

## Parents Code of Conduct

- I will remember that children participate to have fun and that the game is for youth, not adults.
- I will not force my child to participate in sports.
- I will refrain from coaching my child or other players during games and practices, unless I am one of the official coaches of the team.
- I will show concern for an injured player, no matter what team.
- I will teach my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence.
- I will never ridicule or yell at my child or other participant for making a mistake or losing a competition.
- I will emphasize skill development and practices and how they benefit my child over winning. I will also de-emphasize competition.
- I (and my guests) will be a positive role model for my child and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy, and by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials, and spectators at every game, practice or other sporting event.
- I (and my guests) will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player or parent such as booing and taunting, refusing to shake hands or using profane language or gestures.
- I (and my guests) will not encourage any behaviors or practices that would endanger the health, safety, and well-being of my child or other participants.
- I (and my guests) will refrain from making threats, and initiating a fight or scuffle with any coach, parent, player, participant or any other attendee.
- I (and my guests) will respect the officials and coaches and their authority during games. I will never question, discuss or confront officials or coaches at the game / field. I will take time to speak with coaches at an agreed upon time and place.

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Parent Name

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Parent Signature

## Youth Code of Conduct

- I will recognize and applaud the efforts of all players, even if unsuccessful.
- I will not make negative comments toward Coaches, Players, Parents, and Officials and I will accept game calls and other decisions of officials.
- I will shake hands or give other positive encouragement to opposing participants and coaches at end of athletic contest, regardless of outcome.
- I will treat competition as a game, not a fight.
- I will give encouragement and respect to injured players such as being quiet or taking a knee, etc.
- I will respect staff and volunteers and express appreciation for dedicating time and service to the community.
- I will recognize that I am here to have fun, rather than to win the game.

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Player Name

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