

FOUR TOWN COMMUNITY CENTER (rev 11/23)

MANDATORY YOUTH SPORTS CODE OF CONDUCT



Participation Code of Conduct Agreement

I pledge to be responsible for my participation with the Four Town Community Center by following the Code of Conduct for Four Town Community Center Sports and activities:

- I agree to practice good sportsmanship at all times, to win without boasting, lose without excuse and never quit.
- I agree to attend and participate in all scheduled games and practices when reasonably possible.
- I will never throw equipment in anger and I agree to be aware of safety and will follow team and league rules to ensure safe play.
- I agree to my coach's authority and will participate and communicate positively with my coach and teammates.
- I agree to treat fellow players, opponents, fans and umpires/referees with respect.
- I agree to exercise self-control at all times, refraining from foul language and setting a positive example for others to follow.
- I agree to support and encourage my teammates, and to always try my best to try and keep a positive attitude.

My signature verifies that I have read, understand and agree to abide by this Code of Conduct. Consequences may include removal from practice/game, suspension and/or removal from Four Town Community Center programs..

Player Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parents Code of Conduct Agreement

I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care and encouragement for all children participants, coaches, other parents and umpires/referees in Four Town Community Center Youth Sports:

- I agree to cheer, let the coaches coach, let the umpires/referees ump and let the players play.
- I agree to respect the schedules of the coaches and teammates by having my child arrive on time for practices and games and will notify my coach if my child will arrive late or not able to attend.
- I agree to be a positive role model and will not engage in public displays of anger.
- I will promote good sportsmanship by respecting opposing fans, coaches, participants and umpires/referees.
- I will place the emotional and physical well being of my child ahead of my personal desire to win.
- I agree to respect coaching decisions regarding playing time, position and placement and will refrain from coaching any player or arguing with the coaches.
- I will not approach players or coaches before, during or immediately after games with anything other than support. All questions/concerns regarding players or coaches will be addressed the day after the game in an atmosphere conducive to problem solving.
- I recognize that my child's coach is trained in the responsibilities of being a youth sports coach and that the coach will uphold the Athletic Code of Conduct.
- I will demand my child treat other players, coaches, fans, and officials with respect regardless of race, sex, creed, ability, or disability.
- I agree that should I(we) and/or my child fail to abide by the provisions of the 4TCC Code of Conduct in the judgment of a coach, official or member of the 4TCC Board, I and/or my child will be subject to all disciplinary actions authorized by said code.
- I will require that my child's coach upholds the Coaches' Code of Conduct and will report any incidents to the contrary.

- I agree to file, in writing to the Four Town Community Center Board complaints regarding: violation of rules, questionable conduct such as abusive behavior by a player, coach or fan and irreconcilable personality conflicts. This report should be filed on the 4TCC Incident Report Form.
- I will return all league items including equipment and uniforms to my players coach at the end of the season. If the items are not returned, I understand I will be assessed a fee. I also understand my child will not be allowed to participate in future programs until the items are returned or fee has been paid.

Coaches Code of Conduct Agreement

I hereby pledge to provide positive support, care and encouragement for all children participants, other coaches, parents, spectators and umpires/referees in Four Town Community Center Youth Sports:

- I will place the emotional and physical well being of my players ahead of any personal desire to win.
- I will remember to treat each player as an individual, remembering that there is a large spread of emotional and physical development for the same age group.
- I will do my very best to provide a safe playing situation for my players.
- I will do my best to organize practices that are fun and challenging for all my players.
- I will lead, by example, in demonstrating fair play and sportsmanship to all my players.
- I will remember that children learn behavior not only from their parents but from their coaches. I will always be positive and praise the players constantly.
- I will ensure that I am knowledgeable in the rules of each sport that I coach, and that I will teach these rules to my players.
- I will use those coaching techniques appropriate for each of the skills that I teach.
- I will remember that I am a youth coach, and that the game is for the children
- If I observe any violation of this code of conduct or become aware of any such violation, I will complete an incident report and send it within 24 hours to the 4TCC Board.

Disciplinary Actions

I hereby agree that if I(we) or my child fails to conform to this code of conduct while at a 4TCC event or competition, we will be subject to disciplinary actions, including but not limited to the following in any order or combination:

- Verbal warning issued by a coach, 4TCC Board Member or official.
- Written warning issued by a coach, 4TCC Board Member or official
- Suspension or immediate ejection from a 4TCC event issued by an official who has authorization to issue such suspension or ejection by the 4TCC Board, applicable School Board, facility, or other applicable organization.
- Suspension from multiple youth sports events issued by the 4TCC Board.
- Year long suspension from one or more 4TCC programs issued by the 4TCC Board
- Permanent revocation from eligibility to participate in any 4TCC events or programs.

My signature verifies that I have read, understand and agree to abide by this Code of Conduct. I also agree to the consequences determined by Four Town Community Center. I have also read and discussed with my child the Players Code of Conduct. Consequences may include removal from practice/game, suspension and/or removal from our league.

Parents Signature: _____ Date: _____

Coach's Signature: _____ Date: _____