



## PETERS TOWNSHIP FAMILY CODE OF CONDUCT



I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my child participating in youth sports by following this Parents' Code of Conduct:

I (and my guests) will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, and officials at every game, practice or other youth sports event.

I will place the emotional and physical well being of my child ahead of my personal desire to win.

I will insist that my child play in a safe and healthy environment.

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 Conduct.

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 from drugs, tobacco and alcohol and will refrain from their use at all youth sports events.

I (and my guests) will remember that the game is for youth - not 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 (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 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 respect the officials and their authority during games and will never question, discuss, or confront coaches at the game field, and will take time to speak with coaches at an agreed upon time and place.

I will help my child enjoy the youth sports experience by doing whatever I can, such as being a respectful fan, learning the rules of the sport, assisting with coaching, or providing transportation.

I will inform family and friends who attend Peters Township youth sporting events to abide by the above same rules.

By signing this document I also agree that if family or my guest(s) and or I fail to abide by the aforementioned rules and guidelines, I/WE will be subject to disciplinary action that could include, but is not limited to the following:

- Verbal warning by official, head coach, and/or head of league organization
- Written warning
- Parental game suspension with written documentation of incident kept on file by organizations involved
- Parental season suspension
- Parental lifetime suspension
- Suspension of Participant

The severity of the incident will dictate the disciplinary action.

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Print Name

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Date

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Signature