

Parent/Spectator Contract

As a Tri-County Youth Football League Parent/Spectator, we require the following:

- 1) Encourage members of both teams
- 2) Keep all comments positive
- 3) Only players and coaches are allowed on the field, no exceptions
- 4) Leave the coaching to the coaches. If you have suggestions or would like to coach next year's team please volunteer so you can attend the mandatory coaching clinics, pass the background check, sign the coach's contract and pass the coaches written test.
- 5) Criticizing the officials, coaches, opponents or fans will not be tolerated at all. Same goes for abusive language or cursing. This is youth sports, everyone makes mistakes.
- 6) Be supportive, creating unnecessary drama or stirring controversy is grounds for dismissal for the program.
- 7) DO not beg or suggest calls to the referees.
- 8) You are responsible for all family members and friends attending the games to watch your child(ren) that are brought to the game.
- 9) No alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs are allowed on the field or in the parking areas.
- 10) Help make this a positive and fun experience for all.
- 11) Report any violations to a head coach or local board member. Get involved.

SOCIAL MEDIA

The TCYFL program is made possible through the efforts of numerous volunteers.

Social media posts of a derogatory or critical nature to or about the program does nothing more than break down the efforts of volunteers who want the best for the children of our community.

Therefore, if it is found that social media is used in a negative manner to attempt to defame, harass or harm the program, it's players, it's volunteers, there will be no other choice but to adhere to the below policy enforcement.

Policy Enforcement

First offense – warning

Second offense - is a week suspension subject to be reviewed by local board and/or TCYFL for possible further punishment

Third offense - offense out the remaining of the season subject to be reviewed by local board and/or TCYFL for possible further punishment

These apply to both adults and players

Housekeeping Rules

- 1) Tri County League Rule: 11 Games, Section R: “ No ice chests, picnic basket or alcoholic beverage items are allowed to be brought into the stadium, carnivals or scrimmages.” Additionally, no open containers, sodas, water or any other forms of drink/food may be brought into the stadium, carnivals, or scrimmages. Head Coaches and or Cheer Advisors are allowed to bring drink(s), for the benefit of the players and/or cheerleaders.
All others will be asked to dispose of above-mentioned items before entering.
Violations in any way will constitute offending parties being asked to leave the premises immediately.

Adult Code of Conduct

TRI-COUNTY YOUTH FOOTBALL

1. To uphold the goals of Tri-County Football and ensure that all participants have the benefit of a safe and fun learning environment, all parents, guardians, and other adults and attendees of Tri-Co Youth Football events, including but not limited to practices, competitions and banquets, must behave accordingly in a respectful, courteous and sportsmanlike manner at all times.
2. Any adult who is using alcohol, tobacco or non-prescription drugs and/or appears intoxicated at a Tri-Co Youth Football event, and/or who is flagrantly rude, attempts to intimidate, verbally abuse, heckles, taunts, ridicules, boos, throws objects and/or uses vulgarity or profane language/ gestures with an official, coach, volunteer, staff member participant or other event attendee, must receive a verbal warning and/or be asked to leave the event. The member organization may also provide a written warning to the individual regarding the misbehavior. The adult's children may also be removed from the event. Any adult who commits one of the above stated offenses a second time will be banned from any and all Tri-Co Youth Football events for a period of one year from the date of the second offense, and their children may also be removed from the program(s) for that time period.
3. Any adult who physically assaults an official, coach volunteer, staff member or participant or threatens grave bodily harm may be banned from all Tri-Co events for one year from the date of the offense, and their children may also be removed from any and all Tri-Co programs for that same period of time. After the ban has expired, if the individual commits another offense of the adult code of conduct, the individual will be permanently banned from all Tri-Co events and the individual's children may also be permanently removed from any and all Tri-Co programs.
4. Adult agrees to not utilize any social media to slander, disgrace, or an attempt defame Tri-County Football league or any of its local organizations.

Player Code of Conduct

TRI-COUNTY YOUTH FOOTBALL

1. To uphold the goals of Tri-County Football and ensure that all participants have the benefit of a safe and fun learning environment, all players of Tri-Co Youth Football events, including but not limited to practices, competitions and banquets, must behave accordingly in a respectful, courteous and sportsmanlike manner at all times.
2. Any player caught fighting, hitting, kicking, striking or otherwise abusing opponents while down during course of or after play, will be removed from game on the first offense. For the second offense, the player will be suspended from their team for one week and on the third offense shall be suspension for balance of season.
3. Any player caught verbally or physically intimidation of opponents outside normal talk across the line (especially of a profane nature, will be removed from game on the first offense. For the second offense, the player will be suspended from their team for one week and on the third offense shall be suspension for balance of season.
4. Any player, who is caught in any act of disrespect for team, Board authority, or game officials, will be removed from game on the first offense. For the second offense, the player will be suspended from their team for one week and on the third offense shall be suspension for balance of season.
5. If a player is ejected by a game official, the player will be removed from that game and the following game on the first offense. For the second offense, the player will be suspended from their team for one week and on the third offense shall be suspension for balance of season.

Tri-County Youth Football Code of Conduct Acknowledgement Form

I, _____ ,
(Parent/guardian/representative name)

Have received and read the 2024 TCYFL code of conduct forms. I understand and will follow by all rules and guidelines that are forth placed in this packet and the TCYFL Bylaws. If I (including any family and friends) and my player(s) do not comply with the rules and guidelines we understand that disciplinary action may be taken. It will be determined by the TCYFL Board.

Player Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian/Representative Signature

Date

This form needs to be agreed upon and signed for your player to be eligible to play for TCYFL.

Forms Received and to be followed:

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