



PARTICIPANT RESPONSIBILITIES & CODE OF CONDUCT

Central Linn Rec Center Youth Activities Player Code of Ethics Pledge

Each player age nine (9) and older is required to read and sign the following document. For the younger players it is the coach's responsibilities to read this pledge to his or her team members, and be sure the players understand their responsibilities.

- ▶ I will take responsibility for my own behavior and learn to speak for myself and listen to others.
- ▶ I will always treat my opponents with respect; without opponents there is no game.
- ▶ I will treat my coach with respect, and acknowledge and appreciate the time and effort volunteered by my coach.
- ▶ I will play hard, know the rules of the game and play by them.
- ▶ I will respect the game officials and their judgment, and accept their decisions without argument even if they may have made a mistake.
- ▶ I will exercise self-control at all times and display no behavior, which could incite fans. I will win without boasting, lose without excuses and give my best effort. I will refrain from the use of alcohol, drugs and tobacco at all times.
- ▶ I will remember that I am just one portion of a team effort. I will do my best but not at the expense of other teammates. I will recognize that unselfish teamwork is more important than individual accomplishments.
- ▶ I will condition myself to prevent injury by stretching and warming up before each game.
- ▶ I will always shake hands and acknowledge a good game with my opponent.

I understand that unacceptable behavior (continual tardiness to practice or games, skipping practice or games, cussing or foul language, fighting, and other behavior that takes away from team unity) is not tolerated and I will refrain from taking part in any of this behavior during practices and games. If I break the rules, I understand that I may be corrected by my coach and/or representatives from CLRA and may receive suspensions for rules violations and misconduct.

I will return my uniform at the end of the season, if asked to.

Player's Signature

Date



SPECTATOR/PARENT CODE OF CONDUCT

Central Linn Rec Center Spectator / Parent Code of Ethics Pledge

- ▶ I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care, and encouragement for my child participating in Youth Activities by the following Code Of Ethics.
- ▶ I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all participants, coaches, officials, supervisors and volunteers at every youth activity and event.
- ▶ I will place the emotional and physical well-being of my child ahead of any personal desire to win.
- ▶ I will insist that my child play in a safe and healthy environment.
- ▶ I will provide support for coaches, officials, supervisors and volunteers working with my child to provide a positive, enjoyable experience for all.
- ▶ I will promote a drug, alcohol and tobacco free activities environment for my child and agree to assist by refraining from their use at all youth events.
- ▶ I will remember that the game is for children and not for adults. I will do my best to make youth activities fun for my child.
- ▶ I will ask my child to treat other participants, coaches, fans, officials and supervisors with respect regardless of race, sex, creed or ability.
- ▶ I will promise to help my child enjoy the youth sports/activities experience within my personal constraints by assisting with volunteering, being a respectful fan, providing transportation or whatever I am capable of doing.
- ▶ I will respect the game officials and their judgment and accept their decisions without argument, even if they may have made a mistake.
- ▶ I will help my child and coach with the preparations before an event and the clean up after the event is concluded.
- ▶ I will contact the coach if my child will be missing practice or a game.
- ▶ I understand that I am responsible for my child directly before and after all scheduled activities **and will be on time to deliver and pickup my child.**

I understand that any unacceptable behavior (continual tardiness to practice or games, skipping practice or games, cussing or foul language, fighting, and other behavior) is not tolerated and I will refrain from taking part in any of this behavior during practices and games. If I break the rules, I understand that I may be corrected by representatives from CLRA and may be asked to leave playing areas for rules violations and misconduct.

Spectator/Parent's Signature

Date