

Signature Park Sports Code of Conduct



Youth sports programs play an important role in promoting the physical, social, and psychological development of children. Therefore, it is essential for parents, coaches, spectators, and officials to encourage youth athletes to embrace the values of good sportsmanship.

Furthermore, parents, coaches, spectators, and officials involved in youth sports events should be models of good sportsmanship and should lead by example by demonstrating fairness, respect, and self-control. We ask that you pledge to be responsible for your words and actions while attending, coaching, officiating, or participating in all youth sports events and shall conform your behavior to the following code of conduct:

1. I will not engage in unsportsmanlike conduct with any coach, parent, player, participant, official, or any other attendee.
2. I will not encourage my child, or any other person, to engage in unsportsmanlike conduct with any coach, parent, player, participant, official, or any other attendee.
3. I will not engage in any behavior which would endanger the health, safety, or well-being of any coach, parent, player, participant, official, or any other attendee.
4. I will not encourage my child, or any other person, to engage in any behavior which would endanger the health, safety, or well-being of any coach, parent, player, participant, official, or any other attendee.
5. I will not use, possess, or distribute drugs, alcohol, or tobacco products while at a youth sports event and will not attend, coach, officiate, or participate in a youth sports event while under the influence of drugs, alcohol, or tobacco products.
6. I will not permit my child, or encourage any other person, to use, possess, or distribute drugs, alcohol or tobacco products at a youth sports event and will not permit my child, or encourage any other person, to attend, coach, officiate, or participate in a youth sports event while under the influence of drugs, alcohol or tobacco products.
7. I will not engage in the use of profanity or any other offensive language.
8. I will not encourage my child, or any other person, to engage in the use of profanity or any other offensive language.
9. I will, and will encourage my child, to treat all coaches, parents, players, participants, officials, or any other attendees with respect.
10. I will not engage in verbal or physical threats or abuse aimed at any coach, parent, player, participant, official, or any other attendee.
11. I will not encourage my child, or any other person, to engage in verbal or physical threats or abuse aimed at any coach, parent, player, participant, official, or any other attendee.

12. I will not initiate a fight or scuffle, or retaliate, with any coach, parent, player, participant, official, or any other attendee.



13. I will not encourage my child, or any other person, to initiate a fight or scuffle, or retaliate, with any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee.

Anyone who fails to conform their conduct to the preceding code of conduct while attending, coaching, officiating, or participating in a youth sports event will be subject to disciplinary action, including but not limited to the following in any order or combination:

1. Verbal warning issued by the organization.
2. Written warning issued by the organization.
3. Suspension or immediate ejection from a youth sports event issued by the organization or by someone who is authorized to issue such suspension or ejection by the organization.
4. Suspension from multiple youth sports events by the organization or by the appropriate official authorized to issue such suspension by the organization.
5. Season suspension or multiple season suspension issued by the organization.

Note: The most severe consequence may occur after the first infraction and shall be in the unrestricted discretion of the responsible officials.

Date

Print Name (parent, coach, official, or volunteer)

Signature (parent, coach, official, or volunteer)

Print Players Name

Players Signature

*The game of baseball/softball has inherent risks involved and the use of a facemask attached to the batting helmet reduces the possibility of additional injury; therefore, it is Signature Parks' POLICY that **all players participating in our 8U and 9U age groups are REQUIRED to wear a face mask while batting.***

All age groups 10U and above have the OPTION to wear a face mask and by signing this form, I (Parent/Guardian) acknowledge that I am aware of the additional risks involved if my child does not use an attached face mask and agree that, the manager, any coaches, parent helpers, umpires or league officials of either Signature Park or the park in which the game is played, are not liable if my child is injured as a result of not wearing a facemask.