

SKYVIEW CENTRE/ TNT
PARENT'S CODE OF CONDUCT
Club Volleyball

By agreeing to this code of conduct, parents are acknowledging that their child's activity is for his or her enjoyment, not theirs. It is the expectation that each parent lives by the contract and models it for their children and others. Should a parent deliberately ignore their responsibilities as outlined in the agreement, disciplinary action, such as asking the parent to leave the event or banning the parent from attending future Practices, and games may be imposed.

- ⌚ I will remember that my child plays sport for his or her enjoyment/ advancement, not for mine.
 - ⌚ I will learn the rules of the game and the policies of the league.
 - ⌚ I will teach my child to play by the rules and to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence.
 - ⌚ I will inform the coach of any disability or ailment that may affect the safety of my child or the safety of others.
 - ⌚ I will demand that my child treat other players, coaches, officials and spectators with respect regardless of race, creed, color, sex or ability.
 - ⌚ I will not ridicule or yell at my child for making a mistake or losing a competition.
 - ⌚ I will remember that children learn best by example. I will applaud good players' performances by both my child's team and their opponents.
 - ⌚ I will teach my child that doing one's best is important, so that my child will never feel defeated by the outcome of a game or his/her performance.
 - ⌚ I will respect and show appreciation for the coaches who give their time to provide sport activities for my child.
 - ⌚ I (my child's family and my guests) will be a positive role model for my child and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy, and by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials and spectators at every game, practice or other sporting event.
 - ⌚ I (my child's family and my guests) will not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player, or parent such as booing and taunting; refusing to shake hands; or using profane language or gestures.
 - ⌚ I will not encourage any behaviors or practices that would endanger the health and wellbeing of the athletes.
 - ⌚ I will support skill development and practices as directed by the coaching staff and understand that skills development requires practice on the player's own time.
 - ⌚ I will respect the officials and their authority during games and will never question, discuss, or confront coaches at the game and/ or practice, and will only speak with coaches about my child's skill development. I understand any and all concerns must be directed through the Club committee.
 - ⌚ I will attend parents meetings at the outset of sports seasons to meet coaches and organization officials and learn the expectations for participation in athletics.
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- ⌚ I will refrain from coaching my child or other players during games and practices, unless I am one of the official coaches of the team.

- ⌚ I will give consistent encouragement and support to my student-athlete and fellow teammates, regardless of the degree of success, the level of skill or time on the field.
- ⌚ I will leave coaching to coaches, ensuring not to publicly criticize coaches, strategies or the team; nor pressure my student-athlete or coaches about playing time and performance.
- ⌚ I will emphasize the moment, not the future and recognize that only a small fraction of student-athletes earn a college scholarship, compete in the Olympics or sign a professional contract.
- ⌚ I will respect and show appreciation for the other parents who share these beliefs.

I also agree that if I fail to abide by the aforementioned rules and guidelines, I will be subject to disciplinary action that could include, but is not limited to the following:

- Verbal warning by official, head coach, and/or head of organization
- Written warning
- Parental practice and/ or game suspension with written documentation of incident kept on file by organizations involved
- Parental season suspension

I agree to Play Fair: _____ Date: _____
(Signature of parent or legal guardian)

Printed Name: _____