

Parents Code of Ethics

- I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches and officials at every game, practice or other youth sports events.
- I will place the emotional and physical well being of my child ahead of a personal desire to win.
- I will insist that my child play in a safe and healthy environment.
- I will support coaches and officials working with my child, in order to encourage a positive and enjoyable experience for all.
- I will demand a sports environment for my child that is free of drugs, tobacco and alcohol, and will refrain from their use at all youth sports events.
- ✤ I WILL REMEMBER THAT THE GAME IS FOR YOUTH --- NOT FOR ADULTS!
- I will do my very best to make youth sports fun for my child.
- I will ask my child to treat other players, coaches, fans and officials with respect regardless of race, sex, creed or ability.
- I will help my child enjoy the youth sports experience by doing whatever I can, such as being a respectful fan, assisting with coaching or providing transportation.
- I will require that my child's coach be trained in the responsibilities of being a youth sports coach and that the coach upholds the Coaches' Code of Ethics.
- I will try to be the best Role Model I can for the youth participating in this program. This means no open criticizing of the officiating, no claiming of cheating by officials and no acting up at the games.
- I understand that there is a "Zero Tolerance" Policy and will abide by its terms and conditions.
- I understand that if I fail to adhere to this Code of Ethics I may be removed from the Recreational Facility and not return until I appear before the Kingsport Parks & Recreation Advisory Board.

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