

## **Code of Conduct at Sporting Events**

We expect our athletes, parents, and fans to show respect to other teams, officials, and other fans at all times.

We will not tolerate fighting, yelling, or cursing at officials, other fans, or the other team at both home and away athletic contests.

## **Code of Conduct Expectations:**

- 1. Use of alcohol/alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, smoking, vaping, and/or use of ecigarettes on school premises is prohibited.
- 2. Do <u>not</u> argue with or criticize the players, cheerleaders, coaches, or officials in front of spectators by word of mouth or gesture. If you do not have something positive to say, do not say it.
- 3. Do not use abusive or profane language during any athletic contests or activities.
- 4. Do not physically or verbally abuse anyone (athlete or coach) in the athletic program.
- 5. Do <u>not</u> incite unsportsmanlike conduct, to include melee or unrest at an event.
- 6. Do <u>not</u> seek to undermine school officials through word of mouth or deed.
- 7. <u>Do</u> always set an example by your personal conduct in front of all persons connected with the school programs.
- 8. Do remember that winning at all costs is not a message we wish to impart to our youth. Instead, we want them to have fun, to play safe, and to encourage sportsmanship.
- 9. Parents/Guardians: By not agreeing to and signing this Code of Conduct contract, you have elected not to participate with your child/children in the school athletic programs.

The violation of any portion of these expectations relating to this <u>Code of Conduct</u> may result in removal from the event or:

## **PENALTIES**

- 1. **Adults:** Removal from attendance at athletic events and potential for trespass from school/district campus
- 2. **Students:** The participating student who is in violation of rule or rules contained in this <u>Code of Conduct</u> may be <u>suspended</u> from the team for a game or multiple games; may be placed on <u>probation</u>; may have school consequences assigned and may face penalties from the FHSAA.

By acknowledging these expectations with your signature or on athleticclearance.com, it is known that this form was read and agreed to by the parent and athlete.

| Date:            |                        |  |
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| Parent Name      | Student Name           |  |
| Parent Signature | ,<br>Student Signature |  |