer positively and encourage sportsmanship.
- Avoid negative comments or taunting.
- Treat everyone with dignity and respect.
- Abuse toward players, officials, or staff will not be tolerated.
- Disruptive behavior may result in removal.

I therefore pledge to be responsible for my words and actions while participating, attending or coaching in a program or event sponsored by the Cedar Rapids Parks and Recreation and shall conform my behavior to the following code of conduct. Failure to do so may result in forfeit, suspension, expulsion or removal from the program and/or facility that may range from temporary to permanent depending on the severity of violation at the discretion of the program supervisor and/or superintendent.

Participant Signature

Date

Team Captain Signature (if applicable)

Date