



### **Code of Conduct**

The CSA Code of Conduct below applies to all persons who are involved in the league including, but not exclusive to, players, managers, coaches, parents and spectators. As a member of the league, you agree to the following:

I agree to abide by the following CSA Code of Conduct:

- Be courteous and respectful at all times to all persons.
- Exercise self-control in my interactions with others, both on and off the field.
- Respect the integrity and accept the judgment of all officials.
- Not engage in excessive criticism, or negative comments, or yelling directed toward players, coaches, or officials.
- Not coach from the bleachers.
- Remain in the dugout as a coach and manager, as appropriate.
- Refrain from the use of foul and abusive language.
- Provide a positive and safe environment for all players.
- Maintain reasonable and appropriate relationships with players, coaches, and parents at all times, both on and off the field.

### **Umpire Interaction**

- Only managers are allowed to approach the Umpire in regards to play.
- Approaching umpires, in regards to game play, shall only be permitted for clarification of a rule or an appeal. There will be no arguing judgment calls such as balls, strikes, out/safe call on bases, etc.
- Excessive approaches to the Umpire regarding game play are not permitted.
- Managers shall be responsible for adherence to game rules.
- Under no circumstances shall any manager, coach, parent or other adult associated with CSA yell at or denigrate any youth member for any reason.

### **Player Participation**

Player Participation rules by division have been implemented to enrich player experience and will be enforced by the CSA Board of Directors. Failure to adhere to player participation rules may result in disciplinary consequences as identified below. All decisions are the Boards sole discretion.

### **Violations**

Depending on the nature of the offending activity or multiple activities, persons who do not abide by the CSA Code of Conduct may be subject to one or more of the following actions/consequences:

- A warning depending on the nature of the infraction (at the discretion of the CSA Board).
- Ejection from the game, field or league depending upon the nature of the infraction.
- Suspension from attending or coaching one or multiple games or practices, as determined by the CSA board.
- Any other disciplinary action felt to be reasonable as determined by the CSA board.

Given the primary consideration of the code is to provide for a great experience for the girls, we take the code of conduct very seriously and uphold the standards as consistently as possible to ensure the best possible playing environment.

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Print Name

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Signature

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Date