



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB
OF GARFIELD**



JR. BOILERMAKERS

THE COACHES ASSOCIATION CODE OF CONDUCT/ETHICS

Coaching, playing and attending our activities is a privilege offered and granted to individuals who perform capably during Boys & Girls Club of Garfield Coaches Association activities. It carries with it an obligation for each individual coach to uphold and promote the stated goals and objectives. Any conduct considered unethical or a conflict of interest shall be subject to discipline by the Coaches Association.

The behavior of coaches, parents, spectators and participants must be such as to bring credit to themselves, our organization, the Boys & Girls Club of Garfield and the sports we play. Accordingly, the following guidelines have been adopted by the Boys & Girls Club of Garfield Coaches Association Board.

Interscholastic and youth sports programs play an important role in promoting the physical, social and emotional development of children. It is therefore essential for parents, coaches, spectators and officials to encourage youth athletes to embrace the values of good sportsmanship. Moreover, adults involved in or participating as a spectator in youth sports events should be models of good sportsmanship and should lead by example by demonstrating fairness, respect and self control for the game, players, opponents, spectators, officials and coaches.

I therefore pledge to be responsible for my words and actions while attending, coaching, officiating or participating in any youth sports event and shall conform my behavior to the following code of conduct:

- 1) I will not engage nor will I encourage my child or any other person to engage, in unsportsmanlike conduct with any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee.
- 2) I will not engage nor will I 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.
- 3) I will not permit my child, or encourage any other person, to use drugs or alcohol at a youth sporting 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 or alcohol.
- 4) I will not engage nor will I encourage my child or any other person to engage, in the use of profanity.
- 5) I will treat and encourage my child to treat any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee with respect regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation or ability.
- 6) I will not engage nor will I encourage my child or any other participant to engage in verbal or physical threats or abuse aimed at any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee.
- 7) I will not nor will I encourage my child or any other participant to initiate or participate in a fight or scuffle with any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee.
- 8) I will not go beyond all designated spectator areas unless requested by an official or a coach.
- 9) I will make aware, all family and friends who are attending games and practices as a spectator, this code of conduct as guidelines to which they will be accountable to.

I hereby agree that if I fail to conform my conduct to the foregoing while attending, coaching, officiating or participating in a Coaches Association event I will be subject to disciplinary action, including but not limited to the following in any order or combination.

- 1) Verbal Warning issued.
- 2) Written warning issued.
- 3) Suspension or immediate ejection from a Coaches Association event.
- 4) Suspension from multiple Coaches Association events.
- 5) Permanent suspension from ALL Coaches Association events.

I agree to and will abide by the above. I have received a copy of this form and also the City of Garfield Code of Conduct.

Parent/Guardian/Coach Signature

Name

Date

Participant Signature

Name

Date

CITY OF GARFIELD

MODEL ATHLETIC CODE OF CONDUCT

The following model athletic code of conduct is promulgated in accordance with the provisions of P.L. 2002, Chapter Preamble;

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I therefore pledge to be responsible for my words and actions while attending, coaching, officiating or participating in a youth sports event and shall conform my 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 drugs or alcohol 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 or alcohol.
6. I will not permit my child, or encourage any other person, to use drugs or alcohol 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 or alcohol.
7. I will not engage in the use of profanity.
8. I will not encourage my child, or any other person, to engage in the use of profanity.
9. I will treat any coach, parent, participate, official or any other attendee with respect regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation or ability.
10. I will encourage my child to treat any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee with respect regardless of race, creed, color, national origin, sex sexual orientation or ability.
11. I will not engage in verbal or physical threats or abuse aimed at any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee.
12. I will not encourage my child, or any other person, to engage in verbal or physical threats or abuse aimed at any coach, parent,
13. player participant, official or any other attendee.
14. I will not initiate a fight or scuffle with any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee.
15. I will not encourage my child, or any other person, to initiate a fight or scuffle with any coach, parent, player, participant, official or any other attendee.

I hereby agree that if I fail to conform my conduct to the forgoing while attending, coaching, officiating or participating in a youth sports event I will be subject to disciplinary action, including but not limited to the following in any order combination:

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

Organization Team

Coach Name Signature Date

Players Name Signature Date

Parents Name Signature Date

All participates of City of Garfield Recreation programs must sign and abided by the above code of conduct.