



Archer Athletic Association

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Archer Athletic Association “No Bully” Pledge

- As a team member, coach or parent, I understand that ALL people deserve to be treated with dignity and respect. I will respect my teammates, coaches, team parents and other teams.
- I represent my team, Archer Athletic Association, and myself. As such, I will conduct myself in a way that does not reflect poorly on my team, association, or myself. I will also maintain a positive, encouraging presence on all forms of social media at all times as a representative of my team.
- I will not tear others down in order to build myself or my team up. I build my foundation of success with practice, hard work and determination, not pointing out mistakes or flaws of others.
- Others on my team are working towards the same goals that I am. I can relate to how hard each works in the pursuit of such goals; this bonds us as team mates, coaches and parents.
- I will speak up and out immediately against bullying that happens to me or that I witness by telling my coaches or parents. I understand that by doing nothing, I am an enabler of the bully and an “accomplice” to their behavior.
- I realize that if I am being bullied, I am not alone and I will show support and compassion to those who have been victimized by bullying.
- I will urge others on my team to follow this anti-bullying policy to help create a safe environment for myself and others, and I will hold everyone accountable to this policy.
- I understand that bullying comes in many forms, including making threats, spreading rumors, physical attacks, verbal attacks, excluding from a group on purpose, racist comments/behaviors, name-calling, teasing, cyber bullying, creating unwanted attention to another, bullying via text message, and unsportsmanlike behavior. I pledge to stop bullying by not engaging in these activities or encouraging others to do so.
- If I have engaged in bullying-type behaviors in the past, I will strive to alter my behaviors and move forward with an anti-bullying mentality.

Any violation of this pledge may result in immediate dismissal from a team, with no refund. All participants are expected to treat each other with dignity and respect. Harassing behavior of any kind will not be tolerated. If you or someone you know is the victim of bullying or harassment, you should immediately report the incident to your coach or the Archer Athletic Association Executive Board.

AAA Participant Printed Name

Signature

Date

Parent Printed Name

Signature

Date